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Hello everyone,

COVID-19 outbreak update

Currently there are six residents (all on MP1) who have tested positive for COVID-19. The outbreak numbers are always up-to-date on the Misericordia Place page of our website: misericordia.mb.ca/misericordia-place/

I want to emphasize that even though our number of cases are rising, *COVID-19 is not necessarily spreading at Misericordia Place*. These are still the initial swab results coming back in dribs and drabs. Not all the results come back at the same time.

I am deeply saddened to report a resident who tested COVID-19 positive passed away early this morning.

We continue to reassess all Misericordia Place residents, including taking temperatures twice daily. Additional nursing and support staff will remain in place throughout the outbreak.

We will call you if your loved one has symptoms and requires testing. By all means, do call the nursing staff if you have any questions related to your loved one's health condition:

MP1: 204-788-8431

MP2: 204-788-8432

MP3: 204-788-8433

Many of you have called or emailed us to let us know how much you appreciate the information you are receiving and thanked us for the compassionate care being provided to your loved ones during the outbreak. Thank you: it means a lot.

Visitor Restrictions

On Monday (Oct. 26) we will be reassessing whether visitor restrictions for all of Misericordia Place will remain in place. We know how difficult it is not to be able to visit your loved ones, but we need to keep everyone safe. Our direction comes from Public Health. We appreciate your patience and understanding.

Personal Care Home Standards Review

We were pleased to receive Misericordia Place's latest standards review report from Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living.

It can be found on our website here:

misericordia.mb.ca/programs/long-term-care/misericordia-place/health-services/

Please let me know if you have any questions about the modified review.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jennifer Taylor".

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