COVID-19 Media Update

April 13, 2020

- Confirmed cases in AB as of April 12: 1651
 - o 44 deaths related to COVID-19 in AB
 - 395 cases in the Edmonton Zone
 - Visit <u>alberta.ca/COVID19</u> for updates
- Providing access to food during COVID-19:

https://www.alberta.ca/release.cfm?xID=70065F2072F72-D1D5-8FD5-183C93091877A75B

- Gov't of AB news release April 10
- **COVID-19 Pandemic in Alberta:** https://www.alberta.ca/release.cfm?xID=70077636DF719-509-E8BC-053913EECDE18DCA
 - o Gov't of AB news release April 12
- First death at Alberta seniors care facility, new restrictions announced:

 https://edmontonjournal.com/news/local-news/covid-19-dr-hinshaw-to-provide-330-p-m-update/wcm/b002c351-c4ec-443e-ac00-0ec535b8c0ad/
 - o From April 10
- Alberta collective of doctors forms to answer questions, counter misinformation
 during pandemic: https://edmontonjournal.com/news/local-news/covid-19-alberta-collective-of-doctors-forms-to-answer-questions-counter-misinformation-during-pandemic/wcm/005e72d2-8fba-405e-9ade-28d83ed6237f/
- Remember Alberta's generosity, because it will need Canada's help in the months ahead: https://www.theglobeandmail.com/politics/article-remember-albertas-generosity-because-it-will-need-canadas-help-in/
- Canadian company says Health Canada has approved its rapid COVID-19 test https://globalnews.ca/news/6810934/rapid-covid19-test-approved-health-canada/
- **Medical supplies from China arrive in Edmonton:** https://edmonton.ctvnews.ca/medical-supplies-from-china-arrive-in-edmonton-1.4893487
- Alberta to match \$2M in donations for charities' COVID-19 response: https://globalnews.ca/news/6809850/alberta-covid-19-charity-program/

- Alberta shipping protective gear to Ontario, Quebec and British Columbia: https://edmontonjournal.com/news/politics/covid-19-premier-kenney-to-provide-2-p-m-update-on-supporting-other-provinces/
- How Alberta stockpiled equipment before COVID struck: https://www.cbc.ca/player/play/1723450435965
- This is a surprise: Doctors still waiting for feared surge of COVID-19 patients in Canadian ICUs: https://edmontonjournal.com/news/canada/that-is-a-surprise-doctors-still-waiting-for-feared-surge-of-covid-19-patients-in-canadian-icus/wcm/f0a9c5f8-029a-4853-b3f8-15d91271d2be/