



The Area's Premier Family Owned & Operated Senior Living Community

December 11, 2020

Dear Residents, Family Members and Resident Representatives,

This has been an exceptionally difficult past few weeks dealing with the COVID-19 pandemic. We are pleased to share some good news. The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has found the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine to be safe and effective, and our facility will be able to give the vaccine to residents. This is very encouraging news.

The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine will soon be available to all residents. Based on an agreement with the CDC, Walgreens has been designated as the pharmacy that will deliver and administer the vaccine to our residents. We are moving forward with our plans and will provide additional details soon. In the meantime, we are beginning the process of obtaining signed consent forms that are required by Walgreens in order to administer the vaccine. The vaccine requires two doses. Residents will need to get both doses to ensure the best results. The second dose will be given approximately 21 to 28 days after the first dose. There will be no costs to get the vaccine.

We encourage as many people as possible to get this vaccine. The elderly have a much higher risk for getting very sick, being hospitalized, or dying from COVID-19. The vaccine has been shown to provide a great deal of protection against serious illness due to COVID-19. **The more residents that get vaccinated, the better we can protect our community against potential outbreaks and save lives.** This vaccine has gone through testing and clinical trials to ensure it meets the highest safety standards. The health and safety of our residents is always our top priority, and we are confident this vaccine is a much better option than the risk of getting this virus. You may wish to visit www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines to learn more about the vaccine.

We will continue to take all necessary precautions after the vaccine is administered, including wearing personal protective equipment and conducting regular testing, to ensure the safety of our residents and staff. We will also work with public health officials to determine how and when to adjust our policies for visitations and social activities and keep you updated.

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Although there have not been any changes to the estimated reopening dates, we have included the table below showing the current status for our neighborhoods.

Neighborhoods: Skilled Nursing, Assisted Living and Recollections		
Activity	Status	Service Resumption
Outdoor Visits	Allowed	N/A
Essential Caregiver Visits ¹	Suspended	Visits resume 12/28/20 ¹
Compassionate Care Visits	Allowed	N/A
Bereavement Visits	Allowed	N/A
Indoor Visits	Suspended	Visits resume 1/04/21
Dining	In room	Communal dining 1/04/21
Activities	In room	Communal activities 1/04/21

1. Essential Caregiver visits may not resume until all residents have received two rounds of testing. Delays in receiving test results may impact the estimated date to resume Essential Caregiver visits.

There is a light at the end of the tunnel. We are hopeful that the vaccine will be a lifesaving turning point in the fight against COVID-19. Please do not hesitate to reach out to us with any questions. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Regards,

The Keane Family