



## **WEEKLY UPDATE**

**July 10, 2020**

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

We hope everyone had a fun and safe July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend! Over the holiday, and always, our staff works hard to prevent the spread of COVID-19 in our facility. As of today, 5 residents and 4 staff members have tested positive for COVID-19.

We continue to follow our federal, state and local health officials' recommendations and guidance for all appropriate precautions and preventative measures that we have reported to you on our website and previous weekly updates.

With the growing number of COVID-19 cases in certain areas of the country, it is also important to remember what you can do to help prevent community spread of the virus. You should wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, avoid close contact with people who are sick and people who don't live in your household by maintaining six feet of distance between you and them, cover your mouth and nose with a cloth face cover when around others, cover coughs and sneezes using the inside of your elbow and immediately wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, and clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily.

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



## **COVID NOTIFICATION/UPDATE**

July 7, 2020

To Our Valued Residents, Families and Representatives:

We recently received confirmation that 5 residents, 2 administrative staff members and 2 floor staff in our facility tested positive for COVID-19. While we are disappointed that we have administrative staff with COVID after we have worked so hard to prevent the spread of this virus in our facility, we know that we are dealing with an extremely contagious virus. Rather than be discouraged by this, we are going focus our efforts on taking all necessary steps to protect our residents and staff.

We are committed to eliminating this virus from our facility and we will continue to implement and practice enhanced safety precautions recommended by our federal, state and local health officials, such as, only allowing essential personnel inside the facility, performing regular screenings for signs and symptoms of illness prior to entering the building, continually monitoring residents, performing regular deep cleanings, using PPE as recommended by the CDC, providing individual activities as opposed to group activities, implementing isolation protocols as required, and reminding and encouraging staff 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.

As a reminder, we will post updates on our facility website at [www.LasBrisasRehabSuites.com](http://www.LasBrisasRehabSuites.com) and we will individually notify representatives/families regarding a resident's condition if he/she tests positive for COVID-19 or is displaying symptoms of COVID-19. If you have any questions or concerns please contact us directly at 469-957-0100.

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