

Dear Family Members and Friends,

We are excited to report no positive COVID tests for staff or Residents. That being said, there's always a chance to return to quarantine status if a positive case is found within our Home so we continue to urge all Staff and volunteers to follow infection control policies. Some good news is the positivity rate within our Home's zip code has gone down. As we continue to watch it drop, our administrative team meets to discuss re-opening plans.

Mother's Day is coming up soon and we are thrilled to announce that family members may sign their loved out of the Home from that day moving forward.

From May 9th forward fully vaccinated Residents are able to go outside of the building following these guidelines:

1. Family members must call the Nurse's desk of their loved one's unit and give the information for the date and pick up time.
2. Upon your arrival, stay in the foyer and alert office staff who you are picking up.
3. The nursing staff will escort the Resident to meet you at the front door.
4. Upon return notify the Receptionist and wait in the foyer for nursing staff to pick up your family member.

Please be patient while waiting for staff to arrive. Do not enter the Home or go to Resident rooms.

Some recommended guidelines while you're out:

- Limit the number of people in contact with your family member.
- Adhere to universal masking, social distancing and hand hygiene.
- Inform the facility if any person who had contact with the Resident tests positive for COVID, or develops symptoms within 72 hours of the visit.

Thank you for supporting our mission and caring for the elderly,

Melissa Wierzgac, Administrator