

December 5, 2020

Hello Everyone,



Per the CMS guidelines, I wanted to inform you that we had a staff member in our Housekeeping department test positive for COVID on Friday. He was last in the building on Thursday and had no resident contact. Two other staff had come in contact with him and were sent home to be quarantined for 14 days.

We disinfected all areas this staff member was in with our victory electrostatic disinfectant sprayer.

**The following will continue to remain in place and no changes will be made at this time:**

- All staff continues to be screened and reminded to report any symptoms before entering the building.
- We continue to test all staff weekly.
- All staff are wearing surgical mask at all times throughout the facility.
- All staff are wearing eye protection when taking care of the residents/patients.
- All residents on all floors are still being encouraged to stay 6' apart and wear mask.
- Residents can attend small group dining (6 residents), church (10 residents), and activities (10 residents).
- The annex and part of the 4<sup>th</sup> floor rehab section are our holding zones for incoming rehab patients needing to be on a 14-day quarantine. It also serves as a quarantine area for any resident having to go out overnight for a hospital stay.

**Testing:**

All staff were tested this past Monday and on Wednesday all residents (except 9 on the Memory Care floor) were tested. Results are back for all but one staff member and all were negative; we are still waiting on the resident results hopefully, they will be in tomorrow.

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I'll work on the zoom meeting notes tomorrow 😊

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