

FAMILY UPDATE



December 21, 2021

Hello everyone,

I'm pleased to be able to share we have zero COVID-19 cases at Misericordia Place and no additional staff case. We will continue to monitor residents closely for symptoms.

My main message today is that we – staff and families - need to do *everything* we can to keep our residents safe.

Boost for best protection

With case counts edging up higher and higher and the Omicron variant on the cusp on being the dominant variant in Manitoba, a reminder that the third COVID-19 booster shot offers the best protection – especially for our vulnerable population.

For anyone re-considering a booster shot for a resident, please let us know and we'll administer as soon as possible.

Social outings

We're looking at family requests for social outings on a case-by-case basis. I know 'tis the season for getting together with families, but these are not normal times.

If a social outing is approved, families are required to sign a Shared Health ["PCH Resident Approved Social Leave Signature Form"](#) that outlines quite clearly very strict protocols that must be followed.

Please give me a call if you have questions about booster shots, social outings or any other questions you may have.

Yours sincerely,



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