

Date: March 12, 2021
To: Augsburg AL & SNF Families & Residents
From: Rusty Mitchell, Executive Director
Subject: Path Forward Community Update



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A National Lutheran Community

I am pleased to share we have had another week with no new cases of COVID-19 in residents or team members.

Since we began indoor visitation we have been following the Maryland Department of Health's guidelines for indoor visits. On Wednesday evening, March 10, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) released new guidance for in person visitation. Our team has reviewed the CMS guidance and based on the guidelines that we implemented for indoor visitations, we are able to continue visits in the same manner as we have for the past two weeks. We will continue to look for opportunities to enhance visitation experiences as well as the re-opening of the community in the coming weeks ahead.

Our team has worked incredibly hard to rise above our outbreaks and keep COVID-19 out of our community. As we begin to lift restrictions, we ask everyone to continue to remain vigilant. It is important to remember, if we have a single case of COVID-19 in resident or a team member, we will have to go back to outbreak status and implement restrictions again.

We continue to recommend you receive a vaccination when it is your turn. This will help ensure we can reunite families, lift restrictions and keep everyone healthy.

We know you are all ready to be in the community with your loved one, and thank you for your patience as we work out details to enhance you experience.

If you would like to schedule a visit, you may do so at:

Assisted Living: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/alindoorvisits> (if the listed visitation times do not work for your schedule, please contact Cathy Sayers at csayers@thevillageataugsburg.org)

Skilled Nursing: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/indoorvisits312> (if the listed visitation times do not work for your schedule, please contact Monica Mulder at mmulder@thevillageataugsburg.org)

We are thankful for your continued support. Please find all updates online at www.thevillageataugsburg.org/pathforward.

MEMORANDUM