



Episcopal Retirement Services

November 12, 2020

Dear Residents and Families,

During our regular surveillance testing this week at ECH, we had four residents test positive for COVID-19. The residents live on the Memory Care and the Woodcock Households. All residents and staff living and working on these households will be retested today, and both households are now quarantined. Additionally, one contracted staff member has tested positive for COVID-19. The staff member is quarantined. This positive case is not included in the chart because they are not employed by ECH. Our clinical team is conducting contract tracing to determine any trends or exposure points. Although we are very disappointed to share resident cases, we are not surprised given the rampant spread of COVID-19 in Jefferson County. We are re-educating every staff member, reminding everyone of the importance of doubling down on safety measures: masks, social distancing, proper handwashing. We will share the results of today's testing results when they are available.

The following is the cumulative reporting for our communities:

COVID-19 Reporting	Episcopal Church Home	Deupree House & Cottages	Marjorie Lee
Residents			
Current residents with confirmed COVID-19	4	0	0
Cumulative residents with confirmed COVID-19	4	0	7
Staff*			
Current staff with confirmed COVID-19	0	0	0
Cumulative staff with confirmed COVID-19	7	5	30
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	0	3	13

*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