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Restaurant Proof of Vaccination Requirements

You are now required to provide proof of being fully vaccinated against COVID-19 (see below for the definition of being fully vaccinated) along with proof of identification to our wait staff, and we are required to review and confirm the proof each time that you enter the restaurant, even if you have previously provided proof and even if we know your status from previous visits because we are not allowed to retain any information provided by a patron of our restaurant.

Both the email and paper versions of your vaccination receipt (final dose) are acceptable to use as proof of vaccination. You can also download your receipt at <https://covid19.ontariohealth.ca/app-identity?viewId=Y8UGZGQGHT7H>.

Proof of identification documentation must include both your name and date of birth. However, photo ID is not required. Examples of acceptable documentation include your Birth Certificate, Citizenship Card, Driver's Licence, Health Card, Passport and Pilot Licence. Expired versions of Canadian and Ontario government issued identification may also be used but expired out of province documents are not acceptable.

An individual is considered fully vaccinated if they have received:

- The full series of a COVID-19 vaccine authorized by Health Canada, or any combination of such vaccines, or
- One or two doses of a COVID-19 vaccine not authorized by Health Canada, followed by one dose of a COVID-19 mRNA vaccine authorized by Health Canada, or
- Three doses of a COVID-19 vaccine not authorized by Health Canada; and
- They received their final dose of the COVID-19 vaccine at least 14 days before providing the proof of being fully vaccinated.

The only exemptions from the vaccination requirement to patronize our restaurant are for:

- Children under 12 years of age (proof of identification may be requested by our staff if it is uncertain as to whether the child is under 12)
- People with a written document, completed and supplied by a physician or by a registered nurse stating that the individual is exempt for a medical reason from being fully vaccinated against COVID-19 and the effective time period for the medical reason. The letter for medical exemption must include the name and contact information for the physician or registered nurse and must include a logo or letterhead identifying the physician or registered

nurse. Proof of identification documentation is still required for people with a medical exemption.

Please note that the vaccination rule does not apply to people coming in to order or pick up take-out food.

When the enhanced digital vaccine certificate with QR code and verification app become available on October 22, we intend to add a QR code reader to simplify the process.