

# FMF Cape Breton – Op LASER Update 13 December 2021

**Current Posture:  
3A “Surge”**

## Update Message

We continue to make good progress in ship work periods – we started the second Phase of HMCS *Ottawa*'s Extended Work Period, working towards a sailing date later in the spring of 2022; we continued docked work and inspections in HMCS *Calgary*; we continued the work period in HMCS *Victoria*; and we've been giving a lot of support to HMNZS *Te Mana*, HMCS *Vancouver* and HMCS *Corner Brook*.

The COVID situation continues to evolve. Younger children are now eligible for vaccination; we are still reading news of new variants and wondering what their impact may be; and COVID rates are decreasing in BC, though staying somewhat high on the island. So, please continue to follow public health advice and direction, as well as our own measures and policies, as this has all been keeping FMFCB a safe place to work.

And lastly, as we move into the holiday season, hopefully you can take some time off to relax and recharge – and please look after yourselves and your teammates, as the holidays can be harder for some than for others. Please reach out to your colleagues to see how they're doing, and if you're facing some challenges, don't be afraid to let someone know.

## Work Priorities

- Support to TEM trials;
- OTT EWP2 in preparation for TRP in 2022;
- Support to COR reactivation;
- VIC WP 202 Phase 2 in support of continued FG;
- CAL SWP and Intermediate Docking in preparation for FG and for DWP; and
- Support to other requirements (REG, CHI, Coastal Forces, MEPM).

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## Governmental COVID-19 Links

- [Government of Canada COVID-19 Updates](#)
- [Joint DM/CDS statement on COVID-19](#)
- [DND – Information Regarding Flexible Work Arrangements and Leave](#)
- [Public service & military – Information for Government of Canada employees \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\) for employees \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Public Health – Know the Difference: Self monitoring, self-isolation and isolation](#)
- [Province of BC](#)
- [British Columbia Ministry of Health](#)
- Federal COVID-19 Information Line: 1-833-784-4397
- HR Connect RH/Virtual Client Contact Centre 1-833-747-6363 between 08h00 and 16h00 EST
- [HR GO RH App](#)
- FMF Instagram [@RCNFleetMaintenance](#)

