

**FEDERAL, PROVINCIAL AND TERRITORIAL (FPT) DEPUTY MINISTERS (DM)  
OF HEALTH CONFERENCE**

SEPTEMBER 30, 2020: FROM 17:30 TO 18:30 ET

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<b>1. Opening remarks (Ontario and Canada)</b>	<i>5 min</i>
<b>2. COVID-19 Screening tests</b>  For approval: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Before presenting the FPT COVID-19 Testing Strategy to health ministers at their October 2 teleconference, the deputy ministers will review the strategy for approval.</li></ul> For your information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The DMs will also receive an overview of the latest Provisional Guidelines on screening tests, including:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ using rapid antigen-based tests to identify infection with the SARS-CoV-2;</li><li>○ National polymerase chain reaction (PCR) testing indication guidance for COVID-19.</li></ul></li></ul>	<i>25 min</i>
<b>3. Update on Special Advisory Committee (SAC) on school opening</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr. Tam will report to the deputy ministers on recent AAC discussions on reopening schools and on outbreak monitoring and management.</li></ul>	<i>15 min</i>
<b>4. Federal surge capacity</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• DM Lucas will report on federal rapid response supports.</li></ul>	<i>10 min</i>
<b>5. Closing remarks (Ontario and Canada)</b>	<i>5 min</i>