

Action Plan

#	Relates to	Action	Priority	Assigned to	Date assigned	Due date	Status	Comments
E-029	Emergency management	HEMBC to share information on cooling centre plans status from local governments with Dr Aamir Bharmal	Medium	Mark Phillips	1-Jul-21		Open	
E-033	Operations	Consider air quality and future heat events before removing any cooling system supplies and measures	High	FH EOC	1-Jul-21		Open	
E-030	Emergency management	Start planning for seasonal hazards (i.e. heat, wildfire/air quality); programs to review/update plans for air quality and briefed on upcoming conditions (i.e. Kathy to reach out to community respiratory program); Comms to develop proactive messages on air quality	Medium	Kathleen O'Connor, HEMBC, David Thompson, Shannon Henderson	1-Jul-21		Open	
E-031	Operations, Access & Flow	S.13(1), s.17(1)	High	James Towle, Dr Rich Dillon, Dr Craig Murray	1-Jul-21		Open	
E-032	Communications	Communications to set up a Sharepoint site to support coordination and access to resources related to extreme heat and wildfire / air quality response	Medium	Shannon Henderson	1-Jul-21		Open	
E-012	Operations	Mitch Weimer to follow up with Carelife Fleetwood and Czorny site leadership and provide update at 16:00 meeting	High	Mitch Weimer	29-Jun-21		In progress	2021-06-29 Continue to watch Langley, MRTC and Fleetwood
E-022	Facilities	Facilities to initiate meeting re: long-term preparedness and cooling procurement for sites	Medium	Martin Wright, Suzanne Fox	30-Jun-21		In progress	
E-024	Access & Flow	Rich s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	Rich Dillon	30-Jun-21		In progress	2021-06-30 S.13(1), s.17(1)
E-026	Communications	Sarika and Shannon to develop communications for IL sites	High	Sarika Choy, Shannon Henderson	30-Jun-21		In progress	2021-06-30 Sent for review; Susan to distribute
E-027	Finance	Finance to provide update on PO status	High	Harjit Gill	30-Jun-21		In progress	
E-028	Finance	Harjit to reconcile list of cooling units that were delivered by Cool-air to sites	High	Harjit Gill	30-Jun-21		In progress	2021-07-01 PO being set up for new vendors; as units are added or returned, can be adjusted on PO
E-001	Operations	HEMBC, Michael Schenkers, and FMO to determine plan for renting coolers - Angela to determine how many coolers can be rented	High	Mitch Weimer, Michael Schenkers, HEMBC	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Cool-air, HEMBC point of contact 2021-06-28 Mark Phillips and Michael Schenkers to connect re: additional AC units for sites; Angela connected with Cool-air; requests are in process of being filled > HEMBC to circulate list
E-002	Communications	Set up 14:30 Town Hall	High	David Thompson, Susan Brown	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-28 S.13(1), s.17(1)
E-003	Operations	s.13(1)	High	Dr. Bharmal, Susan Brown, David Thompson	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-004	Operations	s.13(1)	High	Oona Kerwin	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-28 As needed
E-005	Operations		High	Angela Mitchell	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Spreadsheet attached 2021-06-29 S.13(1) 2021-06-28 Angela, David, and Susan to re-prioritize sites
E-006	Communications	Shannon to send template letter to Suzanne, Kathy, and Naseem for review and distribute to families	High	Shannon Henderson	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-007	IPAC, Communications	Cheryl Beach to send updated PPE messaging to home health and home support	High	Cheryl Beach	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-008	Operations	Susan Brown to circulate resources (town hall deck, and accompanying document to EOC)	High	Susan Brown	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Circulated to providers; will be circulated to EOC today
E-009	Operations	Becky to forward email to Angela Mitchell to coordinate cooling for MHSU building	High	Becky Doherty	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-010	Operations	Mark Phillips to share St. John Ambulance contact with Rich Dillon	High	Mark Phillips, Rich Dillon	29-Jun-21		Closed	

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E-011	Communications	Shannon Henderson to alert Suzanne Fox of any media inquiries	High	Shannon Henderson	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-013	Operations	Suzanne, Cheryl, and Sarika to connect offline re support for AL and IL sites	High	Suzanne Fox, Cheryl Beach, Sarika Choy	29-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 AL sites underway; connection needed for IL
E-014	IPAC, Communications	Meeting to review the temporary PPE measures	High	David Thompson, Susan Brown, Shannon Henderson, Dr. Bharmal, Petra Welsh	29-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-30 KYI distributed
E-015	Operations	Becky to ensure priority MHSU sites that require cooling are sent to Angela Mitchell; Mitch to follow up with sites	High	Becky Doherty, Angela Mitchell, Mitch Weimer	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-016	Home Health	Cheryl [REDACTED] s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	Cheryl Beach	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Action emailed
E-017	Home Health	Meryl McDowell [REDACTED] s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	Meryl McDowell	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Action emailed
E-018	Operations	Cheryl to follow up with Christmas Manor IL	High	Cheryl Beach	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-019	Communications	Communication to LTC physician groups and DOFP re: heat wave and preventative measures (Suzanne and dr sandra derkach)	High	Suzanne Fox, Dr. Sandra Derkach	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-020	Operations	Becky and Angela to connect offline about standardized documents	High	Becky Doherty, Angela Mitchell	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-021	Finance	Mark to inquire if the Emergency Program Act update issued by EMBC [REDACTED] s.13(1)	High	Mark Phillips	29-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-30 [REDACTED] s. 13(1)
E-023	Operations	Suzanne to provide update from Ministry meeting re: LTC-AL to MHO meeting at 13:30	High	Suzanne Fox	30-Jun-21		Closed	
E-025	Operations	[REDACTED] s.13(1)	High	Angela Mitchell	30-Jun-21		Closed	

Use unique
identifiers to
avoid confusion
with other
action plans

Ensure each action
is clear and
specific, so that
anyone can
understand

#	Relates to	Action	Priorit	Assigned to
A-001	Public Health	Create a line list	High	Dr Andrew Hurlbur
A-002	Supply	Place order for masks according to new masking guidelines	Medium	Angie Martinez
A-003	IPAC	Create a whiteboard with key messages for each day and place by front door	Low	Dr Titus Wong

List the stream
(s) the task
relates to; this
is very helpful
for after action
reviews

Assign priorities
High, Medium,
or Low

Write out
full name(s)

This button sorts the sheet in
order of Open, In Progress
Closed --> make sure to only
use "Open", "In Progress",
"Ongoing" or "Closed"

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	Date assigned	Due date	Status	Comments
t	16-Nov-20	18-Nov-20	Open	
	27-Oct-20	31-Oct-20	In progress	2020-10-30 Backordered; still have enough stock on hand for 2 months supply
	3-Nov-20	15-Nov-20	Closed	2020-11-14 Whiteboard ready for display

Input dates by "8 Nov 20" and
it will auto format; old dates
will automatically turn red

Add comments/updates
with a time stamp; you
can enter multiple lines
by using "Alt-Enter"

Priority	Home	Site information					Requested				Status		Phase
		Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Request received?	AC	Portable AC	Fans	Service provider	Update	
5	German Canadian Care Centre	2010 Harrison Drive	Vancouver	V5P 2P6	Jutta Purchase	604-713-6503	29-Jun	yes	6	Rental Network	Door locked at 9pm doorbell		Complete
6	Lakeview Care Centre	3490 Porter St	Vancouver	V5N 5W4	Kim Huynh	604-499-3632	29-Jun	yes	6	Rental Network	Front door until 11pm main entrance doorbell		In progress
7	Vancouver General Hospital (ED)						29-Jun						Not started
8	Arbutus				Rene Koerner	604-360-1743	30-Jun	yes					

Deployed inventory

Total 154

Oscillating / pedestal (Cool - Air)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Tabor Home	31944 Sunrise Crescent	Abbotsford	V2T 1N5	Dan Levitt	604-859-8715	12	
2	Hawthorne Seniors Care Community	2111 Hawthorne Ave	Port Coquitlam	V3C 1W3	Lenore Pickering	604-468-5003	10	
3	Kiwanis Care Centre	35 Clute Street	New Westminster	V3L 1Z5	Lorrie Gerrard	604-525-6471	12	
TOTAL							34	

Oscillating / pedestal (Rental Network)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Residents at Belvedere	750 Delestre Avenue	Coquitlam	V3K 0A1	Jennie Sapon	604-939-1930	4 drum, 2 pedestals	
2	Evergreen Heights	1501 Everal Street	White Rock	V4B 3R5	Caryn LaRose	604-541-3817	4 drum, 2 pedestals	
3	Fleetwood Place	16011 83rd Avenue	Surrey	V4N 0N2	Simone	604-590-6860	4 drum, 2 pedestals	
4	Jackman Manor	27477 28th Ave	Aldergrove	V4W 3L9	Dana		4 drum, 2 pedestals	
5	German Canadian Care Centre	2010 Harrison Drive	Vancouver	V5P 2P6	Jutta Purchase	604-713-6503	3 drum, 3 pedestals	
6	Lakeview Care Centre	3490 Porter St	Vancouver	V5N 5W4	Kim Huynh	604-499-3632	3 drum, 3 pedestals	
TOTAL							22	

Snail (United Rentals)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Argyll Lodge	14590 106A Ave	Surrey		Baljit Kandola	604 581-4174	10	
2	Willow Manor	6890 Vedder Rd	Chilliwack		Aman Grewal	604 846-0031	10	
4	Forglen Facility	5450 & 5452 Forglene Dr	Burnaby		Renay Bajkay	604 675-2322	10	
3	Murrayville Manor	21616 46th Ave	Langley		Lori Crowley	604 530-7714	10	
5	Maple Ridge Treatment Centre	22269 Callaghan Ave	Maple Ridge	V2X 2E2	Shannon Emery	604 614-8947	10	
TOTAL							50	

Ground fans (Sunbelt Rentals)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Belvedere Care Centre LTC	739 Alderson Avenue	Coquitlam	V3K 7B3	Anna Mae Clarke	604-939-5991	4	
2	Cartier House Care Centre AL	1419 Cartier Ave	Coquitlam	V3K 2C6	Carolina D. Reyes	604-939-4654 ext 2	4	
3	Hawthorne AL	2111 Hawthorne Avenue	Port Coquitlam	V3W 1W3	Lenore Pickering	604-468-5003	4	
4	Nikkei Home AL	6680 Southoaks Crescent	Burnaby	V5E 4N3	Tara		4	
5	Waverley Seniors AL	8445 Young Rd	Chilliwack	V2P 4P2	Kristle Castor	604-582-6337	4	
6	The Cedars AL	7380 Hurd Street	Mission	V2V 3H5	Maria Litjens	604-826-2194 ext 301	4	
TOTAL							24	

Ground fans (United Rentals)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Evergreen Baptist (LTC)	1550 Oxford St	White Rock	V4B 3R5	Tami Johnson	778-233-5345	6	
2	Fleetwood Place	16011 83rd Avenue	Surrey	V4N 0N2	Suzanne Bush	604-825-1943	6	
3	George Derby Centre	7550 Cumberland St	Burnaby	V3N 4Z9	Ava Turner	778-846-4469	6	
4	Eden Care Centre	9100 Charles Street	Chilliwack	V2P 5K6	Joseph Sarthou	TBD	6	
5								
6								
TOTAL							24	

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

Summary	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			s.22(1)
New Westminster	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Langley	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Chilliwack	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Hope	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Abbotsford	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Mission	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Total deaths	19			

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June 27-28	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently Shelter/Modular
Burnaby # of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events		s.22(1)		
New Westminster # of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities # of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events				
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Abbotsford # of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events				
Mission # of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta # of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	4			

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29-Jun	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events		s.22(1)	
New Westminster	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Langley	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
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Abbotsford	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Mission	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths # of clients sent to ER Other adverse events			
Total deaths per day		9		

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30-Jun	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
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	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
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Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	6				

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1-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
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	Other adverse events				
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Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
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Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
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	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

MHSU client extreme heat - July 1 2021
July 2

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2-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
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	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
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Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

MHSU client extreme heat - July 1 2021
July 3

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

3-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
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Mission	# of client deaths				
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White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

