

Pembroke Regional Hospital

MEMO

To: All Staff and Physicians
From: Infection Prevention and Control & Occupational Health and Safety
Date: March 25, 2024
Subject: Confirmed Influenza Outbreak - Medical

Today, in collaboration with the Renfrew County District Health Unit (RCDHU), a confirmed Influenza Outbreak has been declared on the Medical Unit.

In addition to the outbreak management strategies identified in the PRH memo distributed on March 23, 2024, the following additional measures are effective today:

- General visitation to the medical unit is not permitted;
- Caregivers are permitted for essential reasons only and must comply with masking requirements at all times and any additional personal protective equipment that is required based on the posted signage at the entrance to the patient's room.

Any unvaccinated staff member or physician working on the medical unit who wishes to receive the influenza vaccine and/ or antiviral treatment should contact the Occupational Health and Safety Team at ext 7202 or the clinical resource nurse (afterhours) at ext 6820.

As a reminder to all staff and physicians, the influenza vaccine remains available through the Occupational Health Department. Please contact ext 7202 or email: OccHealth@prh.email to book a vaccine appointment.