



# ADMINISTRATOR MONTHLY UPDATES

## OUTBREAK UPDATE

October 19, 2020

We know that the news of the outbreak continues to be of concern to you, particularly now that as of October 18, Public Health has declared all floors are on Contact and Droplet precautions. We have been advised to isolate residents on all units, keep them in their rooms where possible and swab all residents.

Since our last outbreak update, there have been a few new developments as a result of 2 residents with symptoms being sent to the hospital over the weekend. The results from the swab test taken at the hospital for one of the residents has come back negative. The results from the second resident is still pending. Currently, all other residents and staff in the building are asymptomatic. And in an abundance of caution, all residents on the second floor were swabbed on October 18<sup>th</sup> and first and third floor residents were swabbed on October 19<sup>th</sup>.

Please know that all staff are working diligently to keep everyone safe. If you are a designated caregiver and are visiting, please ensure that you follow proper infection control protocols. Wash your hands, wear PPE and physical distance. Also, during this time, further to the revised directive, all resident social outings are cancelled, except in the case of necessary medical appointments. Please speak with the nurse on the floor or a member of the management team if you have any questions.

We thank you for your continued support during this time. Together, we can get through this.

We are pleased to provide families and friends of Union Villa residents with regular updates and hope that you find these informative. Please let us know if you have any questions, concerns or feedback to improve our communications in the future.

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**THANK YOU for your co-operation and understanding during these unprecedented times.**

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