

CONFIRMATION OF A COVID-19 OUTBREAK AT THE MANOIR ST-AUGUSTIN

GASPÉ, NOVEMBER 2ND, 2020 – The head of the Gaspé's Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux (CISSS) wishes to inform the public that a Covid-19 outbreak is currently unfolding at the private seniors' residence (RPA) Manoir St-Augustin, located in Gaspé. 8 residents and less than 5 employees have received a positive test for COVID-19, as of November 2nd at 9 a.m. Some cases will therefore be included in tomorrow's assessment. Epidemiological investigations are underway and all families have been notified.

The CISSS de la Gaspésie and the owners of the residence are working closely together to prevent the spread of the virus as much as possible in the residence. All residents and employees will be screened by tomorrow. All residents are confined and all employees wear personal protective equipment.

In addition to upgrading the hygiene and sanitation teams, as well as the care teams, an infection prevention and control nurse and manager have been deployed on site to ensure that all the measures and best practices during the outbreak are rigorously applied by on-site staff.

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