



MEMORANDUM



TO: Covenant Woods Residents, Manor East Resident Families and Employees
FROM: John Dwyer, President & CEO
RE: Covid-19 Update
DATE: October 2, 2020

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 of Manor East, and employees, that through our routine testing process, a resident who resides on health care was identified with a positive diagnosis of COVID-19, which is believed to have been acquired outside of the facility. The resident is no longer on campus and did not have any direct contact with other residents. Due to privacy regulations, Covenant Woods is not at liberty to discuss any details or release any additional information.

Contact tracing is being conducted and shared with the local health department. Any needed notifications will be completed shortly.

Under the current guidelines, we will continue to test all health care residents twice weekly, as is required for the next week. Resident testing is impacted by positive test results in their level of care. The frequency of staff and provider testing is also driven by current rate of positivity in Hanover County. That frequency is presently twice weekly.

We continue to monitor all residents in Manor East and have no clusters of individuals with respiratory symptoms. Cumulatively, since the beginning of the pandemic, we have had two (2) health care employees and one (1) health care resident that have tested positive for COVID-19. We have had one (1) assisted living employee, three (3) independent living employees and one independent living resident test positive for COVID-19 since the onset of the pandemic.

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