

## HTH-2022-20467: COVID-19 Deaths Among 30- to 39-Year-Olds

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## **Total Deaths Without Comorbidities**

- There have been 14 deaths among 30- to 39-year-olds during the COVID-19 pandemic
- All of these deaths occurred in 2021.
- There were no deaths in 2020.

## Notes:

- 1. COVID-19 deaths were identified using the British Columbia Centre for Disease Control (BCCDC) COVID-19 database.
- 2. Age of the patient is from the Ministry of Health (the Ministry) client roster and is effective mid-2021.
- 3. Patients with comorbidities are identified using the Ministry's Health System Matrix data; specifically, the appearance of the patient on one or more chronic disease registry.
- 4. Note that chronic disease registry data relies on multiple Ministry datasets. As a result, the data are significantly lagged. The current version includes data from fiscal year 2019/2020. It's possible that patients in the 30- to 39-year-old cohort who died of COVID-19 were diagnosed with a comorbidity after March 31, 2020 and that information is not yet in the Ministry data.

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