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Dear people we support and families,

Thank you.

Thank you for your resilience. Thank you for your persistence. Thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Someone once said that the strength of your character comes from the moments when you face adversity.

We think that the strength of our community comes from the moments when we band together to combat any challenge we face.

With changes happening daily, moments of escalation, difficulty, and inherently hard times ahead, you have been diligent, understanding, helpful, thankful, and kind. You have taken in stride every preventative measure our organization has taken to ensure your and your family's health and wellbeing during this time. You understand that with every preventative measure we have taken, it has been with consultation and not without understanding of the impact it would have on you.

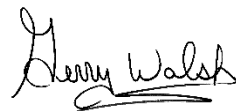
We know that these are hard times, and you are standing with us, standing with your families, and banding together as a community to minimize the entry and transmission of COVID-19 to the people we support.

Thank you. While there will be more to come, for right now, thank you for all that you're doing to support the health and wellbeing of the people we support, your families, our staff, and the community.

We will continue to keep you informed of any new developments, and you can read the latest at: clgw.ca/covid19

With gratitude,


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