Staff Update - Thursday November 5th

We have no changes to report to the status of COVID-19 within Hawthorne Place.

The outbreak on our third floor is stable. We currently have no positive resident cases, and the two impacted staff members continue to self-isolate at home as per the direction from Toronto Public Health.

We remain in daily contact with Public Health, and all infection and prevention controls measures are in place. Ongoing directives include bi-weekly testing and single site staffing. If you have any questions, please speak to your supervisor. Remember for everyone's continued health and safety, do not come into the home is you are not feeling well, call your supervisor.

Bi-weekly testing dates:

Flu Clinic: Please note that our flu clinic is on hold while we wait for additional vaccine supply.

Joint Education Event:

Thank you to everyone who was able to virtually attend the event last Thursday with keynote speaker and "AWESOME" author, Neil Pasricha. If you were unable to attend or would like to see the presentation again, a link is available in the News section, on the Employee Communications App. Don't have the App yet? Please follow these few simple instructions, and you are on your way to being AWESOME!

1- Visit the App Store (iPhone) or Google Play (Android) and download the YAPP app.

2-Email your name and home/community name to signmeup@responsivegroup.ca

Remember if you have a work email address you will need to use

your <u>responsivegroup.ca</u> or <u>responsive.on.ca</u> email address, not your home or community name If you do not have a work email address, **please email from your personal email address.**

3- You will receive an email invitation to YAPP that contains a home/community specific link. In order to access your app please click the link and follow the instructions.

Staff Engagement Survey- Staff surveys are live, and the timeline has been extended. Please provide your anonymous feedback on Surge before the survey closes on November 13th. Thank you to everyone who has already done so!

My next scheduled update is Monday, November 9th. I will be in touch sooner should there be anything important to share. As always, if you have any questions or concerns please speak to your supervisor or to me directly.

Thank you for your ongoing dedication and support,

Michelle Sattler Executive Director Hawthorne Place Care Centre