



# Media Release

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## Confirmed COVID-19 case at Nelson & District Community Complex

Nelson, BC: The Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) has been notified by Interior Health (IH) that a guest at the Nelson & District Community Complex has tested positive for COVID-19.

The guest was a participant in a camp program on August 5 and 6. Anybody who may have been exposed is being contacted directly.

This information is being provided out of transparency. Some details are not being released for privacy reasons. If we receive any further direction or guidance from Interior Health, we will act accordingly.

If you are a close contact of a confirmed COVID-19 case, the IH Public Health team will contact you directly. If this happens, follow the directions provided to you by the Public Health team. In cases where not everyone can be reached, IH will post public exposures online: <https://news.interiorhealth.ca/news/public-exposures/>

The RDCK reminds everyone to continue to be vigilant and to follow the guidance from the BC Provincial Health Officer to keep yourself and your loved ones safe from COVID-19. Learn more from the following resources:

- BC Centre for Disease Control: <http://www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19>
- BC Ministry of Health: <https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/health-feature/coronavirus-disease-covid-19>
- Interior Health Authority: <https://news.interiorhealth.ca/covid-19/>
- Health Canada: <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/coronavirus-disease-covid-19.html>
- If you and your family members develop symptoms, call your health-care provider or 8-1-1 (BC Health Link) to discuss any need for testing and follow-up.

*Incorporated in 1965, the Regional District of Central Kootenay (RDCK) is a local government that serves 60,000 residents in 11 electoral areas and nine member municipalities. The RDCK provides more than 160 services, including community facilities, fire protection and emergency services, grants, planning and land use, regional parks, resource recovery and handling, transit, water services and much more. For more information about the RDCK, visit [www.rdck.ca](http://www.rdck.ca).*

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