



ATTENTION: VILLAS RESIDENTS, FAMILY MEMBERS AND TEAM MEMBERS

IMPORTANT – 11/9/2020 COVID-19 UPDATE – *please read this in its entirety.*

In accordance with shared recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the Pennsylvania Department of Health (PA DOH) and others, St. Paul's is in the process of administering our weekly widespread team member COVID-19 testing.

We have received our test results from our weekly resident and team member testing for the week ending November 6, 2020. There were no residents who tested positive for COVID-19 and other than the two team members previously reported on October 21, 2020 with positive test results, we did not have any other team members test positive for this time period. As indicated, both team members who tested positive do not present a transmission risk and do not prohibit us from reentering an open phase.

VILLAS ONLY

According to recommendations of PA DOH, we have begun to bring our two neighborhoods that were impacted and placed into a Yellow Zone, The Willows B and Springs B, back into a Green Zone. This will permit residents to have more freedom on their neighborhood. Dining rooms will be re-opening. Limited activities will begin again. The Meadows has and continues to be treated as a yellow zone due to admissions and readmissions.

This week, VISITATION opportunities and beauty and barber services will also commence for all neighborhoods but the Meadows.

We will continue our weekly testing procedures for all residents and team members and based on our evaluation of the test results along with the guidance from CMS and PA DOH, determine if further action will be required based on those results.

The following are the steps important to note as it relates to VISITATION.

- **PLEASE schedule your visit by calling the Villas receptionist between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.**
- VISITATION SCHEDULE
 - Monday through Friday 9:00-11:00 a.m. and 2:15– 4:15 p.m.
 - Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:00 PM-7:30 PM.
 - Saturdays 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. only
 - Sundays 2:15 to 4:15 p.m. only
- Residents will be able to have INDOOR visitation although outdoor visitation is still preferred – weather permitting. Visits MUST be pre-scheduled during available visitation times with the receptionist.

- Visits indoors are limited to designated locations that are considered “neutral zones” and not within the neighborhoods themselves.
- Visits are limited to thirty (30) minutes. However, other arrangements can be made if visitors traveling longer distances.
- Visitation is limited to twice per week as the schedule allows.
- Visitors must be screened first at The Villas before proceeding to the designated location.
- Once seated, visitors and residents must remain in their seats until the visit is concluded. Please do not move chairs at any time during a visit.
- Visitors and residents **MUST** wear masks **AT ALL TIMES** during a visit.
- Social distancing **MUST** be maintained during the visit.
- Most importantly, if a family member wishes to bring something in to give the resident during a visit, we ask that you give it to a team member or Host/Hostess to pass on to the resident. The same applies if a resident wishes to give the family member something. We ask that visitors and residents **DO NOT** pass items directly to each other.
- Please keep in mind that failure to comply with these guidelines may impact future visitation.
- In-room visits remain limited to End-of-Life/Compassionate care situations on an exceptional basis.
- Visits through a glass door or window are still permitted – however, the door or window **MUST** remain closed.
- Life Enrichment team members continue to coordinate video calls via Facetime or Skype. Please reach out to them to schedule a visit in advance.

We are thankful to be moving in this direction and as always will keep you apprised of any changes. This is proving to be a very fluid and ever-changing situation and we appreciate your patience and cooperation as we navigate through these uncharted waters.

If you have any questions regarding this communication or St. Paul’s plan of action please contact Tammy Lininger, Administrator at the Villas, or Leann McCurdy, Director of Nursing at the Villas.