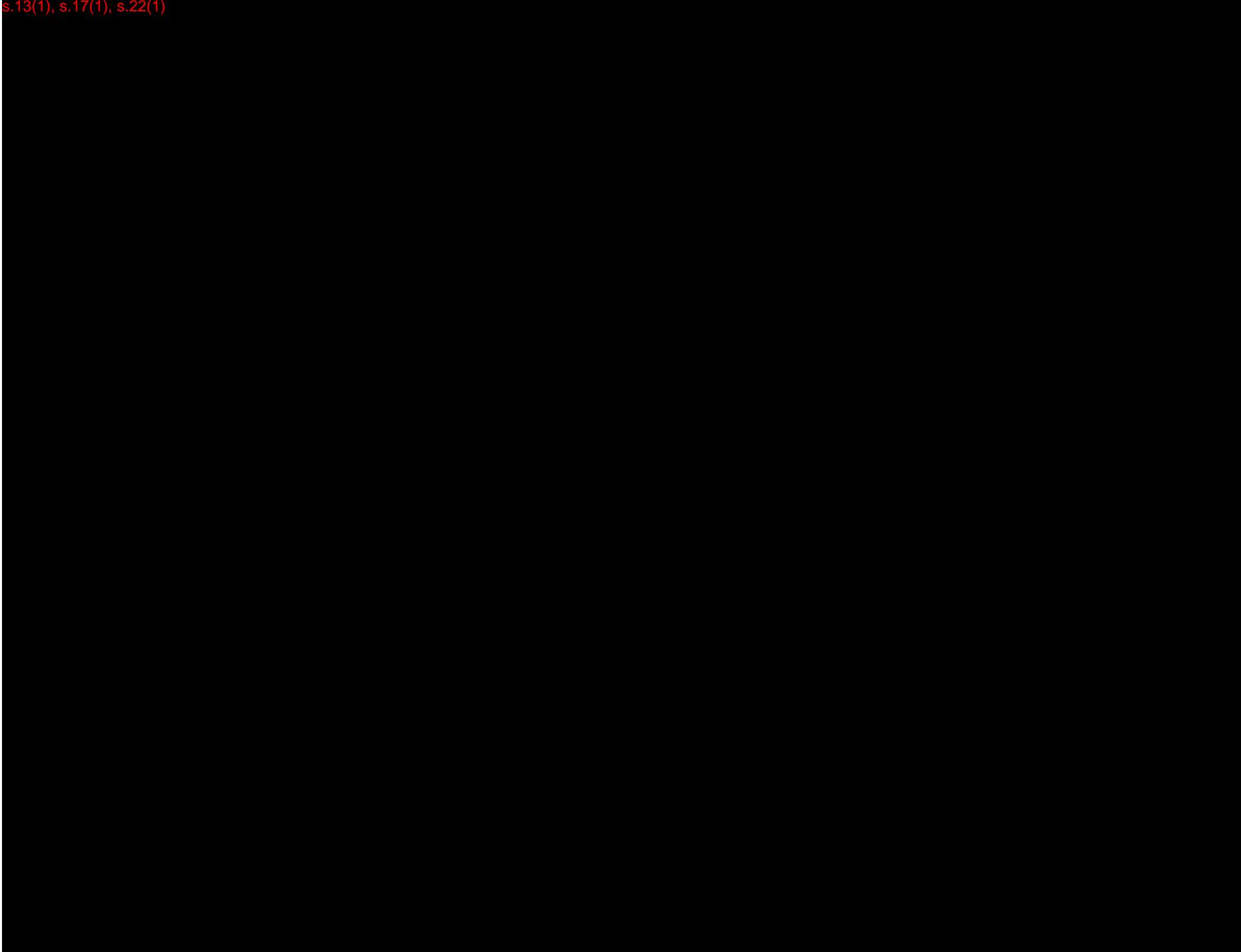
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4-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
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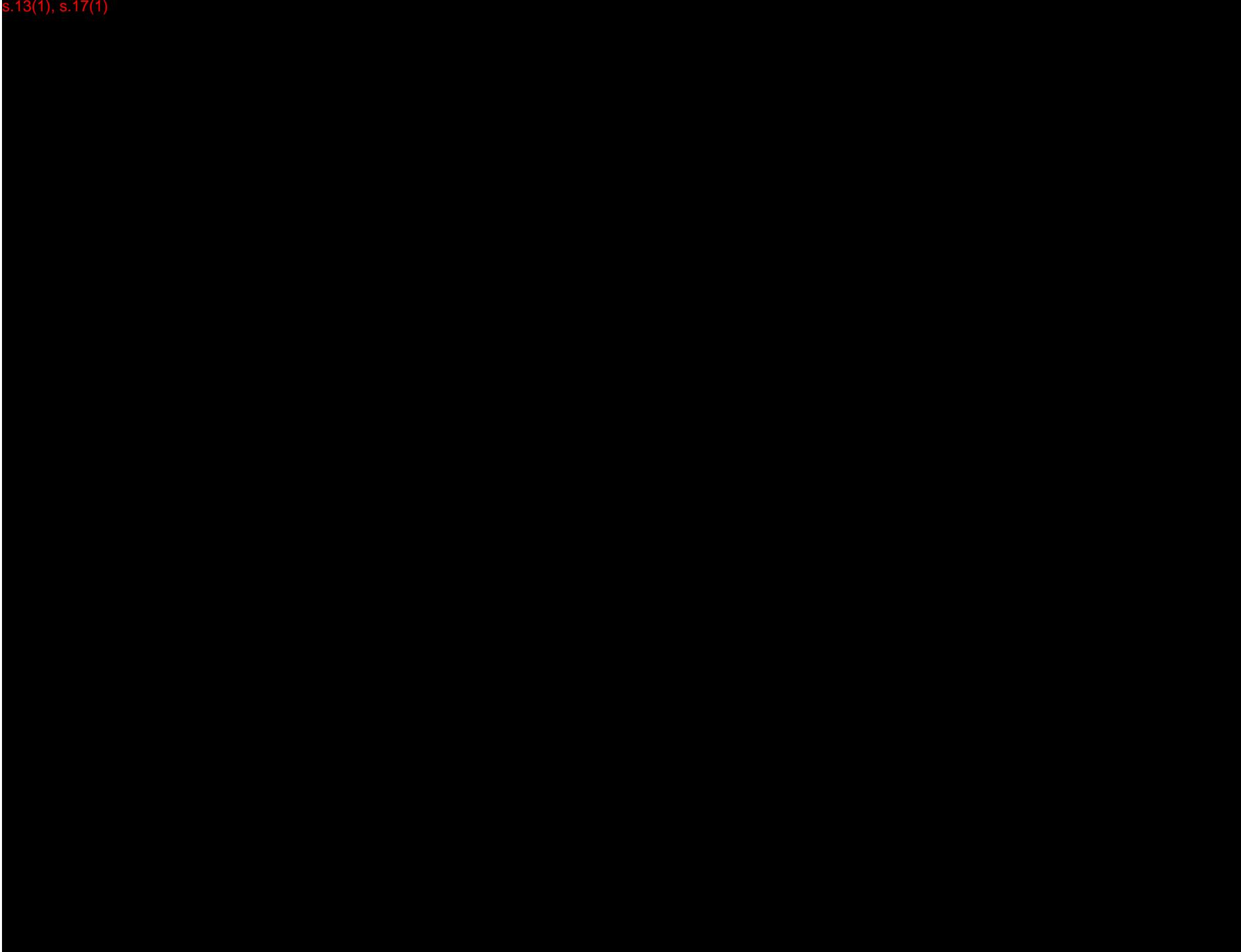
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5-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
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	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
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Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
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	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

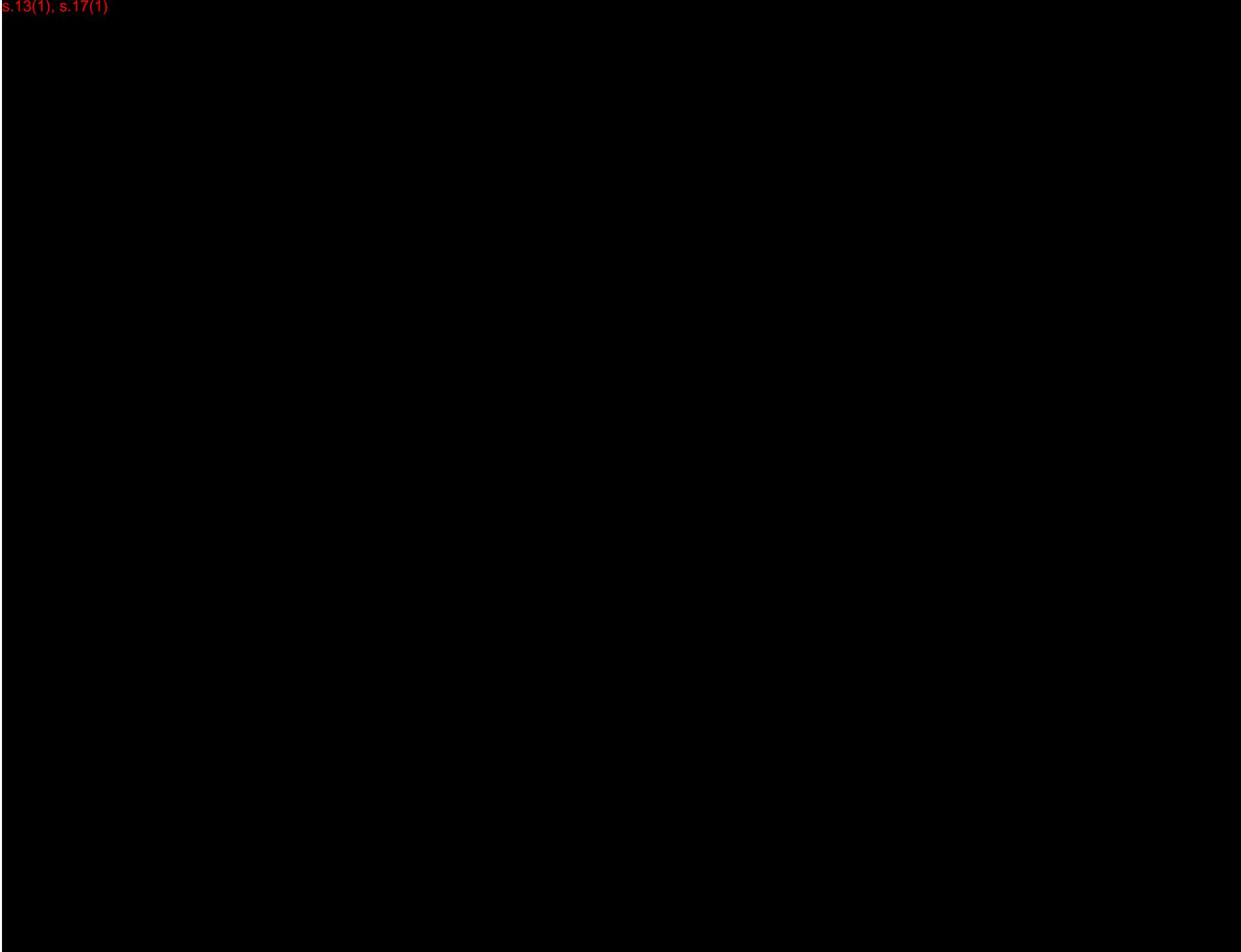
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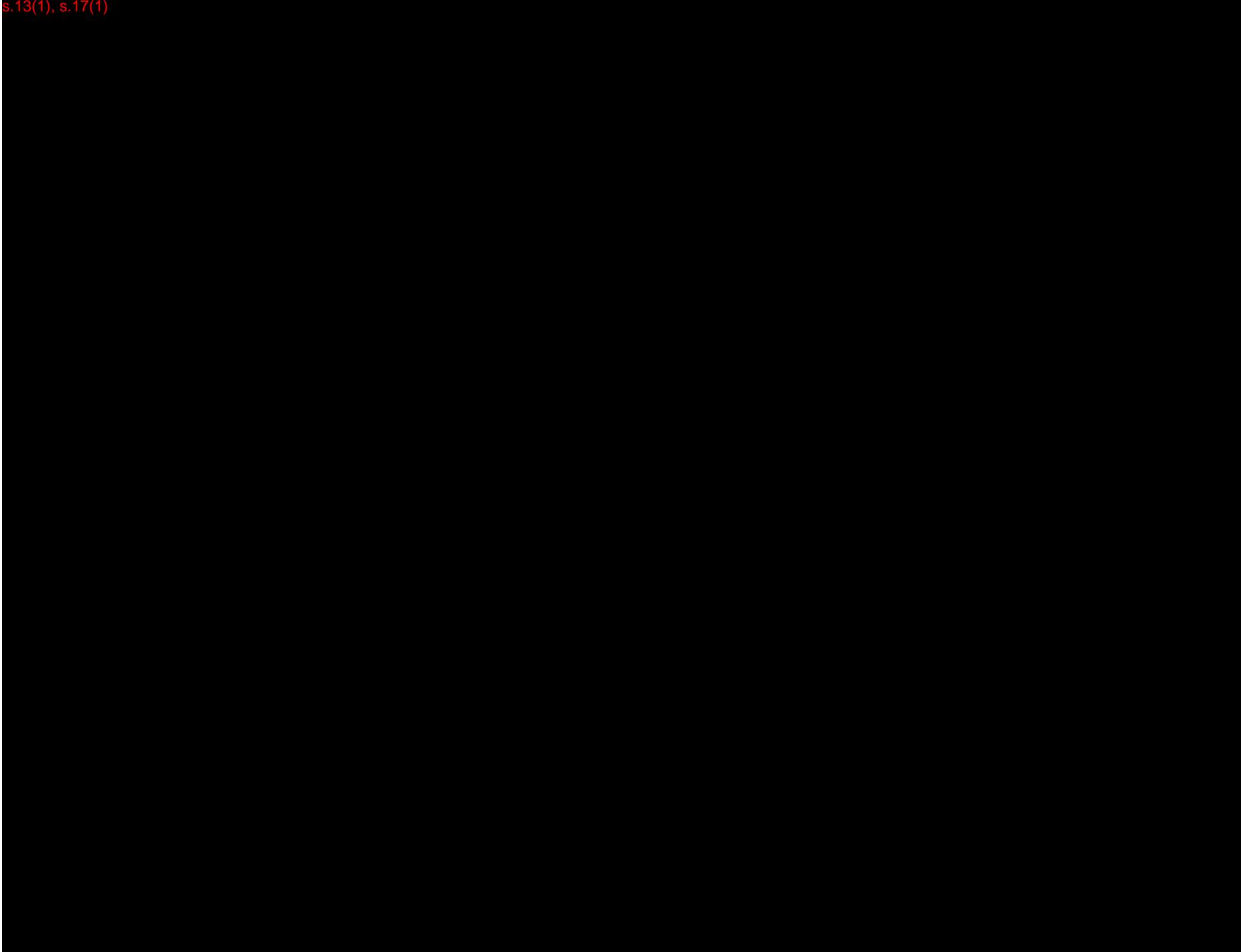
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Good afternoon everyone,
At 1530hrs today, HEMBC attended the NE PREOC Coordination Call in response to the current wildfire situation. Updates as follows (New information in Red. Previous information in Black)

