## FOIPOP Request 2023-00257-HEA - Revised

## **Data Notes:**

- Data source is Panorama and includes all AEFI's reported and entered Panorama till February 8, 2023. Data pulled March 28, 2023.
- Definitions Adverse Events Following Immunization (AEFI): A serious or non-serious event experienced by a patient following immunization. The numbers included in the report reflect the number of AEFIs with a status of "Review complete", "Review complete, follow-up required" or "Follow-up complete" AND a Public Health Agency of Canada report date entered Panorama.
  - Serious AEFI: An adverse event following immunization that has resulted in at least one
    of the following:
    - hospitalization or prolongation of existing hospitalization
    - permanent disability
    - death
  - O Non-serious AEFI: An adverse event following immunization that has resulted in at least one of the following:
    - a reaction that did not require hospitalization or prolongation of existing hospitalization
    - a reaction that did not result in permanent disability
    - a reaction that did not result in death
- Please refer to AEFI report form for more information on events that are reported to public health and their breakdown: Report of adverse events following immunization (AEFI) (canada.ca)

## Request:

Revised request for a different timeframe

Cumulative outcomes among Nova Scotians, medical officers, physicians etc., reporting serious adverse events following COVID-19 Immunizations including:

- a) Recovered
- b) Not Yet Recovered
- c) Permanent Disability/Incapacity
- d) Death

Up to February 8, 2023

Table 1: Outcomes among Nova Scotians reporting serious adverse events following covid-19 immunization for an immunization date range between December 14, 2020 – February 8, 2023

Recovered	Not Yet Recovered	Permanent Disability	Death
290	348	7	15

## Note:

- 1) These reports do not imply a causal relationship between the vaccine and the adverse event. As more Nova Scotians are vaccinated, a greater number of adverse events that are incidental to vaccination will be reported.
- 2) Not yet recovered is the outcome at the time of the report of the AEFI. It does not reflect recovery status as of date.
- 3) Reports of death or permanent disability are events temporally associated with vaccine that have not been clearly attributed to other causes. A preliminary review of these events indicated that none were clearly attributable to the vaccine.
- Approximately 2,657,000 doses of Covid-19 Vaccine has been administered in Nova Scotia since December 2020,