

## David Dickson

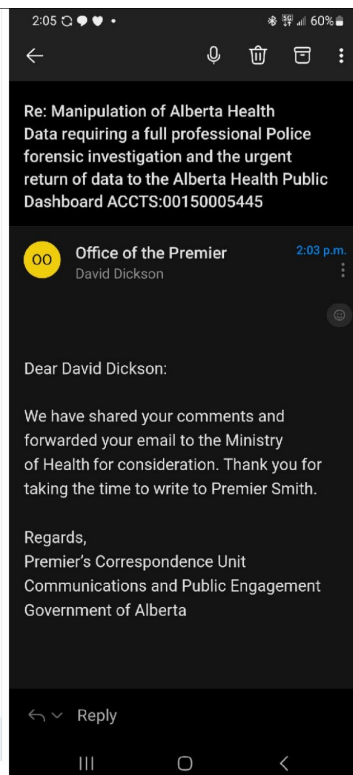
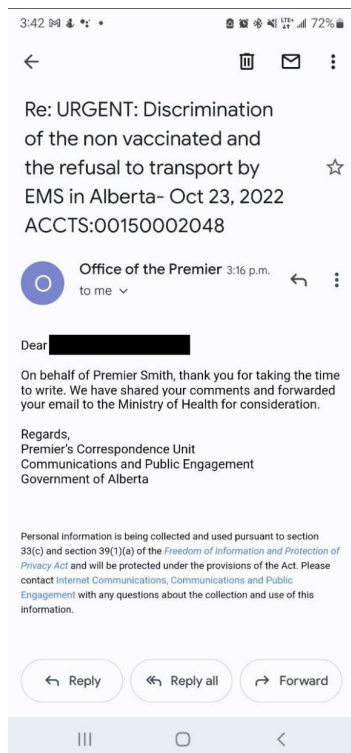
**From:** David Dickson  
**Sent:** February 28, 2023 3:44 PM  
**To:** Office of the Premier; draytonvalley.devon@assembly.ab.ca; LacSteAnne.Parkland@assembly.ab.ca; Dane.Lloyd@parl.gc.ca; Motz, Glen - M.P.  
**Subject:** RE: Manipulation of Alberta Health Data requiring a full professional Police forensic investigation and the urgent return of data to the Alberta Health Public Dashboard ACCTS:00150005445  
**Attachments:** ToAlbertaPremierJanuary292023.pdf  
**Importance:** High

Dear Premier Danielle Smith, MLA Mark Smith, MLA Shane Getson, MP Dane Lloyd and MP Glen Motz,

I am writing to follow up on my communication of January 29, 2023 (see attached), where I provided you with irrefutable evidence of unlawful data manipulation related to COVID 19, along with court filings I made in October 2021 which brought this very same evidence directly in front of the courts. As I outlined in that letter, the situation continues to decline for Albertans.

Premier Smith, your response was to hand the issue to the proverbial 'Fox in the Hen House'. I reported (not for the first time) the issues related to your Health Ministry manipulating information. Instead of initiating an independent forensic investigation, you handed the matter to the very people responsible.

This is no different than when you transferred the complaint about an elderly person having a stroke being refused an ambulance. After your initial text message to Theo Fleury, advising the family to call Patient Relations, you received a formal written complaint from the daughter of the stroke victim. As with my letter, your response to her was to just forward the matter to the Ministry of Health who did nothing.



Unlike my letter though, the family did receive a cursory response, not from the Premier's Office but from the Health Minister/EMS, in the form of a dismissal, demonstrating a lack of knowledge of the AHS Directives and policies. This effectively ensured that this willful discrimination by design continues. EMS and Alberta Health even doubled down, saying that a paramedic could refuse an ambulance for a person not wearing a mask or being unvaccinated. In the case of this unvaccinated individual, EMS did, however, admit they should have called another ambulance willing to transfer an unvaccinated patient (this assumes one could be found in time). This response by both the Health Minister and EMS is not only unlawful but against AHS and all Health College directives and Codes of Conduct.

How do you deem this to be an acceptable response to a life-threatening situation?

