



Episcopal Retirement Services

August 5, 2020

Dear Residents and Families:

Yesterday, I shared that we lifted the quarantine off of several households at Marjorie Lee. Because of this, we can offer window visits again for Amstein, Romney, Kirby, and Luther Households, along with Residential Living, beginning Monday, August 10. We will refresh the Sign Up Genius link and resend it out for by the end of the week.

I want to remind everyone about our expectations regarding wearing masks. Residents must wear your mask when interacting with staff including when staff are in your apartment or delivering items to your door (meals, supplies, etc.) We have asked staff to remind you if you are not wearing your mask when in their presence. Additionally, please make sure your mask is completely over your nose and mouth.

We are scheduled for mandatory staff testing at all three of our retirement communities next week. The following is the schedule. More information will be shared with the staff on Friday.

- Deupree House and Cottages – Tuesday, August 11 from 6:30 am – 6:30 pm
- Episcopal Church Home – Wednesday, August 12 from 6:30 am – 6:30 pm
- Marjorie P. Lee – Tuesday, August 11 from 6:30 am – 6:30 pm

Lastly, we have been notified that a contracted staff member has tested positive for COVID-19. The staff member had contact with a limited number of residents on Shaw Rehab, Romney, and Berghamer Households. The residents, staff, and families have been notified. We also an occurrence of symptoms at MPL as well.

The following is cumulative reporting for our communities:

COVID-19 Reporting	Episcopal Church Home	Deupree House & Cottages	Marjorie P. Lee
Residents			
Current residents with confirmed COVID-19	0	0	0
Cumulative residents with confirmed COVID-19	0	0	6
Staff			
Current staff with confirmed COVID-19	0	0	0

Cumulative staff with confirmed COVID-19	1	0*	18
3 or more residents or staff with new-onset COVID-19 respiratory symptoms in a 72-hour period.			
Current occurrences	0	0	1
Cumulative occurrences	0	1	7

*We have become aware that private duty staff or contracted employees should not be included in our cumulative counts above. However, we will continue to share this information with residents, staff, and families.

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 R. P. Lamb
President & CEO