



Incident Command Update – Feb. 9, 2022

To CMH team members from Incident Commander John Alexander, MD, MHCM, FACEP, Chief Medical Officer

TODAY'S CENSUS: CMMC 116; Bridgton Hospital 17; Rumford Hospital 19

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT HOLDS: CMMC 13; Bridgton Hospital 2; Rumford Hospital 3

COVID-19 PATIENTS: CMMC 17; Bridgton Hospital 3; Rumford Hospital 2

CMMC TRANSFER WAITLIST: 6

HOSPITAL SERVICES CURRENTLY IMPACTED: Inpatient Pediatrics; Special Care Nursery; Neurosurgery call coverage; Weekend Stress Echo; CMMC Lab Outpatient Services (CMHO campus) closed Mondays and Fridays; Outpatient Lab at 12 High St., effective Feb. 14, will close earlier, at 4:30 p.m., on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

RETURN TO WORK STRATEGY: Contingency

TODAY'S UPDATE

1. MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY TREATMENT: Great news! Today we opened a MAB clinic on Sabattus Street, in the building also used by Maine Urgent Care – Lewiston. These treatments are by appointment only with a physician order. We are sharing this information with the medical staff and the primary and specialty care practices. There is no walk-in availability and the MAB clinic is not part of Maine Urgent Care.

We are also working on a state application for a one-stop shop that would test, administer and complete prescriptions. We hope to be able to make oral therapies available to our patients through our retail pharmacy.

2. MAINE NATIONAL GUARD: The Guard's time with us is winding down. Thirty-two Guard members will be leaving at the end of the month. Please be sure to thank them for all their help.

3. TALENT POOL: This resource to help short-staffed departments will be even more important given the upcoming departure of Guard members. Please talk to your manager if you would like to help fellow team members in other departments. Managers, please speak to your direct reports about these opportunities before adding anyone to the list of deployment candidates.

Correction: Yesterday's update should have said that *inpatient* hallway beds, along with the discharge lobby, are being underutilized as tools for opening up bed capacity. Please make use of them.

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