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UPDATE TO ALL FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Hello,

Wexford is in a parainfluenza outbreak. Parainfluenza is the common cold. There is one resident remaining on isolation. Ottawa Public Health will make the decision on when the outbreak is declared over.

The Board of Directors announce the appointment of an Interim President and CEO for St. Patrick's Home of Ottawa

The Board of St. Patrick's Home of Ottawa is very pleased to announce that **Monique Patterson** has been appointed Interim President and CEO effective March 2, 2024 upon the retirement of Janet Morris.

Monique has served as the VP, Nursing at St. Patrick's Home of Ottawa for 7 years and prior to joining the team at St. Pat's has many years of experience in Long Term Care. Please join me in congratulating Monique on her appointment to this new role.

The search for a new permanent President and CEO is underway, led by a subcommittee of the Board of Directors.

Jeena Alocious, RN will be assuming the role of Acting, Director of Care to provide clinical leadership along with Pam Smith, VP, Nursing while Monique is in the Interim President and CEO role. Congratulations to Jeena.

Be well and stay safe,

Janet Morris
President and CEO