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A newsletter to inform and help the community find the resources they need to succeed!!



Due to the uncertainty concerning the Coronavirus, Winnipeg Housing Rehabilitation Corporation (WHRC) continues to be closed. Until further notice. In line with social distancing practices, WHRC staff will continue to be available by phone or email. Please call 204-949-2880 or email info@whrc.ca.

Provincial Release on Lifting Restrictions

The Provincial government has announced two phases of safe restoration of services. Phase one which is to start May 4, 2020 states that Non-urgent health providers such as dentists and physiotherapists are to resume their services Monday. Retail stores, hair salons and restaurant patios are to reopen, but at no more than half their capacity.

Various businesses are required to follow specific guidelines outlined for each type of business. Some general guidelines are:

- Staff must use the self-screening tool before coming into work. https://sharedhealthmb.ca/ covid19/screening-tool
- Employees must stay home when ill and customers are not allowed entry if they are ill with COVID-19 symptoms.
- Staff are given information about physical distancing. Businesses must post external signs
 indicating COVID-19 physical distancing protocols, along with floor markings where service is
 provided or lines form.
- Entry into the business, including lines, are regulated to prevent congestion.
- Businesses must maintain a single point of entry.
- No more than 10 people may gather in common areas. Congregation of people should be actively discouraged.
- Hand sanitizer is available at entrances and exits for public and staff use.
- Washrooms have frequent sanitization and a regime for business sanitization is in place.
- Cashless or no-contact payment should be used to the greatest extent possible.

For more information on services reopening, check the Government of Manitoba website at:

https://www.gov.mb.ca/covid19/restoring/phase-one.html

Repairs Required?



WHRC wants to remind all tenants; not to complete repairs on their own. WHRC will hire qualified contractors to do the work. If you need repairs done in your apartment call your caretaker.

In compliance with social distancing, your caretaker will not be able to enter you unit, however they will be able to suggest if the repairs is an emergency. They will contact the office with what needs to be done.

If you have a maintenance issue after 6 p.m. in the evening or on the weekend and it is an EMERGENCY (such as a broken pipe) Call 204-949-2880. Answering machine will pick up and give you directions on how to contact the On-call Staff.

Laundry Room



Winnipeg Housing would like to remind you that the laundry rooms in your buildings are shared spaces.

Therefore, we ask that you clean up after yourselves, by putting used dryer sheets and lint in the garbage.

Please do not leave them in the machines or on the floor.

Please remember social distancing while in all common areas including the laundry room.

Please also remember to practice regular hand washing when

Calling All Green Thumbs



Spring is here!

We hope that Project GROW can get going in the month of May.

If you live at 347 or 588 Manitoba, 351 Victor, 531 Furby or 970 Sherbrook. If you had a box last year & would like to have the same box this year, please contact Fiona to confirm your box. If there are any boxes left, Project Glow will assign it to the first names on the list—requesting boxes.

If you plant in box without it being assigned to you; we will ask you to remove your items.

Please contact Fiona @ 204-560-2470

Contact

Have a question about available resources?

Contact Fiona:

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