



Cleveland, Friday, December 31st, 2021

RE: EIGHTY-SECOND WALES COVID-19 UPDATE

Dear Residents, Employees and Family Members,

Public Health has advised that one more employee tested positive for Covid-19 and 21 test results of residents are still pending.

This afternoon, one of the residents from Central who tested negative on December 28th, started showing symptoms and a rapid test confirmed a positive result for Covid-19. We now have four confirmed cases on Central. We are in close contact with public health as well as the CIUSSS to ensure that the latest measures are applied. I commend the quick turnaround which the employees have had to adapt to. We thank them for their dedication and recognize their strength during this difficult time.

Recommendations from public health regarding Central/HOT ZONE:

- Any resident showing symptoms must be immediately tested via rapid test
- Employees must change clothes upon arrival and departure
- Employees must remain on the unit the entire shift meals/snacks will be provided. At the end of the shift, employees do not go to the break room (locker room only)
- At the end of shift, employees must apply clean personal protective equipment to go to the locker room
- Blue gowns are to be used when working in hot zone

We will continue to provide you with regular updates and will promptly notify you of any changes. Please do not hesitate to contact me with questions or concerns (my coordinates are listed below). You can also visit our website for updates at.

Regards,

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