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Statement: Sienna thanks Government of Ontario announcement on Hero Pay – April 25, 2020

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 epicentre of the crisis. Today's 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 and to enable senior living providers to have adequate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) at all times for use in accordance with provincial directives.

Through the extraordinary efforts of our team, the support of all levels of government, public health, hospitals and regional health authorities, we are confident that we can turn this situation around in the coming days and weeks.