

Update: March 19, 2020

Hi Everyone,

As the pandemic continues to evolve, we are all being inundated with messages through the media, social media, our social circles and our workplaces. In these unprecedented times we are all trying to find ways of managing and understanding the information that is important for us to know in order to keep our families, our friends and ourselves healthy.

The Ontario Ministry of Health continues to emphasize the importance of following **social distancing** recommendations and to stay at home when you are not working, avoid group gatherings and maintain a distance of two meters or more when in public settings. We are all working together to flatten the curve and help to reduce the speed at which the virus is spreading.

We want to assure our clients, residents, family members and staff that the Thrive Group Pandemic Planning Committee continues to meet regularly to review and update our plans to be proactive and responsive to the ever changing environment in which we find ourselves.

In true Thrive Spirit, support and encouragement for one another is happening all across our sites! We are hearing so many touching stories about how residents, clients, families and staff are coping and supporting each other! From sending cards and Facebook messages to sharing hand sanitizer and toilet paper! We will try to share these uplifting stories with you on our website over the coming days and weeks.

We continue to be grateful for your patience and understanding and want you to know that the health and well-being of our clients, residents and staff remain our number one priority.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Steve Sherrer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Steve Sherrer, CEO