

Hello,

We would like to send you a few updates regarding COVID-19 and ask you to share this information in your networks. Please continue to consult the [AAFC website](#) regularly for updates.

**1. Annual conference of Federal-Provincial-Territorial Ministers of Agriculture**

The next annual conference of Federal-Provincial-Territorial (FPT) Ministers of Agriculture will be held virtually on November 20 and November 27, 2020.

**2. Mandatory Isolation Support for Temporary Foreign Workers Program extension**

- On November 2, 2020, Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food Marie-Claude Bibeau [announced](#) that the Mandatory Isolation Support for Temporary Foreign Workers Program (MISTFWP) will be extended until November 30, 2020. The \$50-million Mandatory Isolation Support for Temporary Foreign Workers Program provides a maximum of \$1,500 per temporary foreign worker to employers in the farming, fish harvesting, and food production and processing sectors to help with some of the incremental costs incurred to support the safety and health of foreign workers during that 14-day period.
- Applicants can submit a new application for eligible activities into November 30, and will have until December 31, 2020, to submit any related claims.

Please note that due to the Remembrance Day holiday next week, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada will move the COVID-19 - Information Sharing with sector stakeholder call to Tuesday, November 10 at noon EST.

Thank you,  
**Industry Engagement Division**  
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