

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Hockey NL Members

DATE: January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022

RE: COVID-19 UPDATE

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Today, the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador and the Department of Public Health announced that we will be staying in Level 4 which indicates the following:

• Group and team sport, arts and recreation activities are suspended.

Additional information can be found at the following link:

https://www.gov.nl.ca/covid-19/employers/recreation/overall-guidance/

This will be re-evaluated on January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022, when we expect further updates from the Provincial Government.

It is the sincerest wish from everyone at Hockey NL that our members will be able to get back to the game we love at that time but will again defer to the direction we are given by Public Health and Dr. Fitzgerald as the Chief Medical Officer of Health for the province. When these restrictions are modified/lifted, Hockey NL will follow suit to ensure we are aligned with what is permitted by Public Health.

Everyone is disappointed and in need of a return to activities that we all love and enjoy. The best way to combat this is to get vaccinated, get a booster, and follow Public Health guidelines. Hockey NL looks forward to everyone returning to the ice later this month. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Hockey NL Board of Directors