

Managers and Supervisors: Please share this message with staff who do not have access to a computer at work and encourage them to visit the [employee portal](#) on ELI frequently for updates.

COVID-19 Updates & Resources – April 14

If you have questions about how COVID-19 is impacting you in the workplace, please feel free to send them to covid19staffsupport@toronto.ca.

City Manager's town hall available online

City Manager Chris Murray's virtual [town hall](#) for staff is now available with captioning on InsideTO and the ELI portal for those who missed it. The town hall was held virtually on April 9 and addressed the significant impact the COVID-19 pandemic is having on the City and staff.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ISsnV6QdNuU>

Child care centres for essential and critical services staff

The City has received authorization from the Province to open two additional licensed child care centres to provide care for the children of essential and critical service workers. The two new child care centres will be downtown where the City has seen the most demand. The centres are located at 34 Bathurst Street (open now) and 1125 Danforth Avenue (opens Thursday). A complete list of workers eligible for emergency child care is available at ontario.ca/page/child-care-health-care-and-frontline-staff. Find out how to [apply](#).

<https://www.toronto.ca/home/covid-19/covid-19-social-support/covid-19-child-care-for-essential-workers/>

Want to be a disease detective?

Toronto Public Health is seeking to learn how COVID-19 is moving through our community and how well public health measures are working so they've created an online public survey. If you're interested in helping with their research, you can take the five-minute [survey](#).

<https://s.tphsurvey.chkmkt.com/?e=193177&h=0A523DF3CF580E6&l=en>

Celebrating our everyday heroes

Have an inspiring story to share about our everyday heroes during the COVID-19 pandemic? Send it to news@toronto.ca.

Volunteers with the therapeutic dogs program recently left some supportive messages at Lakeshore Lodge. Pets and their owners regularly visit residents in long-term care, but with the COVID-19 pandemic they are unable to come into the homes. So they demonstrated their support in a very sweet way!



Questions? Email: covid19staffsupport@toronto.ca / Information line: 416-338-0016

Useful resources

ELI (toronto.csod.com)

InsideTO (<http://insideto.toronto.ca/coronavirus/index.htm>)

toronto.ca/covid19