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Cc: Terri Gray; Janice Dewland; Wendy Shaw
Subject: Vaccination Program CLOC, and Letter to employees from the BOD

Hello Board Members, Terri, Janice and Wendy,

This is to inform you of 2 items:

1- **BOD Letter to employees:**

In April 2020, I sent a letter of acknowledgement and thanks to CLOC employees as they had experienced the beginning of the CLOC pandemic.

Now more than a year after, I have asked Pauline Matchett (and she has graciously agreed) to assist in drafting a follow-up letter to CLOC staff.

Unlike last year, where I signed the letter for the BOD, this one will contain all of your names.

After reviewing Pauine's draft, it will be vented through Terri and or Janice, and then the final draft via all of you for any comments, corrections or suggestions.

We hope to do this within the next 2 weeks.

2- **CLOC Vaccination Program:**

Th following is a very detailed and informative description by Janice.

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To: JC Legault; Pauline Machett

To give you some vaccine information, CLOC was notified at the end of February that congregate care staff were now part of Phase 1 in the vaccine schedule and we were asked to send in our list of names for all employees wanting to be vaccinated. We had compiled this list and were able to provide this immediately. We sent this in and then employees individually were notified directly by public health with the date time and location for their vaccine. All CLOC employees listed were booked for March 4th at the

Pickering site. The vast majority of employees attended this clinic and were vaccinated. We did have some that were missed in the roll out and some that could not make that date/time and were rescheduled. All staff who had indicated that they wanted to receive the vaccine have now received their first dose of the Pfizer vaccine. Originally they were given an early April 2nd dose date and many have now received a change to the date due to the new 4 month provincial 2nd dose change. Most employees have been notified of a date in early June now for their second dose.

The people supported in congregate living settings will be part of Phase 2 of the vaccine roll out but they are at the top of the Phase 2 priority. We have had advocacy at the provincial level as well as local that we are seeing the results of with both our staff and people supported being recognized as priority and moved up the prioritization list. CLOC has worked to prepared for people we serve in congregate settings and in the community and their families and we have a full list of names and signed consents ready to go when we are notified that they will be vaccinated.

Our understanding is that people supported in congregate living will have mobile units that will attend each home and vaccinate everyone in the home. We will also be able to vaccinate any staff who may have missed their initial vaccination opportunity (although we are encouraging staff not to wait for this and to book online for a more recent date), as well as any family who have been deemed "essential" under the guideline, may also received the first dose of the vaccine through the mobile unit at the home of their love one. People supported in the community are not part of this initial priority roll out but we have and continue to advocate for recognition of vulnerable populations in the community and we are ready with our list of those wanting the vaccine and their consents and are confident that they too will be vaccinated later in the spring and if needed staff will be available to assist the with booking and access to clinics.

We anticipate that Phase 2 vaccinations for congregate settings will begin late March/early April and we are prepared for the request for names. Once we have provided the list of names and locations, we anticipate a 24 - 48 hour turnaround from submission to vaccine administration.

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