

Clarification on use of *Orange Phase* terminology

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As circulated in [Bulletin #166 – COVID-19 – September 22, 2021](#), Horizon is closely monitoring the health care system and its capacity for to care for urgent and emergency cases, while maintaining essential services.

As you are aware, we have updated our COVID-19 precautions and protocols based on direction from our Infectious Disease and Infection Prevention and Control (ID-IPC) COVID-19 Committee.

At Horizon we are not reverting completely to the Orange Phase in our facilities, rather we are returning to a modified Orange Alert Level (or Orange Phase) protocols and measures.

For more information, please review the updated [ID-IPC guidance documents](#) shared in yesterday's bulletin, and as always, you can visit the [IPC Resources COVID-19 Skyline Page](#).