

CONFIRMATION OF A COVID-19 OUTBREAK IN MGR-ROSS LONG TERM CARE FACILITY

GASPÉ, OCTOBER 27, 2020 - The management of the Integrated Health and Social Services Centre (CISSS) de la Gaspésie confirms that less than 5 employees of the of the MGR-Ross Long term Care Facility in Gaspé have tested positive for COVID-19. The CISSS would like to remind everyone that the facility is multidisciplinary. This outbreak **does not** affect the long-term care section of the facility (CHSLD).

All individuals identified by public health and the infection prevention and control team will be screened. Staff continue to wear personal protective equipment. In addition, the premises are disinfected regularly by a hygiene and sanitation team.

With support from an on-site Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) nurse as well as the SWAT PCI team, staff and managers rigorously enforce IPC measures to limit the spread of the virus.

When an outbreak occurs, the CISSS de la Gaspésie sets up a crisis unit as well as a management committee.

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