Facility Outbreaks in Peterborough County and City

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This table is updated when a new outbreak is declared, when a causative agent is identified and/or when an outbreak is declared over. If you have questions about these outbreaks, please contact the facility. For further information, call Infectious Diseases program staff at (705)743-1000. This information is posted on www.pcchu.ca.

The following facilities in Peterborough County and City are experiencing an outbreak:

Facility Name	Address	Phone	Onset of First Case (Y/M/D)	Date Reported (Y/M/D)	Type of Outbreak	Causative Agent	Recommendations	Health Unit Contact Person	Date Declared Over (Y/M/D)
Extendicare Peterborough	860 Alexander Court Peterborough, ON K9J 6B4	705-743-7552	2015/01/02	2015/01/05	Respiratory	RSV and Influenza A	There are two organisms circulating and thus, the Health Unit recommends: • All staff (vaccinated or not vaccinated against influenza) be offered antiviral medication • All staff/volunteers not work in in any other facility until seven complete days after their last day in the outbreak facility and only if asymptomatic. (NOTE: There was an error in the previous alert which stated rhinovirus instead of RSV in this section.)	Karly Jessup, PHN	
PRHC Functional Support Unit— C3	1 Hospital Dr, Peterborough, ON K9J7C6	705-743-2121	2015/01/13	2015/01/19	Respiratory	Rhinovirus	During a rhinovirus outbreak, staff/volunteers working at this facility should be advised not to work at any other facility until four complete days after their last day in this outbreak facility provided they are asymptomatic. (A Guide to the Control of Respiratory Infection Outbreaks in Long-Term Care Homes MOHLTC 2014).	Karly Jessup, PHN	
Riverview Manor	1155 Water St. Peterborough, ON K9H 3P8	705-748-6706	2014/12/29	2015/01/05	Respiratory	Influenza A	Due to the possible mismatch of the A/H3N2, it is recommended that vaccinated staff members be offered antiviral medication during an influenza A outbreak. This is in addition to the usual recommendation for unvaccinated staff members to receive antiviral medication during an influenza outbreak.	Sarah McBride, PHN	