

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**



January 12, 2021

General Updates:

Care Center Updates:

Vaccines:

CVS Pharmacy is scheduled to be on-site at Dunwoody Village on 1/14/21 to begin vaccinating Care Center residents and staff. We have been notified that the date for the second on-site vaccine clinic has been changed to 2/4/21.

County Positivity Rate:

Delaware County's Covid-19 Positivity Rate remains above 10%, currently at 10.8% as of 1/11/2021. Although the rate is dropping, Delaware County will remain in a "red-level" of risk for COVID-19 until the County positivity rate drops below 10%.

Status of Positive Cases:

We currently have a total of 9 COVID-19 positive residents in the skilled center. 7 remain on skilled and 2 are hospitalized. Of the 7 residents on skilled, 6 will receive monoclonal anti-body infusion treatment to be administered by Penn Medicine. This treatment must be administered within the first 10 days of diagnosis and the patient must be free of other specific health issues. All four units: Dundale, Pavilion, Patten and Fairlee remain closed to all access, except for essential staff needed to provide care to residents on the units. All units are currently under strict infection control precautions.

No new residents in personal care have tested positive since December 23, 2020.

We have 8 staff members who are positive for COVID-19. 3 are asymptomatic and 5 are experiencing mild symptoms. They are all quarantined at home. We also have 13 staff that are out due to being exposed with close personal contact to someone that tested positive for COVID-19 or with symptoms of COVID-19.

Testing:

All residents and Care Center staff are being tested twice per week until COVID-19 positivity rates for Delaware County drop below 10%.

Residential Updates:

Status of Positive Cases:

One Independent Living resident tested positive for COVID-19 while hospitalized and remains in the hospital.

Art Show:

Calling all artists, photographers, needleworkers, weavers and quilters!! Planning is underway for an Art Show to be mounted on the partition wall outside of the auditorium. Targeted show date is February 1st. Let's brighten up the construction hallway with the display of the tremendous talent of our residents and staff! If you have framed artwork that you would like to include in the exhibit (or unframed quilts), please contact Jerry Kinkead at 484-428-3190 and plan to add your creation to the glorious exhibit. Help make 2021 a more cheerful and colorful year.

Resident Construction Committee Zoom Meetings:

Topic: Elevations discussed by Jorie Nailor.

The Resident Construction Committee will be hosting 2 zoom sessions as follows:

Friday, January 15th at 10:00 a.m. – Village & West Country Residents

Friday, January 15th at 2:00 p.m. – East Country & Penrose Residents

Kayla will be sending out the zoom link (no sign up necessary). You can attend either session, but it would be best to attend the session for your residential group so that we don't overcrowd the screen!

Construction Update:

This week, Warfel plans to finish the grading of the building pad, begin the footings for the new building, and finish the temporary walls on the second floor. Finally, they will be demolishing the ceiling and walls and adding "weather protection" to the walls on the outside of the new partition.

We ask that residents do not enter the construction site or engage the construction workers. If you have questions, please contact Administration or the Resident Construction Committee who will work to provide answers.

Video by Dr. Lawrence:

Today, Tuesday, January 12, after the DVRA meeting we will be showing a video from Dr. Lawrence about the Vaccine and some common questions people have about the vaccine. It is about 25 minutes and has a lot of good information.

Connie and Kathy Show:

The Connie and Kathy show will be on January 19th at 7:00 pm. Please send your questions to Connie Stuckert either by e-mail or written note. We need these questions by Friday, January 15th.

Lobby Visitation is Not Permitted:

Please keep in mind that all visitation must be pre-approved and arranged in advance. If family or friends would like to drop off items, please ask them to leave those items at the front desk for pick-up or delivery to your residence. Meeting with outside persons and congregating in the Lobby poses a risk to residents and staff. We appreciate your cooperation in keeping your fellow residents and staff safe.

Travel Restrictions – PA Department of Health: www.PA.gov

By Order issued November 17, 2020, as of 12:01 a.m. Friday, November 20, 2020: Travelers entering PA from other countries or states as well as Pennsylvanians who are returning home from other countries or states are required to have a negative COVID-19 test within 72 hours prior to entering the Commonwealth of PA or quarantine for 14 days upon entry into PA. Individuals travelling for work, medical reasons, or military order are exempt. This travel restriction to and from ALL states remains in effect until further notice.