

**COVID-19 NOTIFICATION**

**12/1/20**

**Number of additional confirmed COVID-19 cases: 4**

Please continue to check our website for additional updates and information on what we are doing to help prevent further spread of COVID-19 in our facility.

If you have any questions or concerns about this notification, please contact us directly at 843-537-2060.

## **WEEKLY UPDATE**

**December 11, 2020**

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

Please accept this letter as our weekly update regarding the status of COVID-19 in our facility. Since the onset of this virus, we have had 48 residents and 41 staff members test positive for COVID-19.

As you have probably heard, the CDC recently announced that healthcare workers and long-term care residents should be among the first group of people to receive the vaccine for COVID-19. We are optimistic this will help stop the spread of this virus in our community. Consents for the vaccine have been sent to each one of you. We are encouraging for you all to please return the signed consent in the stamped envelope provided as soon as possible. While we do not have the exact dates that the vaccines will be administered, we will let you know as soon as that information is available. In the meantime, please continue to do your part in limiting the transmission of COVID – 19 by wearing masks, washing your hands and keeping a safe distance from others.

We are also working hard to keep everyone in our community safe and we will continue to practice the enhanced safety precautions that are known to prevent the spread of COVID-19, such as only essential personnel are allowed inside the facility and we screen them for signs and symptoms of illness prior to entering. Our residents are continually monitored and staff is using PPE as recommended by the CDC. Staff is frequently reminded and encouraged to practice social distancing and to use hand sanitizer and frequently wash their hands when they are in the facility and out in the community. We ask them not to report to work if they have symptoms of illness.

Please continue to check our website for weekly updates as well as notification of new cases. As always, we will notify you if we receive confirmation of a new positive case in our facility and we will reach out to you individually if your loved one is displaying symptoms of COVID-19 or tests positive for COVID-19.

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Sincerely,

Grace Villafranca

Administrator

## **WEEKLY UPDATE**

**December 18, 2020**

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

Please accept this letter as our weekly update regarding the status of COVID-19 in our facility. Since the onset of this virus, we have had 48 residents and 41 staff members test positive for COVID-19. This week our positivity rate has gone up to 10.6% in Chesterfield County. Given this, we will increase the testing of our facility staff to twice a week effective this week. Our residents will continue to be tested once weekly.

Our team is closely working on getting our residents and staff ready for the upcoming COVID -19 vaccination. We would like to encourage our families to please return the signed consents as soon as possible so we can get the necessary paper works ready for those who agreed to get the vaccine which is highly encouraged. If you have any questions; please feel free to call the facility. In the meantime; please continue to do your part in limiting the transmission of the virus by wearing masks, washing your hands and keeping a safe distance from others.

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## *Christmas Holiday Update*

Dear Residents/Families/Friends,

With Christmas and New Year's Eve around the corner, we would like to send you and your loved ones the warmest of holiday wishes. We know how difficult it is to celebrate this time of year without the same traditions we have all grown accustomed to, but with the COVID-19 vaccine becoming a reality in the very near future, we are more hopeful than ever that 2021 will bring happier and safer times for everyone.

As always, we are extremely grateful that you have entrusted your loved ones to our care and we are making every effort to provide our residents with wonderful holidays. Our activities from the beginning of this month is centered around Christmas theme. Staff had brought some gifts and our Activity Department has ensured that each resident will receive a gift this Christmas. Santa has visited the facility last week and greeted residents thru their windows. This made their day! This week, we will have caroling in the facility by staff members, hot chocolate cart daily for residents, and Christmas games and contests for our residents to participate. We want to reassure you that we will try our very best to make this a happy Christmas for our residents given the restrictions in place.

As usual, we highly encouraged window and door visits, face time and phone calls. Please call our facility and speak with the Activity Director to assist you.

As a reminder, our cumulative number of cases to date are as follows: 48 residents and 43 staff members have tested positive for COVID-19. Our regular weekly updates will resume next week and we will continue to update you on our website if we receive notifications of new confirmed cases of COVID-19. As always, if you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact us directly.

On behalf of the entire staff at Rehab Center of Cheraw, I wish you a happy and safe Christmas.

Sincerely,

Grace Villafranca

Administrator



## **WEEKLY UPDATE**

**December 4, 2020**

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

Please accept this letter as our weekly update regarding the status of COVID-19 in our facility. Since the onset of this virus, we have had 47 residents and 40 staff members test positive for COVID-19.

We highly encouraged window visits, door visits, face time and phone calls at this time due to cold temperature.

We are carefully looking at all our options and plans for Christmas to ensure that we have a safe and healthy celebration. Rest assure that whatever we do, the health of your loved ones remains our priority in mind.

In preparation for the upcoming availability of COVID vaccine, we have sent out information and consents by mail this week. Please read the information and if you have any questions; please feel free to call the facility. As you are aware; CDC has given the first priority for the COVID vaccine for residents in the nursing home. Please sign the consent that accompanies the information and return it in the stamped envelope as soon as possible. Thank you for your cooperation.

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Administrator

**COVID-19 NOTIFICATION**

**12/4/20**

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## **COVID-19 NOTIFICATION**

**December 7, 2020**

**Number of additional confirmed COVID-19 cases in the last 24 hours: 1**

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