

PEMBROKE REGIONAL HOSPITAL

MEMO

TO: All Staff and Physicians

FROM: Kirsten Johnson, Manager of Infection Prevention and Control

DATE: February 3rd, 2025

SUBJECT: Outbreak Over- Medical

In consultation with the Renfrew County District Health Unit, the influenza outbreak on the medical unit has been declared over. As a result, all outbreak management strategies for the unit have been lifted. We would like to express our appreciation for the collaboration and dedication of all staff and physicians in helping to stop the transmission of influenza on the unit.

However, many respiratory illnesses continue to circulate within our community. We encourage everyone to remain vigilant with infection control practices to help prevent the spread of respiratory infections and protect both staff and patients.

As a reminder, enhanced masking protocols are now in place. Masking is required for all patient interactions. For further details, please refer to the “Enhanced Masking Requirements” memo, which was distributed on January 21st.

Thank you for your continued commitment to safety.