



OUTBREAK STATUS REPORT

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ACTIVE OUTBREAKS

Premises	Location of Facility	Date Declared	Type of Outbreak	Affected Area(s)	Pathogen 1	Pathogen 2	Comments
Bethany Care Home	Norwich	Dec 10, 2020	Respiratory	Entire Facility	COVID-19		
Terrace Lodge	St. Thomas	Dec 5, 2020	Respiratory	Lower South	COVID 19		

RESOLVED OUTBREAKS

Premises	Location of Facility	Date Declared	Type of Outbreak	Affected Area(s)	Date Resolved	Pathogen 1	Pathogen 2
Woodingford Lodge	Woodstock	November 24	Respiratory	Entire Facility	December 5	COVID-19	
Terrace Lodge	St. Thomas	October 24	Enteric	Lower North, Upper North, Lower South	November 27	Norovirus	
Bethany Care Home	Norwich	November 12	Respiratory	Entire Facility	November 27	COVID-19	
Arches Transitional Bed Program (Surge Capacity Unit)	Woodstock	November 16	Respiratory	Entire Facility	November 26	COVID-19	

Since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Ontario government has recommended, and for some types of facilities mandated, that staff do not work at more than one health care facility. If your facility is experiencing an outbreak and need to utilize personnel who work at other facilities, this must be discussed with your health unit contact. [See Directive #3 for Long-Term Care Homes under the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007 Issued under Section 77.7 of the Health Protection and Promotion Act \(HPPA\), R.S.O. 1990, c. H.7.](#)

For hospitals seeking guidance on staff that work at more than one hospital please see 'Working at Other Facilities During Outbreaks' on our website at https://www.swpublichealth.ca/en/partners-and-professionals/resources/Long-Term-Care-and-Retirement-Homes/Influenza-and-Outbreaks/guidance-working-at-other-facilities_.pdf

Current COVID-19 information including guidance documents for the health care sector, information on signs and symptoms, testing, etc. can be found on the Ministry of Health's website at http://www.health.gov.on.ca/en/pro/programs/publichealth/coronavirus/2019_guidance.aspx

Local COVID-19 resources and information can be found on the SWPH website at <https://www.swpublichealth.ca/en/my-health/covid-19-resources-for-health-care-providers.aspx>