Environment and Climate Change Canada

- Temperatures are moderating across the province and away from recent extreme heat in the North (mid teens)
- Northwest Stikine/Dease Lake area expected heavy precipitation and thunderstorms
- Potential thunderstorms in Prince George and Peace Region
- A convective thunderstorm system is currently moving through the Northeast today and into Friday (including the Fort Nelson, North Rockies & Muncho Lake).
- Severe thunderstorm watch for: Peace River, Yellowhead, Cariboo Mountains, North Columbias
- Main hazards include lightning and heavy downpours
- High pressure system today, extreme heat to continue today and tomorrow with some cooling Thursday and Friday. Showers and Risk of thunderstorms on Wednesday and Thursday in the North East. With this heat – lag time of 3 or 4 days for effect of the heat on individuals as well as environment.

River Forecast Centre

- Maintaining Flood Warning for Upper Fraser East, specifically in McBride
- High Streamflow Advisories for: Quesnel, North Thompson, Liard (NEW)
- Both the Dore and Fraser River at Red Pass appear to have peaked
- Rain remains a concern and could cause systems to peak again , or recession to slow, depending on how much and how widespread
- Will remain vulnerably high over next 10 days
- Flood Warning – Upper Fraser River (UPGRADED)
- The River Forecast Centre is upgrading to a Flood Warning for the Upper Fraser River including: Upper Fraser River including the Robson Valley and areas from Sinclair Mills upstream to Torpy, Dome Creek, Dore River, McBride and surrounding tributaries
- High Streamflow Advisory – Quesnel River

Prince George Fire Centre

- Lightning overnight. Rain has improved fire situation in NE
- Expected downgrading of Evacuation Order upon conversation with the Peace River Regional District (pending)
- New lightning caused fire in Tumbler Rudge area (not concerning, but limited resources to assign may cause further future concern)
- New fire South of Vanderhoof. Failed attempts to suppress and expected to grow in size with future concerns. No structures or population affects at this time and further investigation is pending
- Lightning overnight – received a number of fires from those event – significant fire behavior, as many resources on as possible – **2 fires of note**
- G9120 – Fort Nelson south of Trutch – 100 hectares in size at Hwy 97 Rank 5 – impact Hwy 97 north soon.
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Highway 97 Both Directions

Highway 97, in both directions. Forest fire between Sikanni Chief Rd and Prophet River Sub Rd for 59.3 km (112 km north of Wonowon to 114 km south of Fort Nelson). Road closed. Next update time Wed Jun 30 at 9:00 AM MST. Last updated Tue Jun 29 at 4:13 PM MST. (DBC-31007)

Urgent concerns: Tuesday, June 29 – Fire and Flood information

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Date: Thursday July 01 2021 5:44:31 PM
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Cc: "Romanas, Amy [PHSA]" , "Lavery, John [PHSA]" , "HEMBC, North"

Good evening,

Please be advised that Fire G80997, has received 30mm of rain in the last 24hrs and while out of control the risk to residents has diminished to the point that they may return home. The existing Evacuation order has been rescinded and an Alert has replaced it. The Alert south of the Bucking Horse River to Sikane Chief River has also been rescinded. State of Local Emergency has been canceled at this time.

Thank you for everyone's efforts and collaboration during this event.

HEMBC will continue to monitor for any potential deterioration or actions prior to issuing a final notification.

Kind regards,

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Cc: Romanas, Amy ; Lavery, John ; HEMBC, North

Subject: Update #9- North Peace Fires

Good afternoon everyone,

At 1530hrs today, HEMBC attended the NE PREOC Coordination Call in response to the current wildfire situation. Updates as follows (New information in Red. Previous information in Black)

Environment and Climate Change Canada

- Temperatures are moderating across the province and away from recent extreme heat in the North (mid teens)
- Northwest Stikine/Dease Lake area expected heavy precipitation and thunderstorms
- Potential thunderstorms in Prince George and Peace Region
- A convective thunderstorm system is currently moving through the Northeast today and into Friday (including the Fort Nelson, North Rockies & Muncho Lake)
- Severe thunderstorm watch for: Peace River, Yellowhead, Cariboo Mountains, North Columbias
- Main hazards include lightning and heavy downpours
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River Forecast Centre

- Maintaining Flood Warning for Upper Fraser East, specifically in McBride
- High Streamflow Advisories for: Quesnel, North Thompson, Liard (NEW)
- Both the Dore and Fraser River at Red Pass appear to have peaked
- Rain remains a concern and could cause systems to peak again, or recession to slow, depending on how much and how widespread
- Will remain vulnerably high over next 10 days
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- Prince George Fire Centre**
 - Lightening overnight Rain has improved fire situation in NE
 - Expected downgrading of Evacuation Order upon conversation with the Peace River Regional District (pending)
 - New lightening caused fire in Tumbler Rudge area (not concerning, but limited resources to assign may cause further future concern)
 - New fire South of Vanderhoof Failed attempts to suppress and expected to grow in size with future concerns No structures or population affects at this time and further investigation is pending
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Cariboo Fire Centre

- 40-45 fires currently on the books from 100 Mile to Quesnel area
- 2 fires adjacent to Prince George from Quesnel and winds shifting could impact movement towards Prince George/Quesnel border No concerns at this time Further investigation pending

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Next Call: Friday July 2 1530hrs

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Subject: RE: Update #8 - North Peace Fires - EVACUATION ORDER ISSUED and Alert issued

FYI: Evacuation order still in place from previous email and now including an alert close to the area as well

Please see the attached alert also for this fire and affecting the following areas:

South of the Buckinghorse River including 11km on the eastern side and 5km on the western side of Highway 97N

➤ North of the Sikanni Chief River including 11km on the eastern side and 5km on the western side of Highway 97N

➤ Including Sikanni Chief Road and PDR 156 Road

Please see the attached Evacuation Order issued for the North Peace area Areas affected are as such:

- 1.5 kms on either side of HIGHWAY 97N South of Mile 202 to Mile 190
- 5km west of highway 97N and 25km East of Highway 97N from mile 190 south to Buckinghorse River Bridge either side of the Alaska Highway 97N

This is a developing situation, however at this time the Prophet River, Blueberry First Nation and Halfway River First Nation communities are not part of the alert of order

Further updates will be sent to you as they come in

Thank you

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The Peace River Regional District just declared a State of Local Emergency for electoral area B in the Peace River area. There has been no change to evac alerts along Highway 97 or any communities in the area at this time.

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Subject: RE: Update #5- NE HSDA and NI HSDA - HWY 97 North closures due to fire - Evacuation Alert issued

Yesterday's information in **black**, today's update in **red**

The **NorthEast PREOC** called a coordination call at 1530 hours today. Updates are as follows:

Environment Canada: West of Williston Lake expecting thunderstorms today, concerns for tonight and tomorrow with thunder and lightning, winds expected and rain with hail.

Tomorrow north part of northeast region in peace area , Muncho Lake area expecting rain, thunderstorms expected.

Prince George Fire Centre: expecting lightning into Van Jam, Mackenzie and PG – between 1800-2200 hours. Do not think lightning will not be as intense as first forecasted.

3 Fires of Note

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G811007- south of G80997- 22 hectares no crew son fire – assessing at this time. Looking at putting in guards.

G91020 – Fort Nelson area – off Hwy 97 – 2500 hectares – no crew on fire – assessing at this time.

All fires are impacting Hwy 97 North – intermittent road closures – closed during day , patrols during night and patrol cars to open intermittently.

Evacuation alert in place – no pending need to put that into an order. No evacuation alerts or orders in place for any communities at this time.

Focus will be on communities and infrastructure

Cariboo Fire Centre: not expecting any lightning tonight in the Quesnel zone as once thought. 1600-2100 anticipating lightning in Williams Lake area and along Highway 97.

River Forecast Centre: Main weather – heat driving forecast – cooler, but hotter causing snow melt at a high rate. Rain and thunderstorm warming for McBride and PG areas – concern in McBride as Fraser already high, some concern for the Dore River to rise as well. McBride area and upstream - Flood Watch.

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Issued Tuesday June 29 21:37 hours

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https://pprd.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/post/evacuation-alert-1-north-peace-fires/Evacuation-ALERT-2019-06-29-@-2100_Signed.pdf

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Please find attached Health System Wildfire Situation Report #02. For ease, I have taken a screen

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Wildfire 2021
Situation Report #2
Health Emergency Coordination Centre
Ministry of Health

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Please direct any questions to me for follow up.

Thank you,

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I respectfully acknowledge the unceded territories of the Songhees, Esquimalt and WSÁNEC peoples'.

OVERVIEW

PURPOSE:

- The Ministry of Health wildfire situation report provides consolidated information on health system impacts and response for Ministry executive and partners
- To ensure situational awareness across the provincial health system response structure, situation reports will be produced daily by the Emergency Management Unit

DATE ISSUED: **Wednesday, June 2, 2021**

PREPARED BY: MoH EMU

REPORTING PERIOD: **Information current as of 2300hrs on Thursday, July 1, 2021**

NEXT REPORT: **Monday, July 5, 2021**

HECC ACTIVATION LEVEL: **1**

NOTE:

Given the dynamic nature of the provincial wildfire situation, the following information is subject to change after this report is distributed. Any significant developments will be communicated sooner as necessary. **Key information is provided in red**

SITUATION REPORT SECTIONS:

HIGHLIGHTS	SUPPORTING INFORMATION
<ul style="list-style-type: none">PROVINCIAL SITUATION SUMMARYSIGNIFICANT HEALTH SYSTEM IMPACTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">HEALTH AUTHORITY SUMMARIES

PROVINCIAL HEALTH SYSTEM CONTACTS:

- Emergency inquiries impacting the BC Provincial Health System can be directed to the 24/7 Provincial Health Duty Officer (PHDO):
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0930, 2 July 2021

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Quick Facts – Provincial Wildfire Situation

Active fires: 117

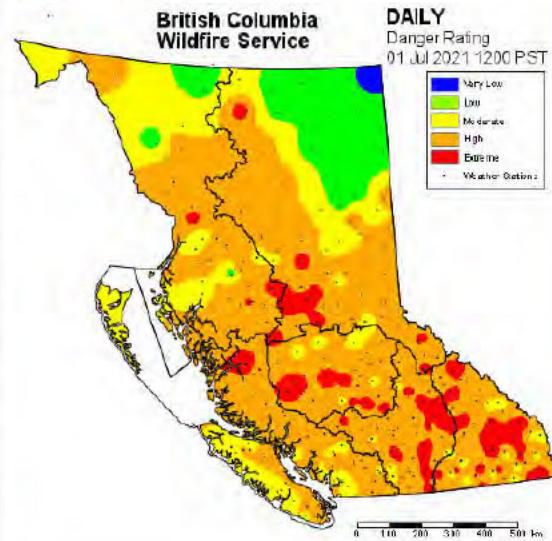
New fires in the last 24hrs: 46

Fires of Note: 7

**Total individuals (under Evacuation Order):
1,964**

**Total individuals (under Evacuation Alert):
524**

Reception Centres: 5



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- Unprecedented call volumes: 1,700-1,900 is normal range. Over the past 6 days the call volume has surpassed 2,200 calls with a high of over 3,000 calls on June 28.

