

September 30, 2020

Dear Residents,

We have another update for you. Please read this all the way through. We want to keep you informed and reassure you we are doing our best to keep our campus as safe as we can.

Since our last update, we have two additional residents who have tested positive for COVID-19 from outside medical facilities. Neither has returned to campus. Additionally, we have a second employee who have tested positive for COVID-19 who is isolated from home. Any residents who may have had contact with these individuals have been notified and are observing a 14-day quarantine. By law, we are not able to release further details about these cases. We continue to relay this information to local authorities.

Based upon these positive cases, Kavod is now classified as having a COVID-19 Outbreak. Under existing definitions, an outbreak is identified as **“two or more confirmed cases of COVID-19 in a facility or (non-household) group with onset in a 14 day period.”** Kavod remains in compliance with up-to-date safety recommendations, and are now pursuing facility-wide COVID-19 testing which will be provided free of charge. **Assisted Living residents will continue weekly surveillance testing.**

For now, Kavod has revised our campus protocols as follows (until further notice). Our visitor policy remains the same.

- Construction projects have been halted.
- The beauty salon, gym, computer lab and raised gardens are now closed.
- Sign-ups for outdoor visitation booths are on pause.
- Outdoor concerts have been cancelled.



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- Move-ins/transfers will be postponed.
- Only emergency work orders will be performed.
- Senior Living housekeeping services are temporarily on hold.
- No nonessential large item deliveries will be permitted.
- A *sukkah* (outdoor covered structure) will not be erected and all upcoming Jewish holiday celebrations will be virtual.
- Services performed by Maria Droste Counseling Center will be conducted via telehealth, rather than in-person.

For Assisted Living residents, some additional modifications required:

- Trash will return to hallway pick up schedule for those who are able to place trash in hallways. It will remain in unit for those who require.
- Temperature/symptom check will occur twice daily.
- Residents should wear their mask in their apartments when direct care staff are providing services.
- Residents should stay in their unit, avoid interaction with other residents, and only leave for medically necessary purposes.

We understand you need to complete essential tasks such as medical appointments. You are free to do these things safely (by wearing your mask, staying 6' away from others and washing hands often). We just recommend you restrict nonessential tasks to lessen the risk of outside exposure to the virus. **You are your own best protection.**

Legacy Rehab continues to see patients and the CU Medical Clinic will remain open also. Our podiatry clinic will be available based upon medical need. Recertifications will continue as planned.



Going forward, we will provide updates once a week unless more timely information is needed. If you have further questions, call our hotline at 303.591.4890; you may need to leave a message so speak clearly and leave your phone number. Alternatively you may reach out to your Care Coordinator. We will continue to keep you and our community informed of changes in the situation.

Sincerely,
Michael Klein - President and CEO