

COVID-19 NOTIFICATION

Weekly Report

Date: 7/06/2022-7/12/2022

To: Our Healthcare Residents, Independent Living Community, Families, Team Members and Contracted Team Members

Re: COVID Update

This past week, we had one team member and three residents from Lancaster in Healthcare test positive for COVID – 19. A second team member tested positive on 7/11/2022, but only had minimal contact with residents and does not spend time in the living areas of the community. On 7/12/2022, a third team member tested positive that works in Assisted Living and on Wang Rehabilitation. A fourth team member tested positive this morning and we are grateful to report they had not worked recently.

Independent Living had an additional five residents that tested positive with two last week, two over the weekend and one on Monday. All individuals impacted by COVID-19 exposure will continue to be notified within 24 hours of Village Shalom being aware of the positive test. COVID-19 notification letters are available on the Village Shalom website.

<https://www.villageshalom.org/blog/coronavirus-updates/>

Please review the summary of cases on Village Shalom campus at this time listed below:

Independent Living Residents

- New Cases: 3
- Total Active Cases: 6

Assisted Living Residents

- New Cases: 0
- Total Active Cases: 0

Memory Support Residents

- New Cases: 0
- Total Active Cases: 0

Wang Rehabilitation Center Residents:

- New Cases: 0
- Total Active Cases: 1

Health Center Residents

- New Cases: 3
- Total Active Cases: 3

Team Members:

- New Cases: 3

- Total Active Cases: 4

IMPORTANT REMINDER, PLEASE READ: To help prevent the spread of infection it is important that all are aware of the signs and symptoms of Covid-19 and report any symptoms you may have immediately. People with COVID-19 have had a wide range of symptoms reported – ranging from mild symptoms to severe illness. **Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure to the virus.** People with these symptoms may have COVID-19:

- Fever or chills
- Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache
- New loss of taste or smell
- Sore throat
- Congestion or runny nose
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea

**This list does not include all possible symptoms.

Per CMS guidance, residents who are not up-to-date with all recommended COVID-19 vaccine doses and have had close contact with someone with COVID-19 infection should be placed in quarantine, even if viral testing is negative. Residents who are up-to-date on their vaccines do not need to quarantine to their rooms, but should continue to social distance and wear a mask when leaving their room. The guidance goes on to state residents who are identified as potentially being a close contact of the individual who tested positive for COVID-19, are considered to have had close contact and should not participate in communal dining or activities.

Village Shalom asks that visitors help us in preventing the spread of COVID-19. Upon arrival, please check-in at the North Entrance. **When visiting, we kindly request that you wear a mask, practice good hand hygiene, and social distance.** Per CMS regulation, visitors who have a positive viral test for COVID-19, symptoms of COVID-19, or currently meet the criteria for quarantine, should not come on campus.

As always, do not hesitate to contact Matt Lewis at 913.266.8400 or Jamie Paredes at 913.266.8468 with any questions. Independent Living residents should contact Jill Allin with any inquiries at this time. She can be reached at 913.266.8410.

Thank you so much for your support!

Sincerely,



Matt Lewis – CEO

And Jamie Paredes – Nursing Home Administrator