



COVID-19 Peak: Plan of Action Effective 04/13/2020 until 04/24/2020 (with the potential for extension)

COVID-19 is scheduled to peak in our area on April 17th. We are taking all necessary precautions to ensure that our residents are safe. In order to do this, the following will take place beginning Monday, April 13th until Friday, April 24th with the potential for extension beyond that date.

N-95 Masks and Eye Protection will be used by all staff.

We are asking all residents to stay in their rooms. There are a few residents that will eat in a small group at meal times that require assistance eating. These residents that require assistance will remain a minimum of 6 feet apart with no more than 5 individuals in an area at one time (including staff).

Activity staff are being creative in planning hallway events and individual activities.

Given what we have learned about COVID-19, this universal mask approach will serve to:

1. Help protect our residents and other staff members should the healthcare worker have presymptomatic or asymptomatic COVID-19 or develop symptoms at work. A mask decreases the risk of spreading infection.
2. Help protect our healthcare workers should they come in close contact with an individual with either presymptomatic or mild COVID-19 infection or who has symptoms that have not yet been recognized.

To be successful, support is required from all of us. As a family member, you can comply with visiting restrictions and instead visit by phone, electronically or window visiting with the window closed. If you need help with this, please contact our activity staff. Residents can help by keeping their own hands washed and covering their mouth and nose when sneezing or coughing with a tissue. Residents may also wear a cloth mask. Masks have been offered to all residents. We also appreciate prayers for all of us to remain virus free.

Thank you for your support at this time as we strive to provide an infection free environment.