

Independent and Enriched Senior Living in the Finger Lakes

To: All Residents

From: Aimee Ward, Executive Director

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Subject: COVID-19 Update

We have seen an increase in COVID cases in our county. 99 cases in the last 10 days which is 14.4% of the total number of cases since the pandemic began. Thompson Hospital has re-opened one wing due to patients with COVID. Everything we are seeing suggests we will continue to see an increase in positive cases and hospitalizations.

We must be vigilant in continuing to protect ourselves, both residents and staff. With signs pointing to a potentially treacherous COVID resurgence, we all need to reach down deep, and get our second wind to see us through the rest of the pandemic. You can do that by remaining vigilant and continuing to follow the safety practices designed to protect yourselves, your family, and our community.

With this in mind, we are asking Residents and Staff not to attend any family gatherings that have more than 6 people (including yourself). If you feel that you really want to attend, then we will ask you to quarantine for 14 days, per the CDC guidelines. Obviously, there is no way of us knowing, so we are hopeful, for the safety of our community, that you will be forthcoming regarding any attendance at these family functions.

If you visit any of the restricted states, you will need to quarantine for 14 days upon returning.

If you have a designated visitor from a restricted state, both you and that visitor will have to quarantine for 14 days. Neither will be allowed to "come and go", nor go to the dining room. All designated visitors must be registered with the front desk.

As mentioned at the All Resident meeting, only 2 designated visitors to your apartment. We need to keep the number of outside people entering at a minimum. Visitors answer questionnaire, have temperature taken, take elevator to your floor and direct to your apartment. No visitors are allowed in any of the common areas.

And as always, wear your facemask, social distance and wash/sanitize your hands. We all have to work together.