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A message for our families

Based on encouraging public health and health care indicators, the Ministry of Long-Term Care <u>announced</u> the plan to gradually lift temporary enhanced measures currently in place at long-term care (LTC) homes.

As of Feb 7, residents who have received at least three COVID-19 vaccine doses are able to resume social day absences. Residents may now also designate up to a max of four family caregivers (unless designated before Dec 15, 2021). At this time, only two designated family caregivers may visit a resident at once.

We will keep families updated as additional measures are expected to be lifted in the coming weeks through the Ministry's cautious and phased approach.

We appreciate the ongoing support of our residents, staff and families. As we continue to follow all directives and public health guidance to keep everyone safe, we invite you to visit our Family Caregiver Programs webpage and our visiting, absence and testing at a glance charts for more information.

Please don't hesitate to connect with the Executive Director of your specific peopleCare Home with any questions.