

# SUNNYSIDE MANOR

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

November 24, 2021

Dear Residents, Family Members and Resident Representatives,

We're writing to report that a fully vaccinated staff member has tested positive for COVID-19. This positive test result requires that we test our residents and staff members in all three neighborhoods for COVID-19. To date, we have not received any additional positive test results. Because only one person has tested positive, this is not considered to be an outbreak. The testing we are performing to confirm that COVID-19 is isolated to one person is considered to be an investigation.

The good news is that this does not have any impact on our residents having visitors. The favorable changes that we shared with you last week about the length and frequency of the visits are still in effect.

However, the guidelines do require that all visitors wear facemasks **at all times** during our investigation, even when visiting a resident privately in their room. Some visitors have enjoyed sharing meals with their loved ones in their rooms. Since visitors must wear facemasks in resident rooms, the sharing of meals with residents is not allowed until testing has been completed, which we expect to be on or around December 6<sup>th</sup>.

For those of you who will be taking your resident loved one out for Thanksgiving Day dinner, the NJ Department of Health has issued a Risk Assessment Template that we are required to complete upon the resident's return to Sunnyside Manor. We will be sending this along with residents as they leave tomorrow so you will know the information we will be asking upon their return.

We'd like to wish a Happy Thanksgiving to you and your families. Thanks to all of you for your ongoing support. Please don't hesitate to share any comments, concerns or questions. We are all in this together.

Regards,

The Keane Family

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