

FAMILY UPDATE



January 25, 2022

Updated with correction only MP3 designated family caregivers are required to make visiting appointments.

Hello everyone,

COVID-19 outbreak declared

Today I'm writing with news I'd hoped I'd never have to share again: a COVID-19 outbreak was declared yesterday at Misericordia Place (MP3).

There are two cases on MP3: one positive resident who is doing really well and just a few days away from being considered "recovered." We received the second positive result Sunday. Two cases are considered an outbreak.

This makes us the 34th personal care home of 39 in Winnipeg in outbreak status.

Safety first: visitors yes, hairdressing no

We will continue to allow fully-vaccinated designated family caregivers at Misericordia Place as we realize how important these visits are to our residents and their families.

To ensure maximum safety, we kindly ask **MP3** family caregivers to book visit appointments between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. daily.

To book, please call 204-788-8440 from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. weekdays.

A nurse screener will provide a review of proper PPE and visiting guidelines.

MP3 residents will not have access to the hairdresser on the main floor whilst in outbreak.

When is an outbreak considered over?

An outbreak is declared over by a regional Infection Prevention and Control designate after one incubation period (14 days), assuming there are no new cases following the isolation of the last recovered case.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Taylor". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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