HEALTH AUTHORITY SUMMARY:

NOTE: Currently receiving SITREPS from the following. Northern Health, Interior Health, and BCEHS. Updates from other health system organizations are being provided through HEMBC network

Interior Health Authority (as of July 1, 2020 SITREP)

Impacts:

- Evacuations have occurred in Kamloops (rescinded) and in Castlegar (ongoing).
- s.22(1) [REDACTED] still unaccounted for from Lytton evacuation, attempts being made to establish contact.
- Castlegar Health Centre is providing reduced
- Coordinating with evacuation efforts for the Village of Lytton, and three smaller evacuations North of Kamloops (1) and North of Lillooet (2).
- Loss of St. Bartholomew Medical Centre in Lytton.
- Loss of Ambulance station and one ambulance in Lytton.
- Presumed loss of Interior Health Assisted Living Facility (assumption)

Mitigations:

- Health authority EOC activated
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 - Trucks are on hand to move beds and other equipment.
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- Assisted living patients moved from Lytton: s.22(1) [REDACTED]

IH requests for support from HECC or other provincial agencies

Date	Request
July 1, 2021	No requests at this time

Click or tap to enter a date.

Northern Health Authority (as of July 1, 2021 SITREP)

Impacts:

- Wildfire burning south of Vanderhoof, evacuations expected soon.
- Some McBride Hospital staff have been impacted by flooding events in the area.
- Several wildfires in region may impact communities in future.

Mitigations:

- **Executive leadership EOC has been activated**
- Fort St. John hospital EOC is activated.
- Communications with communities near wildfires is underway.

NHA requests for support from HECC or other provincial agencies

Date	Request
July 1, 2021	No requests at this time

BCEHS (as of July 1, 2021 SITREP)

Impacts:

- **Loss of ambulance station and one ambulance in Lytton.**
- **Severe impacts due to heat-related calls overwhelming system.**
- **Issues with coroner and police services not being able to attend deceased persons calls, tying up crews for extended periods.**
- **Heat has impacted infrastructure integrity and vehicle performance, making helicopter and fixed wing aircraft landing impossible on some landing surfaces in and in some communities.**
- **Shortages of oxygen, cold packs, IV fluid.**

Mitigations:

- **Resource planning for the Sea to Sky corridor is underway in anticipation of potential wildfire impacts in the Lillooet area. Lillooet Hospital is currently pre-emptively evacuating patients.**
- EOC activated.
- Clinical lead (PRU), Manager and 2 Basic Life Support units are located at the Muster Point at Boston Bar. Standing-by on a rotation to provide support to Lytton.
- Local crews will be doing the standby in Lytton and Vancouver crews will be supporting the 911 calls in the region.
- Vancouver Dispatch center providing support to Kamloops Dispatch centre.
- Implementation of additional pathways for low acuity, ambulatory, patients to access health care (i.e. Use of taxi service).

PHSA requests for support from HECC or other provincial agencies

Date	Request
July 1, 2021	No requests at this time

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[Cooling-requests-heat-response-2021-07-02.xlsx](#)
[MHSU client extreme heat - July 2 2021.xlsx](#)
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*Given the current situation, the EOC is planning to stand down Monday with an escalation process in place for the weekend and a final check-in meeting Monday at 11:30 → **s.22(1)** [REDACTED] is Tier 2 on-call for the weekend and will trigger an Urgent EOC if needed.*

Good afternoon,

Please find attached the **FH LTC EOC Extreme Heat Situation Report** with the accompanying documents:

- Action plan
- Cooling request and inventory deployed spreadsheet
- MHSU client mortality spreadsheet
- Staffing snapshot
- Extreme heat status and action plan

This report is intended to enhance situational awareness across FH, is for internal purposes only, and not for broad circulation. Given the dynamic nature of the situation, the information is subject to change.

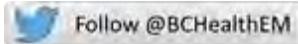
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Situation Report**004****Structure**

Fraser Health EOC: Extreme Heat

Purpose

The virtual Emergency Operations Centre is intended to support a coordinated response to the extreme heat experienced regionally and the associated health impacts in long-term care, assisted living, independent living, and community settings for home health, home support, and mental health substance use.

Background

Starting June 25, 2021 the criteria for calling an extreme heat alert was met. High temperatures in the following days requires close monitoring of clients, residents, patients, and staff. While temperatures cooled slightly, a Heat Alert is active until a period of cooling has been observed.

Operational period

07/02/2021

Next report

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Prepared by HEMBC – Tasha Kara
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Situation summary and priorities**Situation summary**

Cumulative report (June 25 – July 1); change is reflected in (+)

Area		Client deaths	Clients sent to ED
Home Health & Home Support	Burnaby	s.22(1)	
	New Westminster		
	Tri-Cities		
	Langley		
	Surrey/Gateway		
	Chilliwack		
	Maple Ridge		
	Abbotsford		
	Mission		
	White Rock/South Delta		
Total - HH & HS		32	99
Area		Licensed	Supported Housing
MHSU	Burnaby	s.22(1)	
	Tri-Cities		
	Surrey/Gateway		
	Hope		
	Maple Ridge		
LTC	s.22(1)		
Total - MHSU / LTC		22	
Total deaths		54	

Key achievements

- Given the decrease in red and orange sites, the EOC is planning to stand down Monday with an escalation process in place for the weekend and a final check-in meeting Monday at 11:30 → s.22(1) is Tier 2 on-call for the weekend and will trigger an Urgent EOC if needed
- Ongoing communications to staff; fanned out extreme heat poster to independent living, physician memo, and guidance on hyperdermoclysis
- Despite unprecedented high ambulance volumes and admissions, the volumes are not associated with LTC facilities indicating the sites are able to stay cool
- Despite shortage of cooling units across the region, priority sites continue to receive AC units as well as industrial fans (>155 fans and 6 AC to date!!!)
- Despite highest number of ED visits in FH history, managing ok and status is improving
- Site assessments completed; no new sites identified and most sites reporting cooling in facilities
- KYI on “Coping with Air Pollution”
- St. John Ambulance providing great support to Burnaby Hospital emergency department

Key Priorities

- Seasonal readiness working group will be established effective Monday, July 5 to review lessons learned and implement actions immediately to support extreme weather emergency preparedness planning
- Planning for potential impacts of wildfire smoke/poor air quality in combination with heat; reviewing plans and sharing communications on preventive actions

Supporting information and attachments

- Action log
- Extreme heat status and action plan
- Cooling request and inventory deployed spreadsheet
- MHSU client info spreadsheet
- Staffing snapshot

Area Status updates

Public Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Though temperatures are decreasing, they are still higher than the national average Concerns raised regarding potential compounded impacts of heat with wildfire smoke/poor air quality; recommendation to start planning ahead HEMBC will update Municipal Heat Plan Community Summary from July 2018
BCEHS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> s.13(1), s.17(1) • [REDACTED] • [REDACTED]
Access & Flow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • [REDACTED] • [REDACTED] • Admits to ED are starting to reduce, but still unprecedented • 1/3 patients admitted due to heat-related issues • Critical Care capacity at 98% (-2%)
LTC AL CC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Response leads mobilized to sites that are identified as high risk KYI developed and ready for distribution to providers Town Hall planned for Monday in response to planning for air quality and reviewing the associated risks s.13(1), s.22(1) Deploying clinical teams to priority sites; sites are doing much better overall (more in green) Redeployed licencing to support sites Site assessments completed; no new sites identified and most sites reporting cooling in facilities Exploring options to install more cooling units and air purifiers as an effective mitigation measure for heat and wildfire smoke
Staffing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No staffing concerns presently; all staff that requested staffing have received support Continuing to advise sites that are in need to submit an official request
Licensing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> s.13(1), s.17(1) 2 new complaints re: heat → following up with Jackman and Dufferin
Home Health-Home Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> s.13(1) Updating documentation in PARIS to support reports related to extreme weather events Initiating emergency preparedness and sustainable planning for the summer and beyond
Communications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing communications package to support IL sites Fanned out extreme heat poster to independent living & partners (BC Care Providers), physician memo sent, and guidance on hyperdermoclysis No new media inquiries Working to develop communications on preventive actions for wildfire/air quality preparedness Teams link to be set up to house posters, etc. for ease of pulling for the season
MHSU	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> s.13(1) Refer to spreadsheet for more details pertaining to deaths

Action Plan

#	Relates to	Action	Priority	Assigned to	Date assigned	Due date	Status	Comments
E-029	Emergency management	HEMBC to share information on cooling centre plans status from local governments with Dr Aamir Bharmal	Medium	Mark Phillips	1-Jul-21		In progress	2021-07-02 HEMBC to reach out to municipality to confirm heat plans
E-033	Operations	Consider air quality and future heat events before removing any cooling system supplies and measures	High	FH EOC	1-Jul-21		In progress	
E-030	Emergency management	Start planning for seasonal hazards (i.e. heat, wildfire/air quality); programs to review/update plans for air quality and briefed on upcoming conditions (i.e. Kathy to reach out to community respiratory program); Comms to develop proactive messages on air quality	Medium	Kathleen O'Connor, HEMBC, David Thompson, Shannon Henderson	1-Jul-21		In progress	2021-07-02 Meeting this afternoon for respiratory team; Shannon developing public messaging; KYI for AL in progress
E-031	Operations, Access & Flow	s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	James Towle, Dr Rich Dillon, Dr Craig Murray	1-Jul-21		In progress	2021-07-02 s.13(1), s.17(1)
E-032	Communications	Communications to set up a Sharepoint site to support coordination and access to resources related to extreme heat and wildfire / air quality response	Medium	Shannon Henderson	1-Jul-21		In progress	2021-07-02 MS teams set up in progress
E-027	Finanncce	Finance to provide update on PO status	High	Harjit Gill	30-Jun-21	5-Jul-21	In progress	
E-028	Finanncce	Harjit to reconcile list of cooling units that were delivered by Cool-air to sites	High	Harjit Gill	30-Jun-21	5-Jul-21	In progress	2021-07-01 PO being set up for new vendors; as units are added or returned, can be adjusted on PO
E-012	Operations	Mitch Weimer to follow up with Carelife Fleetwood and Czorny site leadership and provide update at 16:00 meeting	High	Mitch Weimer	29-Jun-21		Closed	stabilizing 2021-06-29 Continue to watch Langley, MRTC and Fleetwood
E-022	Facilities	Facilities to initiate meeting re: long-term preparedness and cooling procurement for sites	Medium	Martin Wright, Suzanne Fox	30-Jun-21		Closed	
E-024	Access & Flow	Rich s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	Rich Dillon	30-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-30 s.13(1), s.17(1)
E-026	Communications	Sarika and Shannon to develop communications for IL sites	High	Sarika Choy, Shannon Henderson	30-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-30 Sent for review; Susan to distribute
E-001	Operations	HEMBC, Michael Schenkers, and FMO to determine plan for renting coolers - Angela to determine how many coolers can be rented	High	Mitch Weimer, Michael Schenkers, HEMBC	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Cool-air, HEMBC point of contact 2021-06-28 Mark Phillips and Michael Schenkers to connect re: additional AC units for sites; Angela connected with Cool-air; requests are in process of being filled > HEMBC to circulate list
E-002	Communications	Set up 14:30 Town Hall	High	David Thompson, Susan Brown	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-28 s.13(1), s.17(1)
E-003	Operations	s.13(1)	High	Dr. Bharmal, Susan Brown, David Thompson	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-004	Operations	s.13(1)	High	Oona Kerwin	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-28 As needed
E-005	Operations		High	Angela Mitchell	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Spreadsheet attached 2021-06-29 s.13(1) 2021-06-28 Angela, David, and Susan to re-prioritize sites
E-006	Communications	Shannon to send template letter to Suzanne, Kathy, and Naseem for review and distribute to families	High	Shannon Henderson	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-007	IPAC, Communications	Cheryl Beach to send updated PPE messaging to home health and home support	High	Cheryl Beach	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-008	Operations	Susan Brown to circulate resources (town hall deck, and accompanying document to EOC)	High	Susan Brown	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Circulated to providers; will be circulated to EOC today
E-009	Operations	Becky to forward email to Angela Mitchell to coordinate cooling for MHSU building	High	Becky Doherty	28-Jun-21		Closed	
E-010	Operations	Mark Phillips to share St. John Ambulance contact with Rich Dillon	High	Mark Phillips, Rich Dillon	29-Jun-21		Closed	

