



A National Lutheran Community

To: Residents families and team members
From: Kyle Hreben, Executive Director
Date: August 17, 2021
Subject: Community-wide Path Forward Update

Memorandum

Unfortunately, I must inform you that one of our team members tested positive for COVID-19 yesterday. Per our COVID-19 protocols, the team member is in quarantine. As you know, one positive test equates to outbreak status according to Maryland Department of Health (MDH) and Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines for nursing homes. We are in direct communication with MDH and are working with their guidance, and federal, state and local regulations.

One positive test result within our community also means that we must suspend visitation in the Health Center while we conduct required COVID-19 testing on Health Center residents and all team members. We will conduct two rounds of testing. We will keep you posted on the status of these results and hope that one day soon we will be able to open our doors again for in-person visitation.

Until then we appreciate your continued diligence, as we remain vigilant on following proper protocols for hand washing, masking and social distancing.