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To: Orchard Woods Residents & Representatives, Team Members

From: Associate Administrator Missy Sellers

Subject: Path Forward Update



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The Frederick County positivity rate has risen this week to 16.9 percent and remains in the threshold for twice a week COVID-19 testing. Orchard Woods conducted this week's testing on December 14 and 17 for all team members. As a result of this week's testing, we had three team members test positive with the point of care testing equipment. One additional team member is home on quarantine due to direct exposure.

The chart below provides more detailed information on the impact of COVID-19 in Orchard Woods and across campus.

| | Skilled Rehab | Long-term Care | Memory Care |
|---|---------------|----------------|-------------|
| Resident active cases of COVID-19 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Resident on-set symptoms pending COVID-19 test results | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Active Independent Living COVID-19 resident cases | 0 | | |
| Team member active cases of COVID-19 (across all services lines) | 3 | | |
| Team member on-set symptoms pending COVID-19 test results quarantine required (across all services lines) | 0 | | |
| Team member other illness with negative COVID-19 test results quarantine required (across all service lines) | 1 | | |

We continue to work in partnership with CVS on scheduling a date for a COVID vaccination clinic at Orchard Woods Health Center. At this time, as an organization, we are not requiring the vaccination for residents and team members, but we highly recommend it. We are not yet sure of which vaccination will become available to us. However, once vaccine consent forms and education is made available to us by CVS, we will assure it is readily available to all residents, team members and resident's families.

On Wednesday December 16, the residents celebrated Candy Cane Month with candy canes, candy cane flavored Hershey Kisses, played candy cane volleyball with had inflatable candy canes to hit the balloon back and forth, and learned the history of the candy cane.

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MEMORANDUM

Friday, December 18 was the Resident Christmas party “Merry Little Christmas Celebration,” the residents had refreshments of dessert parfaits, petit fours, meatballs, cheese platter and hot cider. They also enjoyed games, pictures with Ms. Claus and the virtual performance of Adam Melia singing Christmas songs.

Virtual visits will be extended through the holidays in the Assisted Living Memory Care Neighborhood on Christmas Eve and Christmas. This will allow extended family to spend time with their loved ones for the holidays.

As we move into Christmas week in a few days, our team is committed to taking efforts to ensure that this Christmas season brings good food, good times with neighbors and great memories for all residents, specifically at a time where residents continue to be physically disconnected from their families. On behalf of the entire Orchard Woods team, we wish you a blessed Christmas season.