Dear Family Members, Residents, and Staff,

The following is the latest update on our recent COVID-19 outbreak. Facility-wide testing of residents was completed today. One resident from Unit B tested positive for COVID-19. The resident is asymptomatic and had likely been exposed last week from a positive roommate. The resident has been transferred to our COVID Unit and placed on transmission-based precautions. No other new cases have been identified. There are currently no staff with COVID-19. Staff continues to be tested twice weekly.

Seven (7) residents who had been on the COVID Unit have been transferred back to their original rooms. Sadly, one of the residents on the COVID Unit, who had already been on comfort care due to declining health status, recently passed away.

The new total of residents on the COVID Unit is thirteen (13). We hope to return most of them to their units in the coming week.

You may have heard that the seven (7) day COVID-19 positivity rate is declining in Suffolk County. This is great news, and hopefully, the beginning of a healthier summer for all of us.

As a reminder, during visitation, observe mask-wearing and appropriate hand-washing. If you are not feeling well, please refrain from visiting. If you are a high risk individual/child, we strongly encourage you to not visit at this time.

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 at mmangels@acadiacenter.com.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Mangels, LNHA
Administrator