Action Plan

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E-011	Communications	Shannon Henderson to alert Suzanne Fox of any media inquiries	High	Shannon Henderson	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-013	Operations	Suzanne, Cheryl, and Sarika to connect offline re support for AL and IL sites	High	Suzanne Fox, Cheryl Beach, Sarika Choy	29-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 AL sites underway; connection needed for IL
E-014	IPAC, Communications	Meeting to review the temporary PPE measures	High	David Thompson, Susan Brown, Shannon Henderson, Dr. Bharmal, Petra Welsh	29-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-30 KYI distributed
E-015	Operations	Becky to ensure priority MHSU sites that require cooling are sent to Angela Mitchell; Mitch to follow up with sites	High	Becky Doherty, Angela Mitchell, Mitch Weimer	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-016	Home Health	Cheryl [REDACTED] s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	Cheryl Beach	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Action emailed
E-017	Home Health	Meryl McDowell [REDACTED] s.13(1), s.17(1)	High	Meryl McDowell	28-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-29 Action emailed
E-018	Operations	Cheryl to follow up with Christmas Manor IL	High	Cheryl Beach	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-019	Communications	Communication to LTC physician groups and DOFP re: heat wave and preventative measures (Suzanne and dr sandra derkach)	High	Suzanne Fox, Dr. Sandra Derkach	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-020	Operations	Becky and Angela to connect offline about standardized documents	High	Becky Doherty, Angela Mitchell	29-Jun-21		Closed	
E-021	Finance	Mark to inquire if the Emergency Program Act update issued by EMBC s.13(1)	High	Mark Phillips	29-Jun-21		Closed	2021-06-30 s.13(1)
E-023	Operations	Suzanne to provide update from Ministry meeting re: LTC-AL to MHO meeting at 13:30	High	Suzanne Fox	30-Jun-21		Closed	
E-025	Operations	s.13(1)	High	Angela Mitchell	30-Jun-21		Closed	

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understand

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A-001	Public Health	Create a line list	High	Dr Andrew Hurlbur
A-002	Supply	Place order for masks according to new masking guidelines	Medium	Angie Martinez
A-003	IPAC	Create a whiteboard with key messages for each day and place by front door	Low	Dr Titus Wong

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Assign priorities
High, Medium,
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	27-Oct-20	31-Oct-20	In progress	2020-10-30 Backordered; still have enough stock on hand for 2 months supply
	3-Nov-20	15-Nov-20	Closed	2020-11-14 Whiteboard ready for display

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Deployed inventory

Total 155

Oscillating / pedestal (Cool - Air)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Tabor Home	31944 Sunrise Crescent	Abbotsford	V2T 1N5	Dan Levitt	604-859-8715	12	
2	Hawthorne Seniors Care Community	2111 Hawthorne Ave	Port Coquitlam	V3C 1W3	Lenore Pickering	604-468-5003	10	
3	Kiwanis Care Centre	35 Clute Street	New Westminster	V3L 1Z5	Lorrie Gerrard	604-525-6471	12	
TOTAL							34	

Oscillating / pedestal (Rental Network)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Residents at Belvedere	750 Delestre Avenue	Coquitlam	V3K 0A1	Jennie Sapon	604-939-1930	4 drum, 2 pedestals	
2	Evergreen Heights	1501 Everal Street	White Rock	V4B 3R5	Caryn LaRose	604-541-3817	4 drum, 2 pedestals	
3	Fleetwood Place	16011 83rd Avenue	Surrey	V4N 0N2	Simone	604-590-6860	4 drum, 2 pedestals	
4	Jackman Manor	27477 28th Ave	Aldergrove	V4W 3L9	Dana		4 drum, 2 pedestals	
5	German Canadian Care Centre	2010 Harrison Drive	Vancouver	V5P 2P6	Jutta Purchase	604-713-6503	3 drum, 3 pedestals	
6	Lakeview Care Centre	3490 Porter St	Vancouver	V5N 5W4	Kim Huynh	604-499-3632	3 drum, 3 pedestals	
TOTAL							22	

Snail (United Rentals)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Argyll Lodge	14590 106A Ave	Surrey		Baljit Kandola	604 581-4174	10	
2	Willow Manor	6890 Vedder Rd	Chilliwack		Aman Grewal	604 846-0031	10	
4	Forglen Facility	5450 & 5452 Forglene Dr	Burnaby		Renay Bajkay	604 675-2322	10	
3	Murrayville Manor	21616 46th Ave	Langley		Lori Crowley	604 530-7714	10	
5	Maple Ridge Treatment Centre	22269 Callaghan Ave	Maple Ridge	V2X 2E2	Shannon Emery	604 614-8947	10	
TOTAL							50	

Ground fans (Sunbelt Rentals)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Belvedere Care Centre LTC	739 Alderson Avenue	Coquitlam	V3K 7B3	Anna Mae Clarke	604-939-5991	4	
2	Cartier House Care Centre AL	1419 Cartier Ave	Coquitlam	V3K 2C6	Carolina D. Reyes	604-939-4654 ext 2	4	
3	Hawthorne AL	2111 Hawthorne Avenue	Port Coquitlam	V3W 1W3	Lenore Pickering	604-468-5003	4	
4	Nikkei Home AL	6680 Southoaks Crescent	Burnaby	V5E 4N3	Tara		4	
5	Waverley Seniors AL	8445 Young Rd	Chilliwack	V2P 4P2	Kristle Castor	604-582-6337	4	
6	The Cedars AL	7380 Hurd Street	Mission	V2V 3H5	Maria Litjens	604-826-2194 ext 301	4	
TOTAL							24	

Ground fans (United Rentals)								
Priority	Home	Address	City	Postal	Contact	Phone	Fans	Notes
1	Evergreen Baptist (LTC)	1550 Oxford St	White Rock	V4B 3R5	Tami Johnson	778-233-5345	6	
2	Fleetwood Place	16011 83rd Avenue	Surrey	V4N 0N2	Suzanne Bush	604-825-1943	6	
3	George Derby Centre	7550 Cumberland St	Burnaby	V3N 4Z9	Ava Turner	778-846-4469	7	
4	Eden Care Centre	9100 Charles Street	Chilliwack	V2P 5K6	Joseph Sarthou	TBD	6	
5								
6								
TOTAL							25	

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

Summary	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths	20				

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

June 27-28	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
New Westminster	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Langley	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Chilliwack	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Hope	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Abbotsford	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Mission	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths			
	# of clients sent to ER			
	Other adverse events			
Total deaths per day	4			

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

29-Jun	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	9				

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

30-Jun	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths		s.22(1)		
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day		6			

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

1-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	1				

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

2-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

MHSU client extreme heat - July 2 2021
July 3

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

3-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

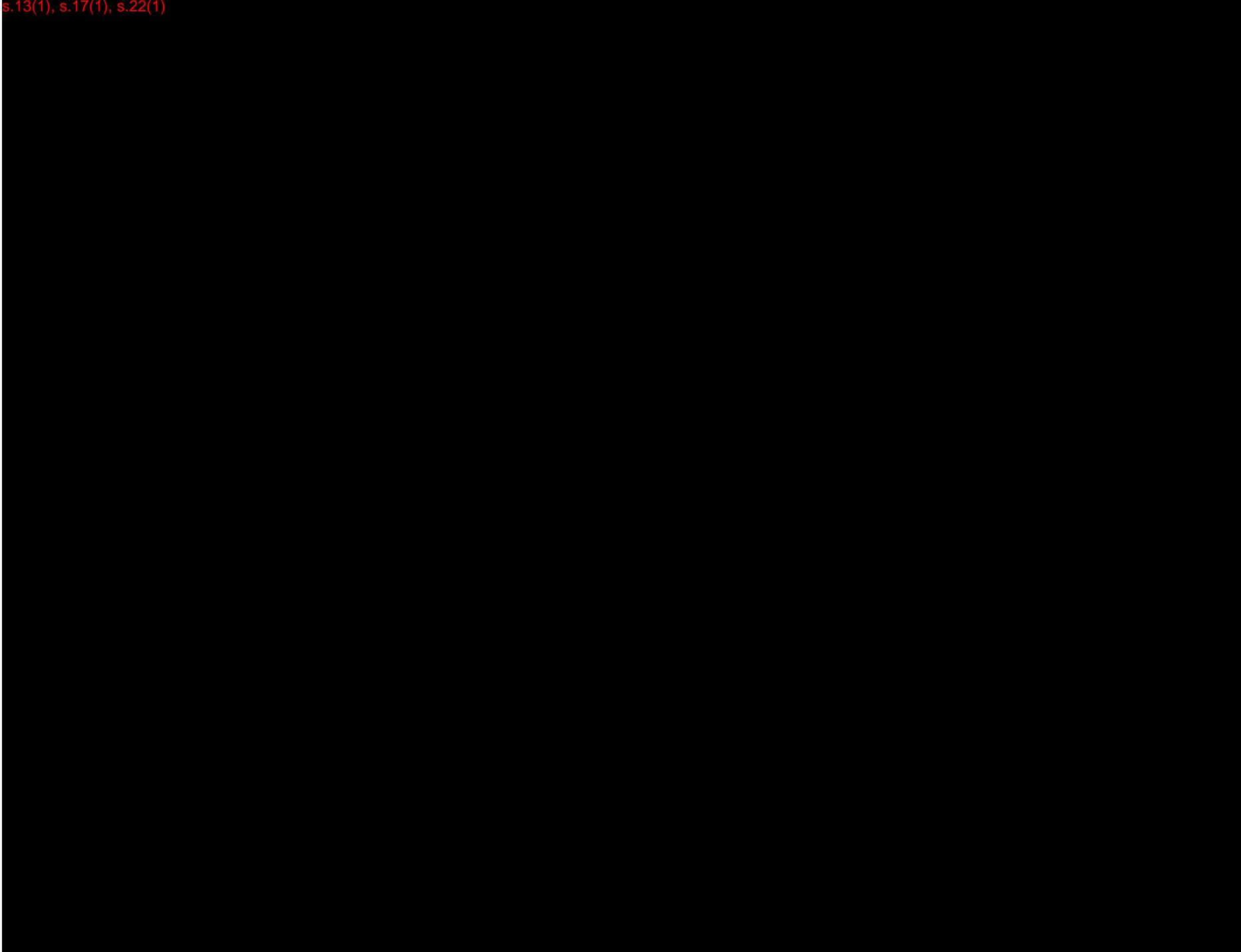
MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

4-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
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	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

MHSU client info during extreme heat wave - June/July 2021

5-Jul	Licensed	Assisted Living	MHSU Supported Housing	Living Independently	Shelter/Modular
Burnaby	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
New Westminster	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Tri-Cities	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Langley	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Surrey (Newton/Gateway)	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Chilliwack	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Hope	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Maple Ridge	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Abbotsford	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Mission	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
White Rock/South Delta	# of client deaths				
	# of clients sent to ER				
	Other adverse events				
Total deaths per day	0	0	0	0	0

s.13(1), s.17(1), s.22(1)



Fraser Health Authority
Summary of Actions Taken by Fraser Health (LTC Sites)
Last Updated July 1 - 8 pm

LTC HOME	COMMUNITY	AIR CONDITIONING	Actions Taken by Fraser Health Authority						NEW ADMISSIONS	RESIDENT DEATHS	CURRENT STATUS
			PROACTIVE TELEPHONE OUTREACH	FLAGGED FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPORT	CLINICAL OR LICENSING ASSESSMENT COMPLETED ON SITE	COOLING EQUIPMENT	STAFFING DEPLOYED (HYDRATION SUPPORT)				
Agassiz Seniors Community	s.13(1)									s.22(1)	s.13(1)
AgeCare Harmony Court Care Centre											
Baillie House											
Belvedere Care Centre											
Bevan Village											
Bradley Centre											
Brookside Lodge											
Buchanan Lodge											
CareLife Fleetwood											
Cartier House Care Centre											
Cascade Gardens Seniors Community											
Cascade Lodge											
Chartwell Carlton Care Residence											
Chartwell Crescent Gardens											
Chartwell Langley Gardens											
Cherrington Place											
Cottage Worthington Pavilion											
Czorny Alzheimer Centre											
Dania Home											
Dufferin Care Centre											
Eagle Ridge MaNor											
Eden Care Centre											
Evergreen Baptist Care Society											
Evergreen Hamlets											
Fair Haven Homes Burnaby Lodge											
Fellburn Care Centre											
Fleetwood Place											
Fort Langley Seniors Community											
Foyer Maillard											
Fraser Hope Lodge											
George Derby Centre											
Glenwood Seniors Community											
Good Samaritan Delta View Care Centre											
Guildford Seniors Village											
Hawthorne Seniors Care Community											
Heritage Village											

