

To: All Residents, Families and Team Members

From: Erin Wheeler, Healthcare Administrator

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Subject: Path Forward Update

Memorandum

As of the writing of this memo, we have one team member who tested positive for COVID. During our contract tracing process, we identified residents who had potential exposure. After testing residents identified, two residents on the same assisted living neighborhood tested positive. We expanded our testing to all residents and team members on that neighborhood and they were negative. Those positive are doing well and are following current guidance for quarantine.

Health Center visitation guidelines:

- If you are ill or not feeling well do not visit.
- Visitors are not required to be tested for COVID, however, we encourage all visitors to be tested on their own before coming to our community.
- All visitors shall wear a mask (no cloth masks allowed) at <u>all times</u>.
- If you have recently tested positive for COVID, visitors may not visit for a minimum of ten days from the positive test date, as long as they are no longer exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19.
- Upon each entry to the Health Center:
 - Visitors must complete the COVID-19 screening
 - o Perform hand hygiene (alcohol-based hand sanitizer acceptable)
 - o Put on a fresh mask provided at the front desk of the Health Center.
- If any visitor is unable to follow the infection control protocols, they will not be allowed to continue their visit. Visitors younger than two years old are discouraged from visiting.
- Visitors can visit anytime throughout the day but may not stay overnight.
- Visitors are authorized to be in a resident's room/apartment or in designation visitation areas.
- Visitors may <u>not</u> join in any programming/activities at this time.

We continue to update our Path Forward dashboard with any COVID cases on our campus. https://www.thevillageatrockville.org/path-forward/

Thank you for your continued support of our efforts to keep our residents, staff, and visitors safe.