DAILY COVID-19 UPDATE:
THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF YORK

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2020 AS OF 5 P.M.

York Region Medical Officer of Health Dr. Karim Kurji provides an update related to COVID-19:

- 604 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in York Region
- 46 new cases since yesterday
- 38 confirmed cases are currently hospitalized; 19 of which are in Intensive Care
- 76 resolved cases, which equals about 13%
- 7 institutional outbreaks:
  - 5 Long Term Care Facilities currently under outbreak protocol for COVID-19 include:
    - Bethany Lodge
    - Yee Hong Centre for Geriatric Care
    - Markhaven Home for Seniors
    - Villa Leonardo Gambin
    - MacKenzie Place
  - 2 additional community settings currently under outbreak protocol for COVID-19 include:
    - Reena Home
    - Vita Community Living Home
- Sadly, 24 COVID-19 related fatalities in York Region

York Region Public Health continues to urge local residents to stay home whenever possible and practice physical distancing when out doing essential activities, like grocery shopping. This long weekend, resist the urge to gather with family and friends. Instead, gather virtually.

If you are feeling any symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, cough, shortness of breath) or are at greater risk of developing serious illness (70 years of age and above, immunocompromised), York Region Public Health asks you to please stay home and self-isolate. Additional information on seeking assessment at one of the three COVID-19 Assessment Centres in York Region is available at york.ca/covid19

The Regional Municipality of York applauds our local health care and front-line workers for their tireless commitment to supporting our community.