

November 12, 2021

Hello Everyone,

I don't have anything new to report this week as everything continues to run at "normal".

**The following interventions and actions continue to be in place:**

- Approved unvaccinated staff continue to wear an N95 mask, surgical mask and eye protection at all times and in all resident/patient care areas.
- All other staff are wearing a surgical mask and eye protection at all times and in all resident/patient care areas.
- We screen all staff, visitors, vendors, and other healthcare providers upon entering the building.
- All residents are assessed for signs and symptoms of Covid-19, 2 times a day and if there is a noticeable change in their condition.
- We test all approved non-vaccinated staff two times per week per state guidelines

**Booster Vaccine:**

[Will be here on November 18<sup>th</sup>.](#)

**NH Transmission Rate:**

New Hampshire remains in the **RED** zone for transmission rate; one of the highest states in the country now.

**Current Outbreak Status in NH Institutions Throughout the State (as of 11/10/21):**

Current COVID-19 Outbreaks	Resident Cases	Staff Cases	Under Investigation	Deaths
All America Assisted Living	8	5	0	0
Austin Home	11	2	0	0
The Birches at Concord	20	5	0	0
Brookdale Spruce Wood	41	7	0	4
Country Village	33	12	0	3
The Courville at Manchester	33	14	0	4
Edgewood Center	21	1	0	0
Epsom Health Center	15	5	0	0
Golden View Health Care Center	23	8	0	1
Hillsborough County Department of Corrections	148	10	0	0
Hillsborough County Nursing Home	3	1	0	0
Inn at Deerfield	21	4	0	0
Laconia Rehabilitation Center	24	13	0	4
Maple Leaf Healthcare Center	27	7	0	0

Maple Wood Cheshire County NH	7	2	0	0
Mountain Ridge Center	6	8	0	0
NH State Prison - Men's	7	1	0	0
Oceanside Center	27	3	0	0
Pine Rock Manor Senior Living	7	2	0	0
Pleasant View Nursing Home	11	10	0	0
Webster at Rye	17	4	0	0
Woodcrest Village Assisted Living	6	3	0	0
Woodlawn Care Center				
Newport	4	3	0	0

### **Visitation Guidelines:**

**Please remember that due to staffing limitations and the number of visitors allowed in the building at any one time, we request that visits be scheduled in advance.**

MTC's current visitation guidelines can be found on our web site.

<https://mtcarmelrehabcenter.org/covid-19-update/> .

### **To Schedule a Visit:**

1. Go To: <https://mtcarmelrehabcenter.org/family-members/appointments/>
2. Read this page.
3. Near the bottom is where you can schedule a visit; you are able to select either a "Window/Lobby Visit" OR a "Room Visit"
4. Select the date and time slot you would like; (if the date and/or time is not available it will not allow you to select it.
  - ❖ **If you have any problems scheduling a visit please call Barbra Gray, Life Enrichment Director, Monday-Friday at 935-4607 and she can assist you.**
  - ❖ **If criteria are met, compassionate care visits are being scheduled by the nursing staff on the particular floor your loved one is residing. We request that these visits be scheduled in advance. Please call the floor(s) directly to schedule your visit @ 627-3811 and follow the prompts to get to a particular floor.**

### **Last Minute Visit Availability:**

Our online visit scheduling system doesn't allow you to book a visit unless it is more than 3-days out. But, you can call on the current day and if there is an opening you can come in.

Please call our receptionist, Lori and ask her the availability of open times for a **same day visit** (she will not schedule regular visits, those need to be done online). Also, to accommodate weekend visits slots that may go unfilled, you can call Lori by 4:00 on Friday's and she can let you know if there are any available open slots over the weekend.

Hopefully, this will streamline the same day or weekend scheduling process for everyone. **Remember this is for same day/next day visits and weekend visits only not for the general scheduling of a visit.** You are also welcome to come in as often as you would like based

on the availability of open unscheduled time slots. Hope this helps those of you that have been wanting to come in more often.

**Past News Letters/Other Info:**

- ✓ News letters are posted on our web site under COVID Updates.  
<https://mtcarmelrehabcenter.org/covid-19-update/> .
  
- ❖ The reporting method for the current level of Community Transmission in the state via the CDC's reporting system is now color-coded; Gray = No Data, **Blue** = Low Transmission, **Yellow** = Moderate Transmission, **Orange** = Substantial Transmission, **Red** = High Transmission: If this type of info interest you please go to:  
[https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#cases\\_community](https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#cases_community) for more information.

**Monthly ZOOM Meeting:**

Our next zoom meeting will be this coming Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup> at 6pm, mark your calendars; an invite will go out prior to that meeting.

**Hiring:**

2-3 Part-time receptionists for evenings and weekends. We also have openings in housekeeping, dietary and nursing. Please spread the word 😊 Go To:

<https://recruiting.paylocity.com/Recruiting/Jobs/All/1a2915aa-7fbd-4325-96f0-1ace5d58d007/New-Hampshire-Catholic-Charities?location=All%20Locations&department=Mt.%20Carmel>

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