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Dear Family Member,

I hope everyone is enjoying their weekend. Unfortunately, I need to interrupt it with a COVID update. We have identified a positive employee and have begun testing all residents and staff. So far today's testing has identified two positive residents from two separate floors. As you know from past experience, we continue to test all residents and staff weekly until we can go a minimum of 14 days with no new positives. We are now in an outbreak status, meaning the residents on affected units will be on isolation precautions. Staff will care for those residents using proper personal protective equipment including N95 masks, gowns, gloves and eye protection to prevent any spread of the virus.

Please know that if you choose to visit, we will continue to provide test kits for you as long as we have them available. If you are visiting someone on isolation, you too will be required to gown, glove and wear a face shield. I will update you as things progress.

Sincerely,

Fortunato Scerbo III

Administrator