



ATTENTION: VILLAS RESIDENTS, FAMILY MEMBERS AND TEAM MEMBERS

IMPORTANT – 6/16/2021 COVID-19 UPDATE – *please read this in its entirety.*

In accordance with shared recommendations for the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the Pennsylvania Department of Health (PA DOH) and others, we are required to notify you each time there is a change or development in our Covid-19 status, including new cases among residents and/or team members. We are also required to notify you if we admit a resident with a Covid-19 diagnosis even if they have met the criteria for discontinuation of transmission-based precautions.

We continue to perform testing of all team members as required by the PA DOH. Team members who present with symptoms consistent with Covid-19 are taken off the schedule and advised to consult with their clinician. In addition, any resident(s) who present with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 are tested.

We have completed our required 14-day quarantine as required by the PA DOH and are pleased to announce that effective immediately, ALL neighborhoods are now GREEN zones.

As the designated neighborhood for admissions and readmissions to St. Paul's, The Meadows is unique in its designation. Overall it is designated GREEN with the exception of those residents, who do not meet the definition of fully vaccinated, who are within 14 days of their admission or readmission to St. Paul's. These residents are considered YELLOW.

Please note that visitation has been expanded on weekends as follows: 9AM to 11AM and 2PM to 4PM BOTH Saturday and Sunday.

In addition, we are required to notify you that one resident was admitted who has met criteria for discontinuation of transmission-based precautions and are beyond required quarantine. As such, we have updated our cumulative totals below.

Testing for team members will continue according to the PA DOH. Updates will be provided as future testing information becomes available.

Since November 2020, we have had a total of 57 residents and 85 team members at the Villas test positive for Covid-19. We have also had six third party health care workers who provide services to our residents test positive for Covid-19. Furthermore, we have admitted sixteen residents who have tested positive and had met the criteria for discontinuation of transmission-based precautions upon admission and one resident from elsewhere on campus who tested positive.

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.