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Good morning,

I hope that this update finds everyone doing well.

I am pleased to inform you that the outbreak at St. Peter's Residence at Chedoke has been declared over by the Public Health Department. Just like each of you, we too are relieved to receive such positive news. These results are a testament to the rigorous screening measures, timely and appropriate use of personal protective equipment, adherence to physical distancing protocols, scrupulous hygiene and sanitation processes and adherence to all other recommended precautionary measures that have been put in place and meticulously followed by our staff. This is great news and demonstrates that the precautionary measures and directives relating to staff testing on a bi-weekly basis is working. Staff have continued to do an incredible job mitigating the risk of the virus spreading.

I am also pleased to inform you that we continue to have no active COVID-19 cases at any of our other 16 supportive housing, congregate living and long-term care sites. I want to repeat my commitment to you all. The health, safety and well-being of all our residents, clients and staff remain our number one priority across all our Thrive Group locations.

As you have seen in the media and through Premier Ford's updates, we have seen an increase in the number of new COVID-19 infections locally and a number of significant outbreaks in long-term care homes and in community settings across Ontario. In response to the current increase in COVID-19 cases we are seeing re-introductions of restrictions across the province to flatten the curve and to protect those living in care facilities. We will be implementing new practices to meet these challenges as appropriate.

We thank everyone for being so committed to the well-being, safety and health of our residents, clients, staff and family members. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we move through this second COVID-19 wave.

As always, I will post any updates on this website should any significant changes occur.

Please continue to be safe and I wish you all the very best over the upcoming Thanksgiving weekend.

Steve Sherrer
CEO