

## How YOU can get involved to #FastTrackCare!

### What is the Fast Track Care campaign?

The Fast Track Care campaign was developed by Mobilize Canada, a coalition of surgeons, nonprofits and corporations dedicated to supporting patients needing orthopaedic surgery.

### What is the situation?

COVID-19 has exacerbated existing competition for bed space and caused surgical wait times to reach unsustainable levels, further burdening the healthcare system at this crucial time. Nearly 200,000 Canadians have been waiting in pain for important orthopaedic surgeries such as hip, knee or ankle, across the country. Investment and prioritization of the orthopaedics sector is desperately needed.

### Our goal:

Build awareness among Canadians about the need for provincial governments to invest in and prioritize orthopaedic surgery to get Canadians out of pain and back to work. Nearly all Canadians are touched by someone waiting for orthopaedic surgery, whether it's you or someone you know. If you just want to support the campaign we'd love for you to get involved.

### How can I help?

1. Visit [www.FastTrackCare.ca](http://www.FastTrackCare.ca).
2. Use our letter writing tool to find and write your provincial representative, add your own custom message and tell them why it is essential that your government invests in orthopaedic surgeries.
3. Share the #FastTrackCare campaign on Twitter, Facebook or LinkedIn with your friends and family using the share buttons on the website.
4. Write your own social media content and use the hashtag #FastTrackCare, tag your local provincial representative and share our website. The more voices involved the better. Share, share, share!
5. Once you've found your local provincial representative and used our website to write them, set up time to call or meet with your local representative by visiting their website and share your story. You can find our solutions document on our website to guide your conversation and tell them to #FastTrackCare!

**It's because of people like YOU that important change happens.**

**Thank you for getting involved to help Mobilize Canada #FastTrackCare.**

