

March 22, 2020

**Statement from THP President & CEO Michelle DiEmanuele:
First COVID-19 Related Death in Toronto**

“On March 21, 2020, a patient being treated at Trillium Health Partners (THP) for COVID-19 passed away. On behalf of our entire hospital, I would like to extend our deepest condolences to the families and loved ones during this difficult time.

THP’s highly trained staff care for respiratory illness every day and are prepared for communicable diseases such as COVID-19. These are extraordinary times for our community and country. The hospital is continually taking strong measures to protect our patients, people and the community. By continuing to work together, we will flatten the curve.”

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