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Dear Family Members, Residents, and Staff,

We would like to update you on our positive COVID -19 cases. Currently, we have three employees (direct care), three residents on Unit A, and three residents on Unit E, who have tested positive for COVID. The residents are on isolation and have been placed on transmission based precautions. All necessary residents and staff have been tested and are being closely monitored.

New York State Department of Health has updated their visitation policy, effective Wednesday January 12th, 2022. **All** visitors must wear “surgical”-type mask at **all** times and present upon entry a negative COVID test within 24 hours of their visit. At this time, the facility will not be providing COVID testing for visitors; it is the responsibility of the visitor to submit proof of a negative test.

If a visitor has an at-home rapid test (for example BinaxNOW from Abbott), they may bring it to the facility and test themselves in the presence of a facility staff member. We cannot accept an at-home test unless it is preformed in our presence.

For those who are unable to visit, we continue to offer Skype and Facetime visits. This can be arranged through Social Services (extension 147/144) or Recreation (extension 129).

Thank you all for your understanding. If you have any questions regarding these changes, please don't hesitate to contact me via Email mmangels@acadiacenter.com.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Mangels, LNHA
Administrator