



August 13, 2020

Dear Lions Gate Community Members,

Unfortunately, after being COVID-19-free for over a month, we have been informed that an employee who works in Independent Living has tested positive and is symptomatic. The employee will self-quarantine for 10 days, according to the NJ Department of Health directives. The employee will not return to work until they are free of symptoms for three consecutive days after the expiration of the quarantine. Please be assured that this employee and the residents in contact with the employee were all wearing masks and were social distancing, which reduces the risk of any spread of infection.

Any residents who had interaction with this employee, which would have been between last Monday, August 3rd and Thursday, August 6th, have been notified and instructed regarding the protocols for self-quarantine. The Wellness Nurse will contact the residents on a daily basis to monitor them for any signs and/or symptoms. If any are present, the resident will be tested for COVID-19; however, even without any signs and symptoms, a resident can request to be tested by contacting the Wellness Nurse at 856-679-2285.

We continue to be diligent with following all infection control protocols and enforcing social distancing and mask wearing. In addition, we continue to in-service staff on a regular basis on proper hand-washing techniques, proper mask wearing, and social distancing. On a daily basis, we continue to sanitize and disinfect apartment doorbells, door knobs, handrails, etc. in the A and B buildings.

We will continue to provide you with updates as they become available. Please know that we are strictly adhering to all directions from the CDC, state and local health department.

We thank you for your continued cooperation and support and appreciate your partnership during these challenging times. Be Well and Be Safe!

Respectfully,

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Chief Executive Officer

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