

COVID Update November 10, 2021

Dear Residents, Tenants, and Families,

The past week has been a difficult one for the Woodlands at the Fountain Lake site. Earlier in the week, we had four nursing home residents that reside on the second floor of the Woodlands test positive for the Covid 19 virus. On Monday, November 8, we did another round of testing, and we had one resident from the second floor at the Woodlands that tested positive for the Covid virus, and two staff that tested positive for the Covid virus. We will need to continue with visitor restrictions for the second floor of the Woodlands. Essential Caregivers, Compassionate Care visits, and outdoor visits are still allowed for residents that reside on the second floor. The third floor of the Woodlands did not have any positive findings this week, so family and friend visitors are allowed.

The Luther Place Nursing Home, Knutson Place, Waters Edge and the Meadows have not had any Covid positive findings for a few weeks, so family and friend visitors are allowed in all of these buildings. We will be doing another round of testing tomorrow. Hopefully, all Covid tests throughout the St. John's Community will come back negative.

We have decided to cancel Sunday Worship at the Fountain Lake site this Sunday, and we have cancelled the Veteran's Day breakfast as well. We are trying to prevent this virus from spreading into other areas of the Fountain Lake Community, and cutting down on foot traffic between buildings will help to slow or stop the spread of this virus.

We should have all of our test results from the testing on Thursday by Sunday or Monday. I will plan on posting another update when all of the test results are in.

The number of positive Covid cases throughout Minnesota is high right now. This virus is spreading like fire, so please take precautions to protect yourself. If you are not vaccinated yet, please consider getting vaccinated.

Sincerely,

Scot Spates
CEO / Administrator