

Coronavirus Outbreak Declared At Central East Correctional Centre In Lindsay

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KAWARTHA LAKES-The Haliburton Kawartha Pine Ridge District Health Unit has declared a Coronavirus outbreak at the Central East Correctional Centre in Lindsay.

It's unclear how many cases there are or whether it is staff or inmates impacted. We have contacted the health unit and the ministry for more information but have not yet heard back.

The health unit is reporting 19 new cases of Coronavirus in the City of Kawartha Lakes today. Another 9 cases were reported over the weekend.

There's currently 53 active cases of the virus in Kawartha Lakes with the health unit tracking 68 high risk contacts. There has been 425 cases of Coronavirus locally to date. 41 people have died.

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