



December 29, 2020

Dear Residents and Families,

We are all hearing about the Christmas surge of cases of COVID-19 in our surrounding communities. Like what happened after Thanksgiving, we are anxious about the next several days and the number of positive cases we may have despite our staff members' efforts to remain COVID-free. I was struck by the State of Ohio's public service announcement about the importance of staying vigilant and "taking the virus seriously." The commercials that are airing validate what we have been sharing for some time. To watch the commercial, follow the link below:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UzpfjVykCz0>

For today's report, at Episcopal Church Home, one resident on the Marmion Household who previously had tested positive for COVID-19 has passed away. Please keep the resident's family in your prayers during this difficult time. Additionally, a staff member who works on the Clingman Household has tested positive for COVID-19 and is quarantining at home.

At Marjorie Lee, we have a non-direct care staff member who has tested positive for COVID-19 and is quarantining at home. Additionally, we have two residents who live on the Amstein House that have tested positive for COVID-19. Unfortunately, one resident with COVID-19 on Amstein has passed away. Please join me in praying for the resident's family during this difficult time.

At our Sunrise Terrace Affordable Living location, two families have informed us that their loved ones have passed away after testing positive for COVID-19. The residents have been out of the community since early December.

The following is the cumulative reporting for our CCRCs since March 2020:

COVID-19 Reporting	Episcopal Church Home	Deupree House & Cottages	Marjorie Lee
Residents			
Current residents with confirmed COVID-19	0	0	2
Cumulative residents with confirmed COVID-19	29	2	22
Staff*			

Current staff with confirmed COVID-19	1	0	1
Cumulative staff with confirmed COVID-19	45	14	56
3 or more residents or staff with new-onset COVID-19 respiratory symptoms in a 72-hour period.			
Current occurrences	0	0	0
Cumulative occurrences	10	3	18

*Private duty and contracted staff are reported to our residents and families, however, are not included in the cumulative chart above based on reporting guidelines by the city and state.

As shared in previous letters, we continue to follow all CDC guidelines and mitigation practices to reduce the spread of COVID-19. Please let me know if you have any suggestions or questions.

Sincerely,



Laura Lamb
 President and CEO