Extreme Heat Status and Action Plan - July 2
LTC

LTC HOME	COMMUNITY	AIR CONDITIONING	Actions Taken by Fraser Health Authority						NEW ADMISSIONS	RESIDENT DEATHS	CURRENT STATUS
			PROACTICE TELEPHONE OUTREACH	FLAGGED FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPORT	CLINICAL OR LICENSING ASSESSMENT COMPLETED ON SITE	COOLING EQUIPMENT	STAFFING DEPLOYED (HYDRATION SUPPORT)				
Hilton Villa Seniors Community	s.13(1)									s.22(1)	s.13(1)
Holyrood MaNor											
Jackman Manor											
Kinsmen Lodge											
KinVillage West Court											
Kiwanis Care Centre											
Lakeshore Care Centre											
Langley Lodge											
Laurel Place Care Centre											
LMH Long Term Care Home											
Maple Ridge Seniors Village											
Maplewood House											
MenNo Home											
Menno Hospital											
Morgan Place											
Mountain View MaNor											
MSA MaNor											
New Vista Care Home											
Nicola Lodge											
Normanna											
Northcrest Care Centre											
PAH Foundation Lodge											
PAH Long Term Care Home											
Peace Portal Seniors Village											
QPCC Long Term Care Home											
Rosemary Heights Seniors Village											
Royal City MaNor											
St. Michael's Centre											
Suncreek Village											
Suncrest Retirement Community											
Tabor Home											
The Harrison at Elim Village											
The Madison Care Centre											
The Mayfair Senior Living + Care											
The Oxford Senior Care											
The Residence at Clayton Heights											

Extreme Heat Status and Action Plan - July 2
LTC

LTC HOME	COMMUNITY	AIR CONDITIONING	Actions Taken by Fraser Health Authority						NEW ADMISSIONS	RESIDENT DEATHS	CURRENT STATUS
			PROACTICE TELEPHONE OUTREACH	FLAGGED FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPORT	CLINICAL OR LICENSING ASSESSMENT COMPLETED ON SITE	COOLING EQUIPMENT	STAFFING DEPLOYED (HYDRATION SUPPORT)				
The Residence at Morgan Heights	s.13(1)									s.22(1))	s.13(1)
The Residence in Mission											
Valhaven Rest Home											
Valleyhaven Retirement Community											
Waverly of Chilliwack											
West Shore Laylum at Suncrest											
White Rock Seniors Village											
William Rudd House											
Willingdon Care Centre											
Zion Park MaNor											

Fraser Health Authority**Summary of Actions Taken by Fraser Health (AL Sites)**

Last Updated July 1 - 8 pm

AL Home	COMMUNITY	AIR CONDITIONING	Actions Taken by Fraser Health Authority					NEW ADMISSIONS	CURRENT STATUS
			PROACTICE TELEPHONE OUTREACH	FLAGGED FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPORT	CLINICAL OR LICENSING ASSESSMENT COMPLETED ON SITE	COOLING DEPLOYED	STAFFING DEPLOYED (HYDRATION SUPPORT)		
Augustine House	s.22(1)								
Cascades Manor									
Cedars, The									
Courtyard Terrace									
Dania Manor									
Elim Village, The Emerald									
Evergreen Heights									
Evergreen Timbers									
Fleetwood Villa									
Freedom Place									
Gateway Independent Living for Seniors									
Glenwood Seniors Community									
Hallmark on the Park (Baptist)									
Hawthorne Seniors Care Community									
Kin Village - South Court									
Langley Seniors									
Liberty Place									
Menno Terrace East									
Morgan Heights									
Nikker Retirement Home									
PICS (Progressive Intercultural Community)									
Residences at Belvedere									
Riverside Manor									
Rosemary Heights									
Royal Crescent Gardens									
Seton Villa									
Sto:Lo Elders Lodge									
Swedish Canadian									
Tabor Court									
The Cedars Retirement Home									
Victoria Heights									
Waverley Seniors Home									

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Good Afternoon,

Please see the attached Situation Report for the CTL PREOC for **July 2, 2021**.

SITUATION REPORT 135 – Wildfire, Extreme Heat, Freshet

Central Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Centre (CTL PREOC)

SITUATION REPORT

Event: Central Region – Wildfire 2021, Freshet 2021

Date/Time Issued: [2021-07-02; 1430hrs](#)

EMBC Task # Wildfire 2021: 220359

EMBC Task # Extreme Heat 2021: 221336

EMBC Task # Freshet 2021: 220217

Operational Period: [2021-07-02; 0830hrs to 1630hrs \(or until required\)](#)

CTL PREOC Level: 2

Primary PREOC Email: preoc3.ops1@gov.bc.ca

Primary PREOC Phone: 250-312-6623

Primary PREOC Fax: 250-371-5246

Overall Regional Situation: Deteriorating

Activated EMBC Staff: [11](#) **Activated TEAMS:** [2](#)

The next Situation Report will be issued: [2021-07-03 at 1430hrs](#)

**** New information.**

1. KEY REGIONAL INFORMATION

Wildfire 2021

Juniper Ridge Fire

- On Thursday, July 1, 2021 lightning strikes caused a fire in between Juniper ridge and Valleyview in Kamloops
- City of Kamloops issued a tactical evacuation around 21:30 for 134 homes
- All evacuation orders were rescinded on July 2nd, 2021

Lytton Fire K71086

- Started within the Village of Lytton, discovered June 30th, 2021
- [6,400 ha Classified as Out of Control](#)
- Significant structure loss has been reported in the Village of Lytton, details yet to be confirmed

George Rd Fire K70804

- Approximately 7km south of Lytton, adjacent to Highway 1, discovered June 16th, 2021
- Estimated size 850 ha, classified as Out of Control
- Suspected to be human caused but is under investigation

McKay Creek Fire K21030

- Located 3 kilometers north of Lillooet, along West Pavilion Road, discovered June 29, 2021
- [Estimated size 22,000 ha, classified as Out of Control.](#)

Sparks Lake Fire K21001

- Located 15 km north of Kamloops Lake, discovered June 28, 2021
- [Estimated size 31,000 ha, classified as out of control.](#)
- Winds driving the fire Eastward. Visibility has improved today

Long Loch Wildfire K51040 & Derrickson Lake Wildfire K51041

- Located 18 km north of Big White
- [Estimated to be 1,300 ha combined](#), no structures or properties currently threatened

CTL PREOC Coordination Call Schedule

- Wildfire Coordination Calls:
- Friday, July 02 at 2000hrs
- Saturday, July 03 at 1100hrs.
- **COVID-19 Interior Health Coordination Call:** July 14, 2021 at 1300hrs PDT

Please send COVID-19 related questions for our speakers to preoc3.lia1@gov.bc.ca.

2. RIVER FORECAST CENTRE

-ISSUING a High Streamflow Advisory for the Fraser River from Chilcotin River confluence to Mission, including areas through the Fraser Canyon, Big Bar, and Hope

WEATHER FORECAST JULY 2, 2021

Weather forecasts from Environment Canada: <https://weather.gc.ca>

Kamloops

Today: Mainly sunny. Widespread smoke. Wind becoming west 20 km/h early this afternoon. High 33. Humidex 37. UV index 10 or very high.

Tonight: A few clouds. Widespread smoke. Wind west 20 km/h becoming light this evening. Low 18.

Saturday, July 3: A mix of sun and cloud. Widespread smoke. Wind becoming east 20 km/h near noon. High 34. Humidex 35. UV index 9 or very high.

Night: Cloudy periods with 30 percent chance of showers. Low 18.

Sunday, July 4: A mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers. High 33.

Monday, July 5: Cloudy periods with 30 percent chance of showers. Low 18.

Lillooet

Today: Mainly sunny. Local smoke. Wind becoming southwest 20 km/h this afternoon. High 34. UV index 10 or very high.

Tonight: A few clouds. Local smoke. Wind southwest 20 km/h becoming light this evening. Low 18.

Saturday, July 3: Sunny. Becoming a mix of sun and cloud in the afternoon. Local smoke. High 34. UV index 9 or very high.

Night: Clear. Low 19.

Sunday, July 4: Sunny. High 31.

Monday, July 5: Clear. Low 16.

Penticton

Today: Sunny early this afternoon then a mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers this

afternoon. Risk of a thunderstorm this afternoon. Local smoke. Wind becoming north 20 km/h early this afternoon. High 35. Humidex 38. UV index 10 or very high.

Tonight: Clear. Local smoke. Wind north 20 km/h becoming light this evening. Low 19.

Saturday, July 3: Sunny in the morning then a mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers in the afternoon. Risk of a thunderstorm in the afternoon. Local smoke. High 34. Humidex 36. UV index 9 or very high.

Night: Cloudy periods with 30 percent chance of showers. Low 17.

Sunday, July 4: A mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers. High 32.

Monday, July 5: Cloudy periods. Low 17.

3. LOCAL AUTHORITIES and FIRST NATIONS, EOC LEVEL, STATUS

- **Total Active EOCs: 32**

- **Total Active EOCs for Wildfire: 7**

- **Total Active EOCs for Extreme Heat: unknown**

- **Total States of Local Emergencies due to Freshet: 1 (CSRD)**

Wildfire 2021

Nicomem Indian Band

- **Incident:** Lytton Fire K71086

- **Alerts:**

- **Orders:** Nicomen Indian Band issued an evacuation order on June 30th, 2021

- **State of Local Emergency:**

District of Lillooet

- **Incident:** Lytton Fire K71086

- **Alerts:**

- **Orders:**

- **State of Local Emergency:**

- **EOC activated in support of evacuated residents from the Lytton Fire**

Cayoose Creek Band (Sekw'el'was)

- **Incident:** Lytton fire K71086

- **Alerts:** Cayoose Creek Band issued an evacuation alert for Cayoose – Sekw'el'was, Texas Creek Rd, Pashilqua No. 2, Pashilqua No. 2A, Cayoose Creek No. 1

- **Orders:**

- **State of Local Emergency:**

Ts'kw'aylaxw First Nation

- **Incident:** McKay Creek Fire

- **Alerts:**

- **Orders:** 1 Ts'kw'aylaxw First Nation issued an evacuation order for Pavilion IR#1 on July 1, 2021

- **State of Local Emergency:** On July 1st, 2021 Ts'kw'aylaxw First Nation declared a SOLE, which will expire on July 15th, 2021

Cook's Ferry Indian Band

- **Incident:** Lytton Wildfire (K71086)

- **Alerts: 1**

- Cook's Ferry Indian Band issued an Evacuation Alert for on June 30th for IR's 1, 3, 4b, 4c, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 11a, 16, 17, 18, and 19

- **Orders:**

- State of Local Emergency:

Skeetchestn Indian Band

- Incident: Sparks Lake Wildfire (K21001)

- Alerts: 1

- Skeetchestn Indian Band issued an Evacuation Alert for on June 30th for IR#0 and IR#1

- Orders:

- State of Local Emergency: 1

- Band Council Resolution on June 30th to authorize a SOLE.

Thompson-Nicola Regional District (TNRD) Task # 220351 EOC level: 1

- Incident: 210256 Sparks Lake Wildfire (K21001)

- Alerts: 2

- 287 properties in electoral Areas "E" and "O"

- 298 properties in the Loon Lake and Hihium Lake areas in Electoral Areas E and J.

- Orders: 3

- 136 properties in Electoral Area "E" and Area "J"

- 18 properties in Electoral Area "E" and Area "J"

- 9 properties in Electoral Area "E" and Area "J"

- State of Local Emergency: 1 – Electoral Area "J" - Expires July 5, 2021

- Incident: 210281 McKay Creek Wildfire (K71030)

- **Alerts:** Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) issued an Evacuation Order on June 29, 1900 hrs within Electoral Area B – West Pavilion.

- **Orders:** Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) issued an Evacuation Order on June 26, 2130 hrs within Electoral Area B – West Pavilion.

- State of Local Emergency:

- Incident: 210178 Lytton Wildfire (K71086)

- Alerts: 1

- TNRD has issued an Evacuation Alert on June 30th, for electoral Area "I" (Blue Sky Country) in the Spencer Rd area

- Orders: 3

- [TNRD has issued an Evacuation Order on July 1st for the Texas Creek area](#)

- TNRD has issued an Evacuation Order on June 30th for electoral Area "I" in the Lytton and Botanie Creek area

- Village of Lytton has completely evacuated

- State of Local Emergency: 1 - Electoral Area "I" - Expires July 6, 2021

Freshet 2020

Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD): EOC level: 1

Incident: 200223 - Lee Creek Landslide

- CSRD EOC advises the residents currently under order have chosen to return to their property.

- **Alerts: 1** – issued on June 22, 2020 for the following areas: Lots #89 to #95, Gateway Lakeview Resort, #2633 Squilax-Anglemont Road, Lee Creek, BC

- **Orders: 1** – issued June 22, 2020, Lots #96 to #100, Gateway Lakeview Resort - 2633 Squilax-Anglemont Road, Lee Creek, BC

- **State of Local Emergency:** 1 – issued on June 22, 2020 for the 2400 through 2600 blocks of Squilax-Anglemont Road, Lee Creek, BC in electoral area "F", extended until July 6, 2021.

