

To: **Dunwoody Village Residents, Families and Staff**

From: **Kathy Barton, Director of Operations**

Brandon Jolly, Director of Health Services

Re: **CONTINUED UPDATE RE: COVID-19**



October 27, 2020

General Updates:

Doggie Parade:

Today, October 27th, the Halloween Outside Doggie Parade will commence at 2:00 p.m. The parade will start at the putting green and continue around the Care Center. Participants, please arrive at the putting green before 2:00 p.m.

Mail-In and Absentee Ballots:

All information provided is as posted on the Delco website: www.delcopa.gov.

Ballot drop boxes nearest to Dunwoody are:

- Edgmont Township Building, 1000 Gradyville Road, Edgmont, PA 19073
- Haverford Administration Building, 1014 Darby Road, Havertown, PA 19083
- Marple Public Library, 227 S. Sproul Road, Broomall, PA 19008
- Media Borough Hall, 301 N. Jackson Street, Media, PA 19063
- Radnor Township Building, 301 Iven Avenue, Wayne, PA 19087
- Upper Providence District Court Building, 935 N. Providence Road, Media, PA 19063

Drop-boxes are under camera surveillance. An inspector may be present at certain hours. Unless you have officially designated an authorized agent, you MUST deliver your own ballot. Mail-in or absentee ballots may also be returned to the Delaware County Bureau of Elections, the Media Government Center, 201 W. Front Street, Media, PA 19063.

If you change your mind about a mail-in or absentee ballot and decide to vote in person: you MUST bring your ballot in its mailing envelope to your designated polling place on November 3rd and inform the poll worker that you would like to spoil your ballot and vote in-person instead. You will surrender your mail ballot to the Judge of Elections. You can then cast a regular in-person ballot. **IF YOU DO NOT HAVE YOUR MAIL-IN BALLOT TO SURRENDER AT YOUR POLLING PLACE, YOU MAY CAST A PROVISIONAL BALLOT.** This will be counted **ONLY** if the Bureau of Elections does not receive the mail-in/absentee ballot that was sent to you.

Care Center Updates:

COVID-19 Testing:

Testing for the week of October 19 – 25, 2020: All Care Center residents' results were negative. A total of 278 staff members were tested. All tests returned are negative; there are 13 pending. We again began testing all Care Center residents and staff on Monday, October 26th.

In accordance with the Department of Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) requirements:

Care Center regulations and visitation will remain at Phase I Reopening (as posted to our website on Friday, September 25, 2020) until all staff and residents continue to test negative for a 14-day period. We will test on a weekly basis until there is a 14-day window where there are no positive results.

Residential Updates:

Outside Patio Dining will end October 30th:

Due to cooler weather and the time change this upcoming weekend, the last day for outside dining will be Friday, October 30th.

Cider & Donuts, Wednesday, October 28th:

Residents will be served cider & donuts in the Main Lobby between 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon. Please remember to socially distance.

Happy Hour Zoom on Friday, October 30th:

Call Kayla at 610-723-4601 for her to send you an invite to the zoom Happy Hour she will host on Friday, October 30th at 3:00 p.m.!

Walk to End Alzheimer's Raffle:

Raffle tickets for the Walk to End Alzheimer's baskets that are on display in the Main Lobby may be purchased through Kayla in our Marketing Department. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. Raffle tickets will be drawn on Friday, November 6th.

Technology Helpdesk:

Kayla McFadden, who can be reached at 610-723-4601 or email: kmcfadden@dunwoody.org is the point person if you have a technology issue. Call Kayla to log an issue. She will track the issue and assign it to a team member.

Masks:

Please remember to wear a properly fitted mask whenever someone is providing housekeeping, maintenance, or other types of service inside of your residence. Properly fitted masks must cover both the nose and mouth. If your mask is not properly fitted, it provides no protection for you or others! Clean cloth masks on a daily basis and do not wash disposable masks.

Visitation, Including *Essential Services*:

Please remember that ANY and ALL types of visitation must be approved and made a minimum of one day (Monday through Friday) in advance. Contact Kayla in Marketing at 610-723-4601 to schedule! **The Lobby area is common space with a high volume of traffic. It is not permissible to meet with family members or someone providing a service or consultation in the Lobby area.** With approved vendors and staff members needing to check in and out, the number of persons in the Lobby can quickly become congested if you are sitting with a visitor. The lack of ability to social distance in the Lobby area may place residents and others at risk. We greatly appreciate your understanding and cooperation!