



Little Sisters of the Poor

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Dear Residents, Family Members and Responsible Parties,

This week two staff members have tested positive. They will be quarantined according to CDC guidelines. Residents and other staff members who were in contact with the two staff members will also be tested according to CDC guidelines.

This is the season where the COVID, flu, and other respiratory cases have been rising. With the holidays upon us, there have also been large gatherings, making it easy to catch any of these viruses.

We ask you to please help protect our Residents, staff and Sisters:

- ***Do not visit if you have ANY respiratory or flu-like symptoms or COVID symptoms, such as sore throat, cough, or fever.***
- Do not visit if you have been tested for COVID and are waiting for the results or if you have recently tested positive
- Do not visit if you have been exposed in the last 14 days to anyone who tested positive for COVID
- Pick up a new protective mask at the front door when you come in and replace your mask with the fresh mask. **NO CLOTH MASKS ALLOWED.**
- Use the hand sanitizer when you come in and out of the building
- Maintain social distancing

Please share this information with your other family members.

We encourage all our Residents, especially those in the apartments, to wear the masks when you are in the public areas of the Home and also when you are outside of the facility, as COVID and the flu are prevalent in the community.

We know you want to help us to keep our Residents, staff and Sisters safe from the COVID and flu virus. Please err on the side of caution and do not visit if you have any symptoms. Thank you for your prayers, understanding, and cooperation.

Sincerely,

Mother Celine Vadukkoot, lsp
President

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