

Index Scale and Weather Information

Index Scale

- The Air Quality Health Index is a 1-10 scale indicating the level of health risk associated with local air quality. The higher the number the greater the health risk and the greater need to take precautions.
- The index descriptors associated with these numbers are: 'low', 'moderate', 'high', or 'very high'.
- Exposure Category:
 - Low = 1-3
 - Moderate = 4-6
 - High = 7-10
 - Very High = 11+
- Manitoba Air Quality Health Index weather.gc.ca

Weather Information

- What to listen for:
 - Special Air Quality Statement: High risk air quality of level 7 or higher for less than 3 hours
 - Smog & Air Health Advisory: High risk air quality of level 7 or higher for 3 hours or more