



Canada
Province of British Columbia
A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom,
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come – Greeting

WHEREAS immunization saves millions of lives every year and is widely recognized as one of the world's most successful and cost-effective public health interventions, and

WHEREAS public health aims to promote the use of vaccines to protect people of all ages against vaccine-preventable diseases and improve health outcomes for British Columbians, and

WHEREAS immunization is fundamental in achieving health priorities and protecting high-risk populations from life-threatening diseases such as influenza, viral hepatitis, measles, meningitis and COVID-19, and

WHEREAS during the global COVID-19 pandemic, increasing influenza vaccinations for high protection among seniors, health care workers and other groups will help lower respiratory infections, hospitalizations, deaths, co-infections and stress on the health care system;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that November 1 to 7, 2021, shall be known as

“BC Immunization Action Week”

in the Province of British Columbia.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this twenty-first day of October, two thousand twenty-one and in the seventieth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General and
Minister Responsible for Housing
(counter signature for the Great Seal)

Lieutenant Governor