



October 4, 2021

Dear Family Members,

We are all struggling with the challenges of living and working with the Covid-19 virus. At Presidential Oaks we are over 90 percent vaccinated with our staff and 99 percent vaccinated with our residents. Our goal over the next two weeks will be 100 percent for all staff, with limited exceptions.

The center should be receiving information regarding our booster shot program within in the next few weeks.

Unfortunately, we have begun to see breakthrough cases of the virus with Vaccinated Staff and their family members.

This will be an on-going challenge over the weeks and months ahead.

On Sunday, October 3, 2021, the center was notified of a Breakthrough Case of one of our Dietary Staff. The last date the staff member worked at the center was on Thursday, September 28, 2021. She had limited exposure to residents, and being vaccinated, her exposure was more limited.

Unfortunately - as a precaution - to ensure there has been no potential transmission, we will be testing all staff and testing a select number of residents on our 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Unit. The results of these tests should be returned to the center by Wednesday, October 6 or Thursday, October 7.

During this response testing we will be discontinuing visits until **Friday, October 8**, to ensure there has been no outbreak and to protect families.

This is our new reality, and I truly understand how this decision negatively affects our residents and family members, but we must be proactive and we are following CDC and state guidelines during this period, which I hope will be very limited.

We will update you all, later in the week.

Sincerely,

Jeff Schwartz,  
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