4. AGENCIES, EOC LEVEL, STATUS

N/A

5. PEOPLE IMPACTED

Skeetchestn Indian Band, IR#0 and IR#1

Incident: Sparks Lake Wildfire (K21001)

-# **Properties Alerted:** IR#0 and IR#1

-# **Properties Ordered:**

Thompson-Nicola Regional District, Electoral Area (EA) "J" (Copper Desert Country).

Sparks Lake Interface Fire (K21001)

-# **Properties Alerted:** 585

-# **Properties Ordered:** 163

- On June 30 Emergency Management Supports (ESS) have been extended for a further seven days.

- On June 28, 2200 hrs 9 properties on Alert moved to Order June 29, 1530 hrs.

- ESS Reception Centre currently open at McArthur Island Sports Centre at 1655 Island Parkway, Kamloops.

McKay Creek Fire (K71030)

-# **Properties Alerted:** 5

-# **Properties Ordered:** 0

Lytton Fire (K70804)

-# **Properties Alerted:** 24

-# **Properties Ordered:** 126 and the Village of Lytton

- ESS Reception Centre currently open in Kamloops, Merritt, Kelowna, and Chilliwack

Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRД)

- Lee Creek Landslide

-# **Homes Alerted:** 7 lots

-# **Homes/Units Under Evacuation Order:** 4 lots

6. HEALTH INFORMATION

- Nothing to report.

7. LIVESTOCK IMPACTED

- Nothing to report.

8. TRANSPORTATION IMPACTED

- MOTI reported that Highway 1 is closed EB at Old Boston Bar Rd and WB at Spences Bridge

- MOTI reported that Highway 12 is closed completely

- MOTI reported the Deadman Vidette Road is closed at 16 km due to the Sparks Lake wildfire activity.
- Tranquille Criss-Creek Rd and Tranquille Criss-Creek Rd at 30 km near Kamloops. Limited visibility with smoke. No detours available. Next update Thursday, July 1 at 0700 hrs.
- Criss Creek Forest Service Road is closed effective 1600 hrs, June 29.
- Big Bar Reaction Ferry is closed due to high water.
- Big Bar Aerial Car is closed to foot traffic.

9. UTILITIES IMPACTED

- Nothing to report.

10. PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MEDIA ISSUES

- Nothing to report.

11. USEFUL LINKS

Environment and Climate Change Canada

https://weather.gc.ca/forecast/canada/index_e.html?id=BC

BC Wildfire Service

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/wildfire-status>

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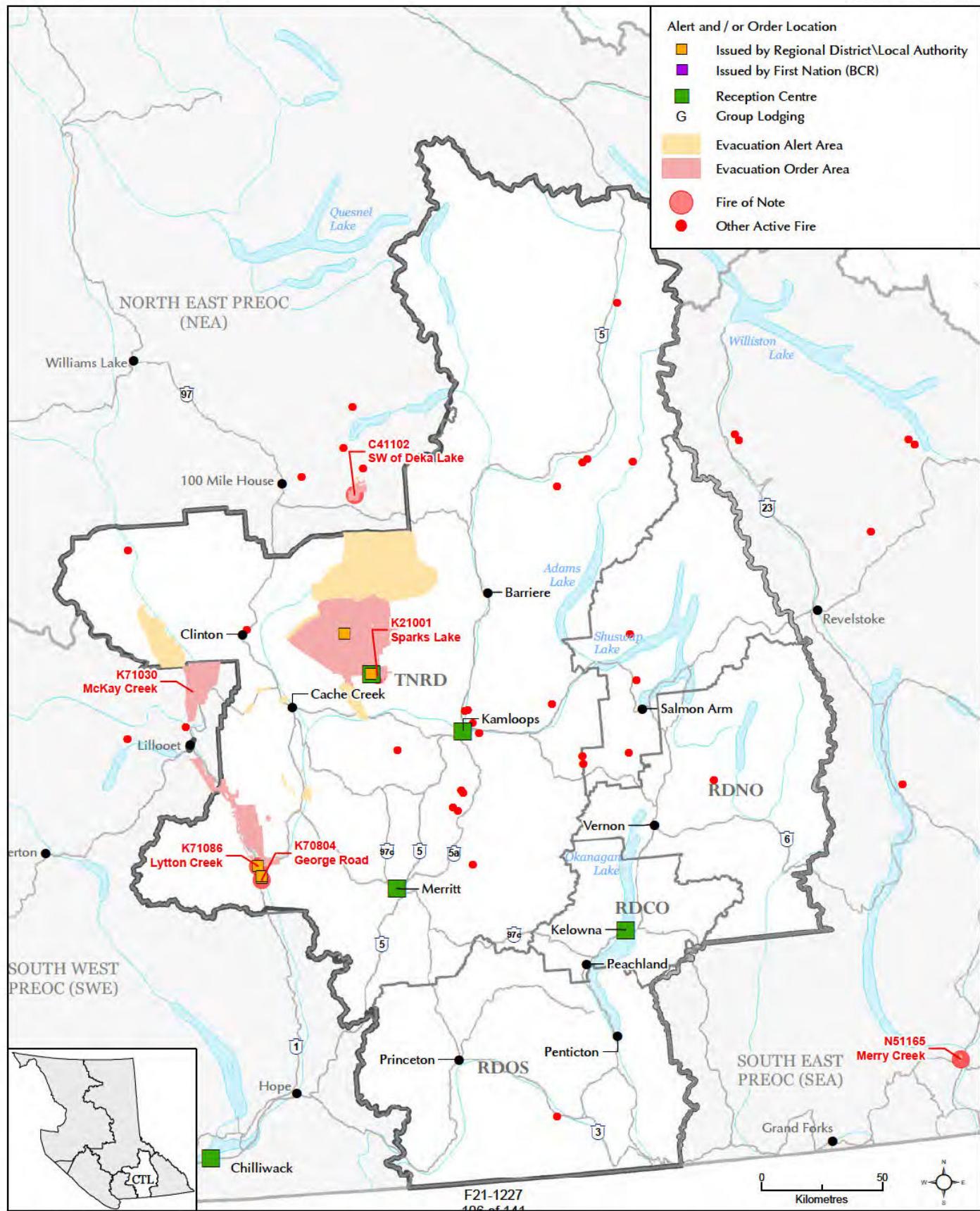
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Central (CTL) Provincial Regional Operational Centre (PREOC) Wildfire Events

2021-07-02



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SITUATION REPORT 135 – Wildfire, Extreme Heat, Freshet

Central Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Centre (CTL PREOC) SITUATION REPORT

Event: Central Region – Wildfire 2021, Freshet 2021

Date/Time Issued: [2021-07-02; 1430hrs](#)

EMBC Task # Wildfire 2021: 220359

EMBC Task # Extreme Heat 2021: 221336

EMBC Task # Freshet 2021: 220217

Operational Period: [2021-07-02; 0830hrs to 1630hrs \(or until required\)](#)

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Overall Regional Situation: Deteriorating

Activated EMBC Staff: [11](#) **Activated TEAMS:** [2](#)

The next Situation Report will be issued: [2021-07-03 at 1430hrs](#)

[** New information.](#)

1. KEY REGIONAL INFORMATION

Wildfire 2021

Juniper Ridge Fire

- On Thursday, July 1, 2021 lightning strikes caused a fire in between Juniper ridge and Valleyview in Kamloops
- City of Kamloops issued a tactical evacuation around 21:30 for 134 homes
- All evacuation orders were rescinded on July 2nd, 2021

Lytton Fire K71086

- Started within the Village of Lytton, discovered June 30th, 2021
- [6,400 ha Classified as Out of Control](#)
- Significant structure loss has been reported in the Village of Lytton, details yet to be confirmed

George Rd Fire K70804

- Approximately 7km south of Lytton, adjacent to Highway 1, discovered June 16th, 2021
- Estimated size 850 ha, classified as Out of Control
- Suspected to be human caused but is under investigation

McKay Creek Fire K21030

- Located 3 kilometers north of Lillooet, along West Pavilion Road, discovered June 29, 2021
- Estimated size 22,000 ha, classified as Out of Control.

Sparks Lake Fire K21001

- Located 15 km north of Kamloops Lake, discovered June 28, 2021
- Estimated size 31,000 ha, classified as out of control.
- Winds driving the fire Eastward. Visibility has improved today

Long Loch Wildfire K51040 & Derrickson Lake Wildfire K51041

- Located 18 km north of Big White
- Estimated to be 1,300 ha combined, no structures or properties currently threatened

CTL PREOC Coordination Call Schedule

- **Wildfire Coordination Calls:**
- **Friday, July 02 at 2000hrs**
- **Saturday, July 03 at 1100hrs.**
- **COVID-19 Interior Health Coordination Call:** July 14, 2021 at 1300hrs PDT
Please send COVID-19 related questions for our speakers to preoc3.lia1@gov.bc.ca.

2. RIVER FORECAST CENTRE

- **ISSUING a High Streamflow Advisory for the Fraser River** from Chilcotin River confluence to Mission, including areas through the Fraser Canyon, Big Bar, and Hope

WEATHER FORECAST JULY 2, 2021

Weather forecasts from Environment Canada: <https://weather.gc.ca>

Kamloops

- **Today:** Mainly sunny. Widespread smoke. Wind becoming west 20 km/h early this afternoon. High 33. Humidex 37. UV index 10 or very high.
- **Tonight:** A few clouds. Widespread smoke. Wind west 20 km/h becoming light this evening. Low 18.
- **Saturday, July 3:** A mix of sun and cloud. Widespread smoke. Wind becoming east 20 km/h near noon. High 34. Humidex 35. UV index 9 or very high.
- **Night:** Cloudy periods with 30 percent chance of showers. Low 18.
- **Sunday, July 4:** A mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers. High 33.
- **Monday, July 5:** Cloudy periods with 30 percent chance of showers. Low 18.

Lillooet

- **Today:** Mainly sunny. Local smoke. Wind becoming southwest 20 km/h this afternoon. High 34. UV index 10 or very high.
- **Tonight:** A few clouds. Local smoke. Wind southwest 20 km/h becoming light this evening. Low 18.

- **Saturday, July 3:** Sunny. Becoming a mix of sun and cloud in the afternoon. Local smoke. High 34. UV index 9 or very high.
- **Night:** Clear. Low 19.
- **Sunday, July 4:** Sunny. High 31.
- **Monday, July 5:** Clear. Low 16.

Penticton

- **Today:** Sunny early this afternoon then a mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers this afternoon. Risk of a thunderstorm this afternoon. Local smoke. Wind becoming north 20 km/h early this afternoon. High 35. Humidex 38. UV index 10 or very high.
- **Tonight:** Clear. Local smoke. Wind north 20 km/h becoming light this evening. Low 19.
- **Saturday, July 3:** Sunny in the morning then a mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers in the afternoon. Risk of a thunderstorm in the afternoon. Local smoke. High 34. Humidex 36. UV index 9 or very high.
- **Night:** Cloudy periods with 30 percent chance of showers. Low 17.
- **Sunday, July 4:** A mix of sun and cloud with 30 percent chance of showers. High 32.
- **Monday, July 5:** Cloudy periods. Low 17.

3. LOCAL AUTHORITIES and FIRST NATIONS, EOC LEVEL, STATUS

- **Total Active EOCs:** 32
- **Total Active EOCs for Wildfire:** 7
- **Total Active EOCs for Extreme Heat:** unknown
- **Total States of Local Emergencies due to Freshet:** 1 (CSRD)

Wildfire 2021

Nicomen Indian Band

- **Incident:** Lytton Fire K71086
- **Alerts:**
- **Orders:** Nicomen Indian Band issued an evacuation order on June 30th, 2021
- **State of Local Emergency:**

District of Lillooet

- **Incident:** Lytton Fire K71086
- **Alerts:**
- **Orders:**
- **State of Local Emergency:**
- **EOC activated in support of evacuated residents from the Lytton Fire**

Cayoose Creek Band (Sekw'el'was)

- **Incident:** Lytton fire K71086
- **Alerts:** Cayoose Creek Band issued an evacuation alert for Cayoose – Sekw'el'was, Texas Creek Rd, Pashilqua No. 2, Pashilqua No. 2A, Cayoose Creek No. 1
- **Orders:**

- **State of Local Emergency:**

Ts'kw'aylaxw First Nation

- **Incident:** McKay Creek Fire
- **Alerts:**
- **Orders:** 1 Ts'kw'aylaxw First Nation issued an evacuation order for Pavilion IR#1 on July 1, 2021
- **State of Local Emergency:** On July 1st, 2021 Ts'kw'aylaxw First Nation declared a SOLE, which will expire on July 15th, 2021

Cook's Ferry Indian Band

- **Incident:** Lytton Wildfire (K71086)
- **Alerts: 1**
 - Cook's Ferry Indian Band issued an Evacuation Alert for on June 30th for IR's 1, 3, 4b, 4c, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 11a, 16, 17, 18, and 19
- **Orders:**
- **State of Local Emergency:**

Skeetchestn Indian Band

- **Incident:** Sparks Lake Wildfire (K21001)
- **Alerts: 1**
 - Skeetchestn Indian Band issued an Evacuation Alert for on June 30th for IR#0 and IR#1
- **Orders:**
- **State of Local Emergency: 1**
 - Band Council Resolution on June 30th to authorize a SOLE.

