



WEEKLY UPDATE

April 16, 2021

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 11 residents and 22 staff members test positive for COVID-19. Our last positive staff was on March 2, 2021. Charles County positivity rate for COVID-19 continues to rise. As of April 12, 2021, the positivity rate went up to 7.4%. Weekly mass testing of staff will continue. Test are conducted on Monday and Tuesday.

Please be reminded that you can now call the facility to schedule you visits to see your love one. You can call our receptionist desk Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:30am – 4:30pm to schedule your weekly visits. Also virtual visits and windows are offered.

Now that the season has changed, we have introduced and provided copies of our spring/summer menus to our residents. I am pleased to announce that we are providing and assortment of fresh fruits and salads, soup and fresh vegetables some of which are locally grown as well as a variety of other dishes.

As always, we are 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.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us directly at 240-448-2000.

Sincerely,

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