## August 17, 2023

Hello Everyone,

We have some new cases of COVID to report.

1 nurse positive yesterday off 4<sup>th</sup> floor.

1 LNA positive today off 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

1 resident yesterday on 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

We continue to be in an outbreak status by the city of Manchester Health Department.

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## The following interventions continue to be in place:

- Staff on all floors are wearing a medical mask and eye protection at all times in all resident/patient care areas.
- All positive residents are on isolation in their room.
- Staff on all floors will be wearing full PPE for any resident(s) in isolation, (N95, eye protection, gowns, gloves).
- All residents on all floors are being reminded to wear a mask when out of their room, when with a visitor, and during care (a bit difficult on third floor).
- We tested all residents and staff today. The testing cycle will be 24-48-48 hours Then one day the week after that. If all are negative we can stop testing and clear on September 1.
- All residents are being assessed for signs and symptoms of Covid-19 and if there is a noticeable change in their condition.
- We are also doing an antigen test as needed for staff and residents if anything is suspected.
- Visitors are encouraged but not required to wear a mask when visiting especially 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

Please remember if you have any sniffles it may not be allergies it could be the start of COVID.

We highly recommend that you test yourself and keep those around you safe.

There has been a recent uptick of COVID cases in NH.

Sincerely,

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