## Family Update:

08/16/2021

## **Skilled Nursing Facility**

The latest round of regular staff testing has resulted in one fully vaccinated staff member testing positive through rapid testing and subsequently negative through PCR testing. The employee is on quarantine and the first round of all staff and resident testing has been completed resulting in no additional positive cases. In addition, we are following all Maryland Department of Health requirements which include temporarily ceasing visitations. We will communicate as soon as we are able to resume visitation.

## **Assisted Living and Memory Care**

Assisted Living and Memory Care are not affected by this vaccinated employee's potential breakthrough case. The latest round of regular testing in these centers has resulted in no positive staff or residents to date.

Due to substantially increased positive COVID cases in Charles County, the following changes to visitation will now be implemented:

- 1. Outdoor visits will be held daily, 10 am 6pm.
- 2. Visitors will screen outdoors prior to visit.
- 3. The residents and visitors will remain masked for the duration of the visit. Any visitor noted violating our mask mandate will be asked to replace their mask or the visit will be terminated.
- 4. All outdoor visits will be scheduled through Yolanda Medley with a 24-hour notice.
- 5. If a visitor arrives unannounced/unscheduled, they will be asked to schedule a visit through Yolanda Medley.
- 6. Family may escort residents to Medical Appointments.
- 7. Residents are discouraged from leaving the facility on family outings at this time (non-medically necessary outings).
- 8. Eating during the visitation is not permitted.