

WEEKLY UPDATE

June 12, 2020

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

As of today, we've had a total of 27 residents and 14 employees test positive for COVID-19. All but 3 employees have returned to work and 2 residents are being cared for on our COVID Unit today. Our numbers are finally decreasing and our last confirmed resident was about 1 week ago.

Our staff continues to practice the enhanced safety precautions we have previously reported to you through our website and we are closely monitoring the recommendations of our federal, state and local health officials regarding all aspects COVID-19 from mass testing to visitation recommendations.

In fact, as Wisconsin loosens COVID-19 restrictions throughout the state, many people are asking when they will be able to visit their loved ones. At this time, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services ("CMS"), the Centers for Disease Control ("CDC") and our state health officials still recommend we restrict social visitation and only allow essential personnel in the facility. Please understand these restrictions are in place to reduce the risk of transmission of COVID-19 in our facility and to keep our residents safe.

We understand how difficult it has been to not see and visit your loved ones over the past several months and we appreciate your patience and understanding during this time. Until it is safe to allow visitors, please remember that we encourage you to stay in touch with your loved ones through FaceTime, emails, letters and phone calls. Our Social Worker, Nurses, and Therapists will continue to update you as often as you have requested and please feel free to reach out to myself at any time. Please let us know if you are having trouble connecting with your loved one and we will be more than happy to facilitate your communication.

Please remember to check our website for updates. 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. As always, please contact us directly at 262 297-6300 if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Dawn Gordon
Administrator