

COVID-19 INFO

COCHRANE TEMISKAMING RESOURCE CENTRE

To: All Staff
From: Daniel Roy
Subject: Updates - Covid-19
Date: February 18th, 2021

KEEP UP THE EXCELLENT WORK
Take care of each other!

“WASH YOUR HANDS, PHYSICALLY DISTANCE, STAY SAFE”

- ✓ Our Regions have exited the Ontario Lockdown on February 16th, 2021.
- ✓ At the end of the Lockdown, our regions returned to colour coding (*green, yellow, orange, red or gray*), based on several factors such as number of active Covid-19 cases, community outbreaks, hospitalizations, etc..
- ✓ Each colour will have guidelines and restrictions for Employers, Businesses and Ontarians as we continue to manage our response to Covid-19.
- ✓ You may learn more about the guidelines and restrictions linked to the colour code by visiting <https://www.ontario.ca/page/covid-19-response-framework-keeping-ontario-safe-and-open>
- ✓ The Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services continues to have Separate and Enhanced precautions to safeguard the health and well-being of residents and staff regardless of the end of the lockdown or the colour code in our region. This will be until further notice from the Ministry.
- ✓ Outings in the community (to stores and malls) are suspended for now. Please look for yard and outdoor activities that may be used by individuals.
- ✓ Essential visits to hospital and for other medical appointments may proceed.
- ✓ Non-essential visits in our Residential Homes remain suspended at this time.
- ✓ Essential Visits may occur starting Monday February 22nd, 2021. Essential visits are to be for reasons of physical and mental safety and wellbeing of the individual in care. Essential visits may also be dependent on operational requirements.

- ✓ **Visitor screening, physical distancing and the wearing of PPE are required during the essential visit. All visits are to be coordinated with the Residential Supervisors. CTTC will need to monitor the visits and we are to provide the PPE's needed by the visitor.**
 - ✓ **We will review every two weeks the status of essential and non-essential outings and visits.**
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Keep up the Infections Control Practices. They have been effective to date!

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Daniel Roy', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is fluid and cursive.

Daniel Roy, Human Resources Director

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