

MEDIA RELEASE

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Northwestern Health Unit clears up COVID-19 numbers

Northwestern Health Unit (NWHU) reported a new case of COVID-19 on Sunday July 19th that has not been added to its website statistics because the individual involved in that report lives outside of Ontario, got tested while visiting Ontario, and continued care and follow up has been turned over to their home province. The case investigation done by NWHU included a small number of contacts from Ontario. All were notified on Sunday and control measures were implemented. The Ministry of Health has removed this case from the NWHU totals in its July 21st update for our area.

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Visit Ontario's [website](#) to learn more about how the province continues to protect Ontarians from COVID-19.

A reminder to the media that Dr. Ian Gemmill hosts an online sessions for the public every Wednesday, 9:00 am - 10:00 am CT. If you do not have a link to the briefings, please email jbegg@nwhu.on.ca.