For my mother in law and myself, this means calling an ambulance would not only be a fruitless exercise, but as paramedics are forcing masks on people (including Care Home residents) for transport and AHS in general is refusing even basic medical service to people who cannot wear a mask, we are in clear and present danger should we have need of even basic medical care. Note that this behaviour is contrary to the AHS masking Directive HCS-267. To date, I have yet to find anyone at AHS who has actually read or understands, let alone follows this directive (this includes doctors, nurses, paramedics and Protective Services). Patient Relations have confirmed that they are inundated with complaints in this regard and yet NOTHING is changing. This is why you were contacted directly.

AHS Directive HCS-267 clearly states:

<https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-ahs-use-of-masks-hcs-267.pdf>.

**Section 3.2**

"Patients, designated family/support persons, and visitors are not required to mask when:

- a) providing or receiving care or assistance where a mask would hinder that care or assistance;"  
i.e. providing support and care/communication."

<https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-ahs-use-of-masks-hcs-267.pdf>.

**Section 8.4**

*"Patients requiring health care shall not be refused care if their designated family/support person or visitor is unable or refuses to mask."*

**Section 5.2 a), 8.4 a), 8.4 b)**

<https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/assets/info/ppih/if-ppih-covid-19-how-to-support-mask-wearing.pdf>.

*"No patient shall be denied service in AHS because they cannot or will not wear a mask."*

See <https://dksdata.com/MASKS#AHSMasks>.

Services are not just being refused. Vulnerable patients & visitors/DSP's are being physically and mentally assaulted in some cases. I know this from repeated personal experience.

Premier Smith, you made a statement regarding the discrimination faced by the unvaccinated before you came into office. As you can see, it is not just vaccines that are the subject of active discrimination. In fact, discrimination as regards masking targeted against disabled people, like myself and my mother in law, has gone on unchecked for the last three years - and is still fully in force. This is despite the Alberta Scientific Advisory Group (SAG) report in July 2022 documenting that they never had evidence to support continuous masking and that other than 'optics' (virtue signaling), the mask requirements in hospitals and care homes are known to be harmful.

COVID-19 Scientific Advisory Group (SAG) Rapid Evidence Report - Continuous Masking Policies (4 July 2022) (see <https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/assets/info/ppih/if-ppih-covid-19-sag-continuous-masking-policies.pdf>)

**The above report states:**

*"The evidence identified in this review cannot definitively show specific effect of continuous masking which started at the same time as multiple protective measures healthcare settings, and the level of evidence is not strong."*

**Identifiable harms:**

*"...however, continuous masking may have some unwanted physical, emotional, and communication effects as well as environmental, and financial implications that should be considered."*

*"Continuous masking could have physical impacts on individuals as well as nonphysical impacts on inter-personal communication and the emotional elements of patient care..."*

Finally, perhaps the real impetus for continued masking - **VIRTUE SIGNALING**.

*"the optics of a universal mask policy are also important..."*

This is reinforced by the ongoing (since 2010) Cochrane study, which the SAG has no doubt read.

But what would anyone expect from an organization, such as AHS, that thinks the below is acceptable in the treatment of children and infants?

These are screenshots from a video (see section 7.1b of: <https://extranet.ahsnet.ca/teams/policydocuments/1/clp-ahs-use-of-masks-hcs-267.pdf>) that was (and still is) linked to the AHS official Mask Directive (HCS-267) demonstrating how to improperly modify and force an adult mask on a child 2 years and up. A direct link to the video is here: <https://youtu.be/OaDKF5HK5hU>). How anyone can think this is appropriate and why Alberta OH&S hasn't addressed this by now is beyond me. As a retired Police Officer from the UK, I arrested and prosecuted people for less abusive behaviour to children in my career. This is categoric abuse, a blatant breach of Health Canada and Alberta OH&S guidelines and regulations, and also the manufacturer's instructions on safe use. (see <https://dksdata.com/MASKS>).

These are the same design as the 40 million adult masks originally purchased by Jason Kenney's government in early 2020! (see my videos on that here: <https://dksdata.com/MASKS#TargetChildren>, <https://dksdata.com/MASKS#40M>). Note that masking in the way it was (and is) implemented breaches so many regulations and guidelines on safety. Further, masking never had any impact in the prevention of the spread of COVID. This was known from the start.



This now begs the question as to why you, Premier Smith, would have appointed an AHS insider (Dr. Mark Joffe) who was part of the push for continuous masking from the start (and past July 2022). Even Dr. Deena Hinshaw saw the dangers of continuing masking when presented with the SAG report and subsequently removed all masking from the province.

