

***This email update is forwarded on behalf of Providence Health Care's Pandemic Response Team.***

Saturday, April 3, 2021

Dear residents and families of St. Vincent's: Langara,

Further to our communique to you on Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, please be advised that, based on Public Health guidance, we have ended the heightened state of precautions we had undertaken as a result of a suspected COVID-19 exposure on our Cedar unit. Public Health's investigation and review confirmed no COVID-19 exposure occurring.

Our precautions had resulted in a temporary suspension of social visits to Langara while we investigated the situation. Essential visits were not impacted.

We are pleased to notify that social visits to Cedar neighbourhood and all of Langara can resume, beginning Sunday, April 4.

Our precautions had included further testing of some residents and staff and a number of operational and infection prevention strategies to ensure the ongoing safety of everyone. Thanks to the comprehensive effort by the response team and staff, in cooperation with residents, we are satisfied there is no further risk of COVID exposure due to the specific case.

We apologize for any inconvenience this case review may have caused families and thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Should you have further questions or concerns or if you want to schedule visits, please contact the Unit CNL or Site Manager.

Kindest regards,

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