

family, resident, and staff update

December 29, 2025

Influenza-like Illness (ILI) Outbreak

Dear St. Marguerite Manor families, residents, and staff,

As of this morning, five residents on Memory Care 2 are experiencing an influenza-like illness (remain on isolation) and one other has recovered. We also have two residents on Wellness 2 experiencing ILI symptoms and an outbreak has been declared by Public Health as of Dec 25th on Wellness 2. Staffing is currently at usual levels or above and we are continuing to monitor the situation closely.

As precautionary measures, we have:

- Placed those ill residents on isolation and we are closely monitoring all residents and staff for signs of illness.
- Immediately instituted additional cleaning and other infection prevention measures.
- All recreation activities at St Marguerite have been modified to be provided separately on each unit, with people not attending those on other units.
- Not restricted visitation but we encourage you to minimize visits on Memory Care 2 and Wellness 2 and keep them to the residents' room, rather than the common areas.

We are doing all we can to contain the outbreak, working closely with our zone's Medical Officer of Health and Assisted Living Alberta. We are monitoring residents very closely.

As with previous outbreaks, the outbreak status will be updated at covenantcare.ca by 6 pm every Thursday. Please direct questions to me at 587-230-5500 or email admin@covenantcare.ca.

Thank you for your continued support, patience, and understanding.

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Acting Site Administrator