I covered the impacts of mask discrimination in documentation regarding my complaint to the Alberta Human Rights Commission (see <https://dksdata.com/DavidDicksonAHRC>) from the initial complaint in December 2020 to the complaint's eventual dismissal in April 2022. It was dismissed not because I didn't have a case for discrimination, but rather the answer came back as 'COVID'. It seems that the government can excuse any atrocity over the last three years (and ongoing) with that one simple word - COVID. This is nothing less than criminal. You received copies of this documentation as did my MLA's Smith, Getson, MP's Lloyd and Motz (among all others).

I would have responded earlier, but as you will see from these ongoing Patient Relations complaints, I have had my own health challenges to manage. You can find redacted copies of my Patient Relations complaints that expand on some of these issues for further reference here:

[https://dksdata.com/PatientRelations/letter-Kaye\\_Redacted%20ops.pdf](https://dksdata.com/PatientRelations/letter-Kaye_Redacted%20ops.pdf)

[https://dksdata.com/PatientRelations/letter-PS\\_Redacted.pdf](https://dksdata.com/PatientRelations/letter-PS_Redacted.pdf)

[https://dksdata.com/PatientRelations/letter-RAHPhy\\_Redacted.pdf](https://dksdata.com/PatientRelations/letter-RAHPhy_Redacted.pdf)

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Premier Danielle Smith, MLA Mark Smith, MLA Shane Getson, MP Dane Lloyd and MP Glen Motz, you are all well aware of who my mother-in-law is. I wrote to you in 2020 about the abuses being committed against her and all residents in Care Homes, under the mantra of "COVID" against the Orders of Dr. Deena Hinshaw and AHS directives and all based on a foundation of lies. As a reminder, please see redacted copies of some of the communications here. Note you all originally received unredacted copies.

[https://dksdata.com/DS/04%20-%20Danielle%20Smith%20-%20Elderly%20Albertan%20denied%20access%20to%20ambulance\\_Redacted.pdf](https://dksdata.com/DS/04%20-%20Danielle%20Smith%20-%20Elderly%20Albertan%20denied%20access%20to%20ambulance_Redacted.pdf)

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As regards care homes, I was surprised last week to see the Auditor General put out a report for MLA Mark Smith on COVID management in Care Homes in 2020. This report relies on the same lies and data manipulation I brought to your attention in my last letter almost a month ago. These are the same falsehoods I filed into the Court of Queen's Bench in 2021 when, after four appearances, my case was prevented from progressing under the false premise that I had "no standing". I am not sure how much more standing I could have had as is explained in detail in my Court Filings. See again:

<https://dksdata.com/CourtUpdate>, <https://dksdata.com/DavidDicksonCourt.html>,

<https://dksdata.com/CrownCourt.html>).

Further, the AG report was made moot not just by my letter to your office but by the documentation I had been sharing for nearly three years with yourself, MLA Mark Smith, MLA Shane Getson, MP Dane Lloyd and MP Glen Motz (among all other MLA's and MP's).

See redacted copies of some of the correspondence for all your reference here: <https://dksdata.com/MLA/>

Why do I address you, Premier Smith, along with MLA Mark Smith, MLA Shane Getson, MP Dane Lloyd and MP Glen Motz specifically though? Many of you are on my previous letter and all have received most of the information referenced here. You are the Premier, Danielle Smith. MLA Mark Smith and MLA Shane Getson are my MLA's (being on the literal cusp of the two boundaries overlooking Devon from my acreage). MP Dane Lloyd is my MP and MP Glen Motz is a fellow retired Police Officer who I spent many years working with closely.



Further, you are all recipients of the information I have outlined in our family's scathing critique of this Auditor report. You can read that here:

<https://dksdata.com/podcast/oag-covid19-cont-care-facilities-feb2023-Comments.pdf>, here:

<https://dksdata.com/podcasts#AG> and here (for a downloadable interactive PDF) <https://dksdata.com/podcast/oag-covid19-cont-care-facilities-feb2023.pdf>.

