



**Media Statement – Outbreak at Holyrood Manor Long Term Care Home – Maple Ridge, B.C.
- Dr. Rhonda Collins, Chief Medical Officer, Revera**

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Fraser Health Authority has confirmed that two residents of Holyrood Manor Long Term Care Home in Maple Ridge have tested positive for COVID-19 since the outbreak began November 9. The resident cases have resolved.

Fraser Health Authority also confirmed that four staff members have tested positive for COVID-19. All cases have resolved.

We are working closely with Fraser Health Authority officials and are maintaining pandemic outbreak protocols and infection control practices. We are doing enhanced cleaning at Holyrood Manor Long Term Care Home, frequently disinfecting high touch surfaces like handrails and doors, resident rooms, common areas and staff rooms.

All residents are monitored closely for symptoms three times daily and are tested if they present any potential signs or symptoms of the virus.

All staff are screened at the beginning, middle and end of their shifts. All staff are required to wear an appropriate mask and eye protection when in the home, and are advised to follow all public health orders when not at the home.

All residents are to remain in their rooms at all times with contact and droplet precautions in place. Individual recreation activities will be continued to maintain social engagement during this period of isolation.

We are regularly updating residents, their families and the staff on the status of the outbreak. All indoor and outdoor visits are cancelled temporarily. Essential visits for end of life residents are permitted.

We recognize how difficult these measures are for residents and their families and we appreciate their patience and understanding as we put these precautions in place for the safety of our residents.

Revera continues to do everything we can to keep our residents and employees safe as we work to prevent the spread of COVID-19 at our long term care homes and retirement residences.

