



To: All Residents, Families and Team Members
From: Kyle Hreben, Executive Director
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Subject: Path Forward Update

Memorandum

Today we learned a team member who works on our 2 Virginia neighborhood has tested positive for COVID-19. This team member is asymptomatic and doing well. We learned of the positive test result through our weekly testing. No other team members or residents are exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19 at this time.

Unfortunately, according to the Department of Health's standards, this puts The Village at Rockville in an active outbreak status and we must return to pre-phase one precautions for the second and third floor residents. Assisted living will remain in phase one.

We are also in the process of arranging testing for all residents on the second and third floors as a precaution. Our team members have continued rigorous infection control practices and using personal protective equipment (PPE) to protect residents from COVID-19.

The Department of Health is allowing us to continue with outdoor visitation for everyone except the 2 Virginia neighborhood where the outbreak was identified.

What is changing?

- Residents who live in our 2 Virginia neighborhood are not permitted patio or glass door visits until the county approves. You may still schedule a virtual visit for your loved one at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/tvarvirtualvisits>
- Skilled nursing (second and third floors) has moved to pre-phase one. We will remain in pre-phase one for a minimum of 14 days
 - Residents on the second and third floors must eat meals their rooms
 - No in-person group activities/programs for the second and third floors (ConnectedLiving will offer virtual programming)
 - Second and third floor residents will not be permitted to move between neighborhoods
- Assisted Living residents should limit movement between neighborhoods and to the front desk

What is NOT changing?

- Assisted Living remains in phase one
 - Group activities/programs continue with no more than five residents social distanced and wearing masks
 - Dining rooms remain open with one resident per table
- 3 Maryland, 2 Maryland, 2 Potomac & Assisted Living continue to be authorized for outdoor/patio/glass door visits
- Team members and routine contractors continue to be tested weekly
- Infection control precautions continue routinely

We will have more information in the coming days regarding testing of all second and third floor residents.

We understand this is a disappointing setback and we are grateful for your patience, thoughts and prayers during this time. As a reminder, all updates can be found online here:

<https://www.thevillageatrockville.org/pathforward>.