



Community Health Update - August 5, 2021

RETRACTION OF COMMUNITY HEALTH UPDATE FROM AUGUST 4TH

Yesterday evening, we were notified that there was an error in processing test results. The employee reported as positive was in fact negative.

THREE OTHER EMPLOYEES TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

Shortly after hearing the original employee case was a lab error, we received the remainder of the pending test results which included three additional positives for employees of the C&R. Two of these individuals are asymptomatic; one is exhibiting mild symptoms. All three of them last worked yesterday, August 4th.

The C&R remains in Outbreak Status. All C&R staff and residents will be tested again this week.

COVID-19 TESTING FOR ASSISTED LIVING

Assisted Living residents and staff will be tested early next week as an extra precaution due to the proximity and function of the three employees who tested positive.

VACCINATION STATUS

Since January, the vast majority of positive cases on our campus have been vaccinated individuals. Based on what we've seen happening on our campus and the recent information from the CDC regarding the significant transmissibility of the Delta variant, we feel compelled to increase safety on campus. We will publish a Service Update soon with new guidance.

What We Know

Source: CDC.gov

- Vaccinated people can get breakthrough infections of the Delta variant and may be contagious to others.
- COVID-19 vaccines prevent severe illness, hospitalization, and death (even with the Delta variant); they also help reduce the spread of the virus in communities.
- Vaccinated individuals represent a very small amount of total transmission.
- People with weakened immune systems, including people who take immunosuppressive medications, may not be protected even if fully vaccinated.
- In areas of substantial or high transmission, everyone should wear a mask in public indoor settings to help prevent the spread of the Delta variant and protect others.

COVID-19 Active Case Tracker:

- 3 staff cases
- 0 resident cases in the Convalescent & Rehabilitation Center
- 0 resident cases in Assisted Living
- 0 resident cases in Independent Living