



April 13, 2021

To Residents and Family Members:

Update on the latest news at CCRC ---

On Monday of this week, April 12th, we collected COVID-19 testing samples on 151 staff and 2 consultants. One part-time Dietary employee tested positive and the remaining employees and consultants tested negative. The part-time Dietary employee last worked at CCRC on Thursday, April 8th. This employee was removed from the schedule.

When a new case of COVID-19 among residents or staff is identified, we are required to immediately begin outbreak testing and suspend all visitation until at least one round of facility-wide PCR testing is completed. If the first round of PCR testing reveals no additional COVID-19 cases, then visitation can resume. If the first round of PCR testing reveals one or more additional COVID-19 cases. Then visitation will remain suspended for all residents (vaccinated and unvaccinated), until we meet the criteria to discontinue outbreak testing. We are now required to test residents and staff weekly until we have 2 weeks of testing cycles with no new positive test results. If we have no new positives in that period we can discontinue testing residents.

COVID-19 **PCR Testing** on the residents was completed on 4/12, Monday evening. COVID-19 **POC Testing** on the residents was completed on 4/13, Tuesday morning. We expect to receive results from the PCR testing by the end of this week.

Our COVID Committee continues to closely monitor COVID-19 and staying abreast of updates from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), and the local and state health department.

Stay safe & Stay Healthy.

Sincerely,

Peter A. Panos

Administrator