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## A thank you to our healthcare heroes, the Ontario Government and our partners

Sienna welcomes the announcement from the Government of Ontario to provide hero pay for team members working in long term care and retirement residences.

In Canada, nowhere have the impacts of COVID-19 been felt more than at long term care and retirement residences. Seniors living is at the epicenter of the crisis. The announcement by the Ontario Government recognizes that our team is doing the work of heroes, providing the care and services residents need at this difficult time.

We thank our 12,000 team members, the Ontario Government and also governments across Canada who have acted promptly to implement and provide funding for important measures to safeguard residents and team members.

We also want to acknowledge the many partners who are supporting us in the fight against COVID-19

- The Registered Nurses Association of Ontario,
- All public health units, Regional Ontario Health Teams, Canadian Military Health Care Workers, Local Health Integration Networks and the many hospitals:
  - Humber River Hospital
  - o Trillium Health Partners
  - Scarborough Health Network
  - Southlake Regional Health Centre
  - The Ottawa Hospital
  - Michael Garron Hospital

Through the extraordinary efforts of our team, the support of all levels of government, and our healthcare partners, we are confident that we can turn this situation around in the coming days and weeks.

The warmth of human connection