

WEEKLY UPDATE

November 17th, 2020

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

Please accept this letter as our weekly update regarding the status of COVID-19 in our facility. During routine surveillance testing of employees, November 17th, 2020, 1 staff member tested positive for COVID-19. This staff member quarantined immediately at home per Centers for Disease and Control return to work criteria for Healthcare Workers. All residents of Las Brisas Rehabilitation and Wellness Suites were tested per rapid antigen process with negative results for all residents. Required reports have been made to Dallas County Health and Human Services and Texas Health and Human Services Commission. We are following their directions to minimize exposure and prevent COVID-19 cases for all residents and staff members.

As always, we are working hard to keep everyone in our community safe and we will continue to practice the enhanced safety precautions that are known to prevent the spread of COVID-19, such as only frontline workers are allowed inside the facility and we screen them for signs and symptoms of illness prior to entering. Our residents are continually monitored and staff is using PPE as recommended by the CDC. Staff is frequently reminded and encouraged to practice social distancing and to use hand sanitizer and frequently wash their hands when they are in the facility and out in the community. We ask them not to report to work if they have symptoms of illness.

Please continue to check our website for weekly updates as well as notification of new cases. As always, we will notify you if we receive confirmation of a new positive case in our facility and we will reach out to you individually if your loved one is displaying symptoms of COVID-19 or tests positive for COVID-19.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us directly at 469-957-0100.

Sincerely,

David Pennybacker

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Administrator