

June 1, 2021

Dear Family Member,

I hope you had a nice Holiday weekend and a nice unofficial start to the summer. I wanted to take a quick minute and update you on the status of COVID at the ECF. I am happy to report that there are no new cases to report. As we have since May 20, 2020, we continue to conduct twice a week testing for all employees. To date, we have conducted over 12,000 employee COVID tests.

Vaccinations at the ECF remain very successful and we continue to maintain a high vaccination rate for our residents. At this time, 90% of our residents are fully vaccinated.

We have welcomed many visitors in recent weeks. Although restrictions have eased in the community, I'd like to take this time to remind you that Healthcare facilities are still required to wear face masks at all times. No matter your personal feelings on the subject, I ask that you respect our facility staff who are following the Department of Health directive. Social distancing and the use of hand sanitizer are also required.

There have been no changes to our Visitor Response Plan, which can be found on our website at www.OneidaHealth.org.

Sincerely,

Fortunato Scerbo III

Administrator