COVID-19 UPDATE

12-27-2020 – COVID Positive Results

Dear Residents and Family Members:

We were notified of several positive staff and resident COVID results between 12/25 and 12/26/20. Three residents tested positive for COVID-19 on 12/25, and two of them that were exhibiting symptoms were transferred to the hospital for evaluation. One more resident with symptoms is currently isolating awaiting COVID test results. In addition, two more employees tested positive on 12/26.   In accordance with NYS DOH guidelines, the residents, as well as the residents' families, were made aware of the results. There are currently four residents in our designated COVID section where they will quarantine for 14 days. The NYS DOH was notified of both the resident and staff results, and the facility is conducting contact tracing to identify any other residents and/or staff that may have been exposed.

On a positive note, I am pleased to report that all of our residents that were quarantining in the COVID section after previously testing positive completed their required quarantine, and have returned to their own units.

Please check this website for additional information and, as always, our nursing staff will be providing resident specific updates, per request.

Again, the uptick in positive cases was predicted by health experts and is occurring across the United States.   I continue to request that you pray for our residents in the hospital and in our COVID section, as well as for the affected staff and the staff that works diligently every day to care for our residents in the face of this virus.   Vaccine administration begins at LCC this week. We will get through this, and there will brighter days ahead. Be safe, wear your masks, get tested, and stay home as much as possible.

Pat Ludington, RN

Administrator