The original public report can be found here: <https://www.oag.ab.ca/reports/oag-covid-19-cont-care-facilities-feb2023/>

I cover the AG report in some detail along with the recent UK ONS deaths by vaccine status data (which shares a lot of similarities with the data manipulation by Alberta Health) here:

<https://dksdata.com/podcasts#E6>.

I would recommend you all take the time to watch this. What it demonstrates is precisely why the Alberta public need you to bring back the data we used to have before July 2022 which continues to be available to AHS staff on the AHS daily dashboard here:

<https://myapps.albertahealthservices.ca/logon/LogonPoint/tmindex-ahs.html#/views/ProvincialCovid19Hospitalizations-DailyCensusInformationWider%20Audience/ForWideAudience>

Ironically, the URL says "ForWideAudience", yet the screen says "INTERNAL AHS USE ONLY". It is clear that the government and AHS know EXACTLY what they are hiding. At this time, transparency is critical and the only way to restore trust.



## *AHS Internal Dashboard October 11th, 2022*

**IF THIS DATA IS AVAILABLE IN AHS ON A DAILY BASIS WHY IS IT NOT PROVIDED TO THE ALBERTA PUBLIC?**

October 11th, 2022 - Alberta Hospitalizations by Vaccination status

Alberta Hospitalizations	Unvaccinated	Partial	Fully (2 doses)	1 Booster	2 Boosters	Vaccinated (1 or more doses)	Fully Vaccinated 2 or more doses	Total
All (ICU + Acute)	151	15	255	383	260	913	898	1,064
ICU	6		4	12	3	19	19	25
All (ICU + Acute)%	14.19%	1.41%	23.97%	36.00%	24.44%	85.81%	84.40%	100.00%
ICU%	24.00%	0.00%	16.00%	48.00%	12.00%	76.00%	76.00%	100.00%

Omicron	B.1.1.529	BA.5	BA.4	BA.2	Total
Currently in Hospital	122	294	7	72	495
% Fully Vaccinated (2 doses)	38.50%	16.70%	14.30%	30.60%	
% Fully Vaccinated (3 doses)	33.60%	36.10%	42.90%	37.50%	
Current ICU	1	10	0	0	11
ICU Fully Vaccinated (2 doses)	100.00%	10.00%	0.00%	0.00%	
ICU Fully Vaccinated (3 doses)	0.00%	30.00%	0.00%	0.00%	

ZONE	Acute	ICU
Edmonton	522	10
Calgary	292	8
Central	170	3
South	61	4
North	19	-
Total	1,064	25

Vaccination Status Alberta Population	
1st	82.14%
2nd	77.69%
3rd	39.52%
4th	10.93%
None	17.86%

**THE AHS DASHBOARD SHOWS 1,064 COVID CASES IN HOSPITAL AND 25 COVID CASES IN ICU AT THE START OF DAY OCTOBER 11, 2022**

**THE ALBERTA HEALTH DASHBOARD SHOWS 1,014 COVID CASES IN HOSPITAL AND 31 COVID CASES IN ICU AT THE END OF DAY OCTOBER 10, 2022**

In closing, I would ask for an urgent meeting with you all to discuss the above and attached further. I would also ask that Edmonton Police (as a minimum) and Alberta Justice be involved in those discussions. Handing this off to Health Minister Jason Copping or ex Health Minister Tyler Shandro, as you have done previously, is NOT ACCEPTABLE. This is something that you owe a duty to handle, not pass the buck yet again. This cannot wait 'until after the election' which we all know will ensure nothing ever happens.

I look forward to your immediate and full response to this matter.

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**Some rules to live by:**

*Always do the best you can by your family.*

*Go to work every day.*

*Always speak your mind.*

*Never hurt anyone that doesn't deserve it.*

*And never take anything from the bad guys.*

*(Mel Gibson: Edge of Darkness 2010)*

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**From:** Office of the Premier <Premier@gov.ab.ca>

**Sent:** Tuesday, January 31, 2023 2:03 PM

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**Subject:** Re: Manipulation of Alberta Health Data requiring a full professional Police forensic investigation and the urgent return of data to the Alberta Health Public Dashboard ACCTS:00150005445

Dear David Dickson:

We have shared your comments and forwarded your email to the Ministry of Health for consideration. Thank you for taking the time to write to Premier Smith.

Regards,  
Premier's Correspondence Unit  
Communications and Public Engagement  
Government of Alberta

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