




MEMORANDUM

 **TO:** Covenant Woods Residents, Resident Families and Employees
FROM: John Dwyer, President/CEO
DATE: May 18, 2020
RE: COVID-19 Update

Covenant Woods has reported to the Office of Licensure and Certification, the Virginia Department of Health through the Local Health Department, and with this notice to our residents, resident families and employees, that a community employee has received a positive diagnosis of COVID-19. The Manor East employee has had minimal contact with others, and anyone having had contact will be tested. Due to privacy regulations, Covenant Woods is not at liberty to discuss any details or release any additional information.

Covenant Woods has and continues to exercise maximum precautions to prevent spread of the virus. Sanitation, restricted access, employee screenings, and social distancing measures have been in place for a number of weeks and will continue. The regulatory agencies' only suggested protocol change will be adopted immediately, with all health care residents being required to eat in their private rooms.

As the greater Richmond community begins to reopen, the possibility of virus spread becomes more probable. Please continue diligence in following all protocols set forth by Covenant Woods for the safety of our residents and employees.