



**Media Statement – Outbreak over at Leaside Retirement Residence – East York  
- Dr. Rhonda Collins, Chief Medical Officer, Revera**

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Toronto Public Health has declared the outbreak at Leaside Retirement Residence over.

We appreciate the support of Toronto Public Health and the patience and understanding of the families of our residents. We would also like to acknowledge the hard work of the team at Leaside who continue to work hard to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

We regret to confirm one resident passed away with COVID-19 since the outbreak began on January 5. The team at Leaside offers its most sincere condolences to the family and friends of the resident who passed away during the pandemic.

We can assure you that we are not letting our guard down now that this outbreak is over. We are maintaining our vigilance, monitoring residents and screening staff for symptoms, and ensuring that staff wear appropriate masks and eye protection at all times.

Any residents or staff displaying any potential symptoms will be placed in isolation and tested for COVID-19.

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