



Pandemic Planning for Long-Term Care Homes and Retirement Homes

In the wake of the H1N1 scare, your Board of Directors may have asked you about your state of preparedness for a pandemic. Being prepared for a pandemic is similar to being prepared for any unexpected emergency. But, as you know, the additional health and clinical elements of a potential pandemic need special consideration.

In response to questions from our clients, we have developed pandemic planning expertise specific to Ontario long-term care and retirement homes. We can help you:

- Develop or update your pandemic plan and communicate that plan to your staff and stakeholders;
- Understand the labour and employment and other legal issues that arise in the context of a pandemic; and
- Reassure your Board of Directors that you have a plan of action in place to respond to a pandemic.

Our clients tell us our pandemic planning expertise is practical, cost-effective and highlighted areas they had yet to consider. They were able to implement our plans and advice right away.

We would welcome the opportunity to put this expertise to work for you. Since we have already worked with organizations similar to yours, you will find our packages and rates to be extremely competitive.

Please contact Kate Dewhirst at (416) 967-7100 x 226, or by email at kd@ddohealthlaw.com to discuss the ways we can assist you.