



TO: Residents and Family Members

FROM: Peter A. Panos, Administrator

DATE: October 2, 2020 **UPDATED**

As of Friday, October 2, 2020, we have received COVID-19 test results as follows –

Residents

Final Resident Test Results for week beginning 9/21/20 –

100 Residents were tested for COVID-19, 100 resident tests were negative and -0- resident tests were positive.

Resident Test Results for week beginning 9/28/20, as of 10/02/20 –

100 Residents were tested for COVID-19, 96 resident tests were negative. We are still waiting on test results for 4 residents.

Employees

Final Employee Test Results for week beginning 9/21/20 –

183 Employees were tested for COVID-19, 183 employee tests were negative and -0- employee tests were positive.

Employee Test Results for week beginning 9/28/20, as of 10/02/20 –

188 Employees were tested for COVID-19, **187** employee tests were negative. We are still waiting on test results for 1 employee.

Update from Governor Hogan and the Maryland Department of Health

Changes are coming related to –

1. Visitation of Residents
2. Guidance for Phased Relaxation of Nursing Home Restrictions
3. Entry of Health Care Workers and Other Providers of Services (Beauticians)
4. Communal Activities and Dining

For those of you that heard Governor Hogan Thursday evening, you know that indoor visitation may resume at Maryland nursing homes where no new cases have been reported in 14 days or more, along with greater flexibility for compassionate care visits. As you can see above, we had no new cases for the week of 9/21/20 and we are waiting on the test results for 4 residents and 1 employee for the week of 9/28/20. We will be providing additional details next week with effective dates of changes at Citizens Care, pending outstanding test results.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact the Director of Nursing, Cassie Evinger RN BSN at EXT 2100 or email at Cassie_Evinger@CitizensCareCenter.com or Administrator, Peter A. Panos at EXT 2101 or email at Pete_Panos@CitizensCareCenter.com