

April 8, 2021

Dear Residents and Families;

Yesterday, the Premier announced lockdown measures across the entire province. The GTA had already been in grey (lockdown). Government restrictions during lockdown status mean; *“trips outside of the home should be for essential reasons. Social gatherings are not permitted, except with those in your immediate household.”* As residents of Delmanor the same restriction on social gatherings would apply. Only those deemed essential caregivers can access our community. Residents are only permitted to leave the building for short walks or urgent medical appointments. Outings to family or friend’s homes do not fall under the essential category and as such are not permitted under the order.

This is arguably the most important time to adhere to all government restrictions. **Since the last update, Public Health has further advised us, that if a resident still chooses to leave for a non-essential daytime and/or overnight visit, (despite government restrictions imposed) they will automatically be required to self-isolate for 14 days upon their return, and will be required to have a negative COVID test result before they can exit their suite.** This is effective immediately and is subject to change. Residents must advise the General Manager of their plans, so the team is fully prepared. I am urging everyone to please respect the restrictions imposed by the government in light of the continuing spread of COVID-19 and the highly contagious variants that threaten the health and lives of Ontarians. By making this difficult but necessary decision now, we are helping to protect the safety of all residents, team members and essential caregivers in the weeks to come.

Thank you for your cooperation during this challenging time.



Adam Fineman

President & Chief Operating Officer