

Holy Family Home, Inc. 165 Aberdeen Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba R2W 1T9

p 204 589.7381
f 204 589.8605

Jan. 20, 2025

Dear families,

Today we initiated outbreak measures on 3C St. John's/St. Paul's unit as we do have several residents experiencing respiratory symptoms over the last 2 days. At this time, the unit is not on outbreak, but due to an abundance of caution, I am asking that families do keep their loved ones on the resident care unit to prevent additional spreading to other residents in the facility. We have initiated the below outbreak measures:

- Daily screening of residents for respiratory symptoms
- initiate Isolation Precautions for anyone demonstrating respiratory symptoms
- Nasal Pharyngeal Swab for anyone developing symptoms of a respiratory illness
- Only small group activities that allow for physical distancing between residents on the resident care unit
- Ensure physical distancing during meals
- Ensure residents hand hygiene before and after meals, activities, and assist anyone who is unable to do it alone
- Increased cleaning of high touch surfaces and common areas
- The North and South units are not to intermingle by restricting the movement of wandering residents that move between the two units
- Staff are to self-screen for symptoms before reporting to work, and if symptoms are present please to do not come in to work
- All residents to remain on the unit
- Visitors are to limit visiting, but visitation to occur in the resident care rooms on the unit only

We also continue to have respiratory outbreaks on 2A Sacred Heart and 5A St. Michael's unit. We are hoping to have a resolution of these two outbreaks in the near future.

Thank you all very much for your cooperation, should you have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Stacey Morgan RNBN

Director of Care