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Subject: COVID-19 Update – September 8, 2021 – Launch of the BC Vaccine Card

To: All certified private training institutions and new certification applicants

Please note the following COVID-19 update for September 8, 2021:

Proof of Vaccination:

BC Vaccine Card

- The new [BC Vaccine Card](#) was launched on September 7, 2021 and will allow vaccinated people to show their proof of vaccination at higher-risk social and recreational events, and settings when new COVID-19 [vaccine requirement rules](#) take effect on September 13, 2021.
- Students living in on-campus student housing at B.C.'s post-secondary institutions will require:
 - Partial vaccination (one dose) by September 7, 2021; and,
 - Full vaccination (two doses) by October 24, 2021.
- Proof of vaccination is not required to attend in-person classes, seminars or tutorials, or to access on-campus cafeterias.

Verifying BC Proof of Vaccination

- Starting September 13, 2021 some on-campus events, services and businesses will be required to check a person's proof of vaccination for access to their venue or space.
- Information on how to verify proof of vaccination, including how to download the verifier app for the BC Vaccine Card, is available [online](#).

Thank you for the important role you play in supporting the provincial COVID-19 response. Please share this update broadly within your respective institutions.

COVID-19 Resources:

- COVID-19 Return-to-Campus Guidelines are hosted on government's [public website](#).
- Guidance and recommendations from the Provincial Health Officer are available online at the [COVID-19 Provincial Support and Information](#) website.
- If you require advice regarding a potential COVID-19 case, please contact your local [Medical Health Officer](#).
- WorksafeBC guidance is available on [communicable disease prevention plans](#).

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