

CONFIRMATION OF A COVID-19 OUTBREAK IN CHANDLER HOSPITAL

GASPÉ, OCTOBER 24TH, 2020 – The management of the Integrated Health and Social Services Centre (CISSS) de la Gaspésie wishes to inform the population that an outbreak of COVID-19 is currently affecting workers at the Chandler Hospital. So far, there are less than five employees have tested positive for COVID-19 and no users have been affected.

The CISSS de la Gaspésie has implemented measures to ensure the safety of the population and staff, such as general disinfection of the premises as well as an upgrade of the hygiene and sanitation team. All those targeted by the public health and infection prevention and control (IPC) team will be screened in the coming days.

As soon as the first case was confirmed, in collaboration with the Tactical Response Team (SWAT), the PCI team enhanced infection prevention and control measures and ensured the application of best practices. in the context of COVID-19.

A crisis unit and an outbreak management committee have been set up to properly coordinate operations in the area.

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