

***everyone has an active role to play***

To our Volunteers, Customers, Homeowners, Staff and Valued Community Partners -

Health and Safety has always been a top priority and an essential part of our operations at Habitat for Humanity Brant-Norfolk. Our knowledgeable and trained staff will continue to practice due diligence. Habitat Brant-Norfolk recognizes everyone has an active role to play to prevent the spread of all respiratory viruses including Covid-19. Practicing prevention is key to helping us all build strength and stability in our community.

**Our current status is:**

**Habitat Brant-Norfolk's central office** located at 80 Morton Ave East, Brantford.  
Regular office hours Monday – Friday from 9am-5pm.  
There may be times when staffing will be limited. We encourage you to please call ahead to 519-759-8600 before you arrive onsite. We appreciate your understanding.

**Brantford ReStore** located at 80 Morton Ave East, Brantford.  
Open Monday – Friday 9am-6pm, Saturdays 9am-5pm and Sundays 11am-4pm.  
Accepting community donation drop offs during regular hours.  
No truck service for pick up/delivery and no kitchen salvages.

**Simcoe ReStore** located at 29 Park Road, Simcoe (Norfolk County).  
Open Monday - Saturday 9am-5pm.  
Accepting community donation drop offs during regular hours.  
No truck service for pick up/delivery and no kitchen salvages.

***Our key strategies to prevent the spread of all respiratory viruses, including Coronavirus/Covid-19 include:***

- Anyone with fever and/or infectious respiratory symptoms asked to stay home
- Consistent practice of good respiratory etiquette and hand hygiene
- Ensure regular and routine environmental cleaning of our facilities

As information develops we will continue to keep you updated on any effect the Coronavirus/Covid-19 pandemic may have on Habitat for Humanity Brant-Norfolk operations, including our ReStores.

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**Prevent the Spread of All Respiratory Viruses, including Covid-19:**

- Anyone who is unwell or may have been exposed please do not enter any of our ReStores, offices or build sites. We ask you to respect the health and safety of our staff, volunteers, families and customers by following the advice of public health to stay home in self-quarantine or seek medical advice when needed.
- We ask that all staff and visitors respect social distancing recommendations of keeping 2 metres (6 feet) space between you and other people. You should not shake hands or make close contact where possible.
- We are implementing advice and guidance from local public health experts to maintain due diligence in our Health and Safety practices including: hourly wipe downs of common hard surfaces and touch areas; access to hand washing stations; good respiratory etiquette and hand hygiene.
- Affiliate and ReStore essential staff will continue to perform their respective duties and shifts, as per direction from their supervisor.
- All Volunteer shifts - including ReStore, Build and Committees - are suspended
- ReStores will accept donations onsite at both locations in Brantford and Simcoe.
- Truck Service for donation pickups and deliveries is cancelled until further notice.
- Kitchen salvage program cancelled until further notice.

For More Information (click link or call):

[Government of Canada – information line - 1-833-784-4397](#)

[Ontario Public Health - 1-866-797-0000](#)