

December 11, 2020



Dear Family Members, Loved Ones, and Team Members,

This letter is to inform you that Bellaire at Devonshire continues to conduct COVID-19 antigen testing for all team members twice a week per Executive Order No. 27-20 by Governor Justice. In addition, residents and team members will receive one PCR test weekly beginning this week.

Team members were antigen tested on Monday, December 7th. Results from this testing indicate that there were no new positive cases. Residents and team members received the PCR test on Wednesday, December 9th. Results from the PCR testing were received today Friday, December 11th with one new positive assisted living resident and one new positive team member. The family of the resident who tested positive has already been notified. Team members received antigen testing again today, Friday December 11th. Results from this testing indicate one new positive case. There are currently five active cases-two assisted living residents and three team members. The next round of antigen testing for team members is scheduled for Monday, December 14th and again on Friday, December 18th. Residents and team members will receive one PCR test on Wednesday, December 16th. We will keep you informed of additional test results after each testing date.

Our community is scheduled for COVID-19 vaccination next week (the week of December 13<sup>th</sup>). This vaccination is for Residents and team members. You should have already received the COVID-19 question/answer and fact sheet from our community. Please review the information carefully to make an informed decision regarding vaccination. Our community is on a tight timeline to get an accurate head count. **If you desire to receive the vaccination and have not already contacted our community, please call the Community, and speak with our Concierge to schedule your time for vaccination no later than this Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup> by noon.**

We continue to take all the precautions recommended by the Center for Disease Control, the WV Department of Health & Human Resources, and the Putnam County Health Department. At this point, we must continue to enforce the “no visitation” rule. We are committed to protecting the health and safety of our residents and team members. We understand the emotional impact that separation from loved ones can cause; however, we feel keeping these essential measures in place will continue to keep our residents safe with the hope to return to a normal routine soon.

Protocol for our community is still in place and we will continue to practice these safety measures:

1. Social distancing
2. All team members are wearing personal protective equipment
3. Screening process for all team members coming to work
4. No community dining
6. Activities department continuing one on one visits
7. Covid-19 testing for residents and team members twice weekly.

We do recognize that family contact and involvement are essential during these times, and we will continue to do everything we can to keep our families and residents engaged. Please let us know if you would like to schedule a FaceTime visit or Go to Meeting. To do so, please contact the Concierge at 304-760-5290 or by email at [concierge@bellaireatdevonshire.com](mailto:concierge@bellaireatdevonshire.com).

We are thankful for the team members who are being so careful and our family members who support the restrictions we have put in place. A special thank you to all that have supported our community during this current time. By partnering together, we will be able to look back at COVID-19 as a distant memory. If you have any questions at all, we are here for you. Please call us at 304-760-5290.

Sincerely,

Jo Clare Hanshew, Executive Director