Thompson-Nicola Regional District (TNRD) Task # 220351 EOC level: 1

- **Incident:** 210256 Sparks Lake Wildfire (K21001)
- **Alerts: 2**
 - 287 properties in electoral Areas "E" and "O"
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- **Orders: 3**
 - 136 properties in Electoral Area "E" and Area "J"
 - 18 properties in Electoral Area "E" and Area "J"
 - 9 properties in Electoral Area "E" and Area "J"
- **State of Local Emergency:** 1 – Electoral Area "J" - Expires July 5, 2021
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- **Alerts:** Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) issued an Evacuation Order on June 29, 1900 hrs within Electoral Area B – West Pavilion.
- **Orders:** Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) issued an Evacuation Order on June 26, 2130 hrs within Electoral Area B – West Pavilion.
- **State of Local Emergency:**
- **Incident:** 210178 Lytton Wildfire (K71086)
- **Alerts: 1**

- TNRD has issued an Evacuation Alert on June 30th, for electoral Area "I" (Blue Sky Country) in the Spencer Rd area
- **Orders: 3**
 - [TNRD has issued an Evacuation Order on July 1st for the Texas Creek area](#)
 - TNRD has issued an Evacuation Order on June 30th for electoral Area "I" in the Lytton and Botanie Creek area
 - Village of Lytton has completely evacuated
- **State of Local Emergency: 1** - Electoral Area "I" - Expires July 6, 2021

Freshet 2020

Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD): EOC level: 1

Incident: 200223 - Lee Creek Landslide

- CSRD EOC advises the residents currently under order have chosen to return to their property.
- **Alerts:** 1 – issued on June 22, 2020 for the following areas: Lots #89 to #95, Gateway Lakeview Resort, #2633 Squilax-Anglemont Road, Lee Creek, BC
- **Orders:** 1 – issued June 22, 2020, Lots #96 to #100, Gateway Lakeview Resort - 2633 Squilax-Anglemont Road, Lee Creek, BC
- **State of Local Emergency:** 1 – issued on June 22, 2020 for the 2400 through 2600 blocks of Squilax-Anglemont Road, Lee Creek, BC in electoral area "F", extended until July 6, 2021.

4. AGENCIES, EOC LEVEL, STATUS

N/A

5. PEOPLE IMPACTED

Skeetchestn Indian Band, IR#0 and IR#1

Incident: Sparks Lake Wildfire (K21001)

- **# Properties Alerted:** IR#0 and IR#1
- **# Properties Ordered:**

Thompson-Nicola Regional District, Electoral Area (EA) "J" (Copper Desert Country).

Sparks Lake Interface Fire (K21001)

- **# Properties Alerted:** 585
- **# Properties Ordered:** 163
- On June 30 Emergency Management Supports (ESS) have been extended for a further seven days.
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McKay Creek Fire (K71030)

- **# Properties Alerted:** 5
- **# Properties Ordered:** 0

Lytton Fire (K70804)

- **# Properties Alerted:** 24
- **# Properties Ordered:** 126 and the Village of Lytton
- ESS Reception Centre currently open in Kamloops, Merritt, Kelowna, and Chilliwack

Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD)

- Lee Creek Landslide
- **# Homes Alerted:** 7 lots
- **# Homes/Units Under Evacuation Order:** 4 lots

6. HEALTH INFORMATION

- Nothing to report.

7. LIVESTOCK IMPACTED

- Nothing to report.

8. TRANSPORTATION IMPACTED

- MOTI reported that Highway 1 is closed EB at Old Boston Bar Rd and WB at Spences Bridge
- MOTI reported that Highway 12 is closed completely
- MOTI reported the Deadman Vidette Road is closed at 16 km due to the Sparks Lake wildfire activity.
- Tranquille Criss-Creek Rd and Tranquille Criss-Creek Rd at 30 km near Kamloops. Limited visibility with smoke. No detours available. Next update Thursday, July 1 at 0700 hrs.
- Criss Creek Forest Service Road is closed effective 1600 hrs, June 29.
- Big Bar Reaction Ferry is closed due to high water.
- Big Bar Aerial Car is closed to foot traffic.

9. UTILITIES IMPACTED

- Nothing to report.

10. PUBLIC INFORMATION AND MEDIA ISSUES

- Nothing to report.

11. USEFUL LINKS

Environment and Climate Change Canada

https://weather.gc.ca/forecast/canada/index_e.html?id=BC

BC Wildfire Service

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/wildfire-status>

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Todays update in RED. Last week's in black.

URGENT and EMERGENT concerns this week:

Fire Activity and Freshet Flooding

As the ridge of high pressure which has generated the "heat dome" over BC continues to shift eastward, the atmosphere is destabilized with an upper trough moving over BC. Expect a return of unsettled weather conditions with showers and a risk of thunderstorms over interior sections today and on Friday. Lightning and gusty winds from thunderstorms could significantly increase the wildfire risks.

An upper disturbance moving across northern BC combined with the low pressure centre over Alberta will bring periods of heavy showers or rain to regions north of Fort St John today through Friday. For the south, above seasonal temperatures are still expected mainly over southeastern BC due to the remnant influence of the "heat dome"

Heat Warning in Effect across BC

A dangerous long duration heat wave will affect B.C. until Wednesday.

Threat: Daytime highs ranging from 29 to 36 degrees celsius combined with overnight lows of 14 to 16 degrees celsius.

An exceptionally strong ridge of high pressure will continue to build over British Columbia likely resulting in record breaking temperatures. The duration of this heat wave is concerning as there is little relief at night with elevated overnight temperatures. This record-breaking heat event will increase the potential for heat-related illnesses, raise river levels due to glacier melt and increase the risk of wildfires due to drought conditions.

NE HSDA:

Environment Canada Forecast

Sat, July 3: mix sun and cloud, winds 20km, high 21. **Night:** cloudy periods, low 12.
Sun, July 4: mix sun and cloud, high 23 **Night:** cloudy, low 11.
Mon, July 5: mix sun and cloud, high 23. **Night:** cloudy, low 12
Tue, July 6: mix sun and cloud, high 26 **Night:** clear, low 14.
Wed, July 7: sunny, high 28. **Night:** clear, low 14.
Thu, July 8: Sunny, high 26.

River Forecast Centre:

- **High Streamflow Advisory** for streams within the Liard basin including:
 - Muskwa River and tributaries, Petitot River and tributaries, Toad River and tributaries, Smith River and tributaries, Small tributaries (gauged and ungauged) of the Liard River

BC Wildfire:

Fires of note:

Beaton River (G81107)– out of control, 3400 hectares, no interface
Pink Mountain area (G80997)- out of control, 6000 hectares, no changes to alerts today.

Alaska Hwy - (G91020) – out of control, 2856 hectares, non interface.

Activity Level 4:

- Zone resources will need to be supplemented from other zones / fire centres / type 2 crews
- Out of province resource requests for specific or critical resources may be required if provincial resource capacity is not able to handle fire demands

Fort St John: fire danger rating: **High to Extreme**

Fort Nelson: fire danger rating: **High to Extreme**

Dawson: fire danger rating: **Extreme**

NI HSDA:

Environment Canada Forecast:

Sat, July 3: clear in morning, high 26 **Night:** cloudy periods, low 14.

Sun, July 4: mix sun and cloud, high 26. **Night** clear, low 12.

Mon, July 5: mix sun and cloud, 60% chance showers, high 25 **Night.** 60% showers, low 14.

Tue, July 6: mix of sun and cloud, high 25. **Night** cloudy period, low 13.

Wed, July 7: mix sun and cloud, high 28 **Night** cloudy period, low 12.

Thu, July 8: mix of sun and cloud, high 26.

River Forecast Centre:

- The River Forecast Centre is **maintaining the Flood Warning** for the **Upper Fraser River** including:

Upper Fraser River including the Robson Valley and areas from Sinclair Mills upstream to Torpy, Dome Creek, Dore River, McBride and surrounding tributaries

- - The River Forecast Centre is **issuing a High Streamflow Advisory** for:
 - Quesnel River and its tributaries

BC Wildfire:

Fires of note:

Activity Level 3:

- There is an increase in fire activity; zone may not be able to meet local resource demands
 - Resources from other zones / fire centres may be requested to assist zone activity
 - Long term strategic planning becomes critical in determining what resources are needed where
 - Zone staff on standby based on anticipated needs

Quesnel: fire danger rating:

Prince George: fire danger rating: **high to extreme**

Vanjam : fire danger rating: **high to extreme**

Robson Valley: fire danger rating: **high to extreme**

Mackenzie: fire danger rating: **high to extreme**

NW HSDA:

Environment Canada Forecast:

Sat, July 3: Sunny, high 27 **Night** clear, low 13.

Sun, July 4: Sunny, high 29. **Night** cloudy periods, low 16

Mon, July 5: Mix of sun and cloud, high 27. **Night** cloudy periods, low 17

Tue, July 6: mix of sun and cloud, high 28. **Night** cloudy periods, low 15.

Wed, July 7: mix of sun and cloud, high 26. **Night** cloudy periods, low 13.

Thu, July 8: mix of sun and cloud, high 25.

River Forecast Centre:

The River Forecast Centre is **ending a High Streamflow Advisory** for:

- Skeena River and tributaries (including the Zymoetz, and Kitsumkalum Rivers)
- Bulkley River and tributaries (including the Telkwa River)

The River Forecast Centre is **ending a High Streamflow Advisory** for:

- Nass River

The River Forecast Centre is **ending a High Streamflow Advisory** for:

- Stikine River and tributaries
- Iskut River

BC Wildfire:

Fires of Note:

Activity Level 3:

- There is an increase in fire activity; zone may not be able to meet local resource demands
- Resources from other zones / fire centres may be requested to assist zone activity
- Long term strategic planning becomes critical in determining what resources are needed where
- Zone staff on standby based on anticipated needs

Cassiar: fire danger rating: **High with pockets of extreme**

Skeena: fire danger rating: **High**

Bulkley: fire danger rating: **High to extreme**

Nadina: fire danger rating: **High to extreme**

Have a wonderful weekend.

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Good morning,

Please find attached the Health System Wildfire Situation Report #03. For ease, I have taken a screen shot of major impacts from page 2 of the document and pasted below:

Wildfire 2021
Situation Report #3
Health Emergency Coordination Centre
Ministry of Health

PROVINCIAL WILDFIRE SITUATION

PROVINCIAL SITUATION SUMMARY:

- Wildfire situation continues to deteriorate across the province with significant growth of new fires in last 24 hours.
- Unprecedented dynamics following the heatwave has resulted in unpredictable weather, thunderstorms, flash floods, landslides, and a tornado.
- EMBC in discussions for additional support from federal government.

PROVINCIAL IMPACTS:

- Hotel rooms are at capacity in Kamloops, Merritt, resulting measures to travel further.
- BC Coroners Service with assistance from RCMP will enter Lytton today.
- Sections of Hwy 1, Hwy 12, closed due to wildfires.

FIRE/WEATHER UPDATE:

- Today and tomorrow: Scattered showers and partial clouds over most of the province, with temperatures remaining above 30 degrees throughout much of the interior. Thunderstorm risks remain pronounced in the northeast and southeast regions of the province.
- Day **#3** to Day **#4**: Gusty winds and partial cloud cover are expected for most of the province, with localized thunderstorms.

AIR QUALITY REPORT:

- Smoky Sky Bulletin issued for multiple parts of the province: northeast and central regions.
For more information on Air Quality see [Smoky Sky Bulletin - July 2, 2021](#).

SIGNIFICANT HEALTH SYSTEM IMPACTS

Interior Health

- July 2, 2021:** [REDACTED] patients were relocated from west-pavilion to Kamloops Planning.
- Orderly for the remaining [REDACTED].
- Community care lists under review to ensure all clients within evacuation order and area areas are identified. Coordination with ESS ongoing.
- Total loss of Lytton facility confirmed.

ECCNS

- Despite reduction in extreme heat, call volumes remain higher than normal.
- Staffing issues persist, with significant shift vacancies in both patient care and dispatch.
- Inverior and Northern DEDCs now coordinating response activities for their regions.

July 2, 2021 - HEC Status in Progress [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] - Not for Distribution
[REDACTED]

The Ministry of Health has a liaison officer deployed to the Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre (PECC). That individual can be contacted by calling **s. 15(1)(l)**

Next SITREP will be distributed Monday 5 July 2021. A SITREP may be published for Sunday 4 July 2021. Significant updates will be provided as required throughout the day.

Please direct any questions to me for follow up.

Thank you,

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