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WEBINAR SERIES

LIVE WEBINAR

Uneven Burden

Viral respiratory infections in Canadian infants, adults, and northern communities

FEATURING



Dr. David Goldfarb
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Dr. Marek Smieja
McMaster University

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

By the end of this webinar, participants will be able to:

1. Describe the burden of viral respiratory infections in Canada across the lifespan, including hospitalization and mortality in infants and older adults.
2. Identify populations that bear a disproportionate burden, including northern, remote, and Indigenous communities, and the factors that drive these disparities.
3. Discuss how surveillance data can inform prevention and health system planning in Canada.

DATE
Wednesday
November 25, 2026

TIME
5:00–6:00 PM ET
3:00–4:00 PM in B.C.

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