

## **Closure Notice:**

### **TELUS World of Science – Edmonton Closed to the Public Beginning Tomorrow**

**Edmonton, AB – March 12, 2020** – TELUS World of Science – Edmonton will be closed to the public beginning tomorrow, March 13, 2020.

The closure is in response to Alberta Health Services (AHS) recommendation not to host gatherings of more than 250 people in Alberta.

As leaders of the science conversation, TELUS World of Science – Edmonton needs to responsibly serve Edmonton and area. We apologize for the inconvenience this will cause for some, but we know it is necessary to help reduce the transmission of COVID-19.

Starting tomorrow (Friday, March 13) all programs, events, IMAX Theatre films and Zeidler Dome shows, retail services, as well as our outreach *Science in Motion* programs will be cancelled.

“The safety and health of our guests, our staff and our community are of paramount importance. We do not make this decision to close the science centre lightly but believe strongly in responsibly serving the community and that this early action is the best way for the science centre to help stop the transmission of the virus,” said Alan Nursall, President and CEO, TELUS World of Science – Edmonton.

The science centre plans to reopen on Monday, March 30.

We recommend you keep informed with reliable sources for additional information such as Alberta Health Services, and Health Canada.

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#### **About TELUS World of Science - Edmonton**

TELUS World of Science – Edmonton's mission is to: Ignite curiosity. Inspire discovery. Celebrate science. Change lives. We are the destination to engage Albertans' hearts and minds in science. The Edmonton Space & Science Foundation is a non-profit organization that operates TELUS World of Science – Edmonton.

