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To: All Augsburg Residents and Families
From: Rusty Mitchell, Executive Director
Subject: Path Forward Community Update



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I am thrilled to start this week's message out with the news that all resident and team member tests came back negative. Skilled nursing is now out of outbreak status and assisted living will clear outbreak status on Monday.

We are excited we are starting to see restrictions eased throughout the state. Given we are just coming out of outbreak status and we want to stay out of outbreak status, next week we will be operating as we were prior to outbreak status. All visitors must be symptom screened, wear masks and remain socially distanced whether the visit is indoor or outdoor.

However, next week we also expect to be able to announce loosened restrictions around visitation, especially for those who are vaccinated and coming to visit a vaccinated loved one. We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding. Our number one priority is keeping residents healthy. We all want to ease restrictions, however, we are doing so in a way that is slow and steady, rather than going too fast and putting us back at risk for an outbreak and having to close our doors again.

The best news about being out of outbreak status is that we will be able to offer indoor, in-person visits. You may sign up for a **skilled nursing** resident visit here <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/snfvisits05>. If your loved one is in **assisted living**, we will be sending out information on how to schedule a visit next week after we have officially cleared outbreak status.

We are also excited to announce the launch of our new website. Our team has been working on this site over the past few months, focusing on a more modern and brighter look and a message that reflects and celebrates the inclusive nature of the community. Since we have launched this new site, all updates can now be found at a new URL: <https://www.thevillageataugsburg.org/covid-19-updates/>

As always, we thank you for your continued support.

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