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NMG mobilizes to further protect its residents and employees

EAGLE LAKE, Maine (Dec. 22, 2020) – Three Mercy Home employees and one of the nursing home’s residents have tested positive for COVID-19.

“I want to assure everyone that we are doing everything we can to keep our residents and staff safe,” said Northern Maine General CEO Michelle Raymond. “However, COVID-19 has entered Mercy Home from the community. In consultation with CDC, Multi-Level Administrator Denise Raymond, who oversees Mercy Home and Franciscan Home, and her staff have been working non-stop to implement all additional safety measures available to us. We have prepared for this, and the safety measures within our Emergency Plan are all in play.”

Additional testing is ongoing, and a letter from Denise Raymond has gone out to families of residents.

Further information will be provided as it becomes available.

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Northern Maine General is a nonprofit social services organization serving Aroostook County, with business offices in Eagle Lake and Caribou. Founded in 1907, NMG provides long-term care, rehabilitation, home and community supports, behavioral health services, case management, and consultation services and resources. Contracted services include subsidized apartments

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