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November 2, 2020

**URGENT MEMORANDUM**

Dear Lions Gate Assisted Living Community Members,

We have been notified that an employee who works in the dining department has tested positive for COVID-19, during routine weekly testing. We are strictly following all procedures and guidelines from the NJ Department of Health and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Due to HIPAA regulations, I cannot provide details except this employee does not provide direct care and is asymptomatic.

**I am sorry to inform you that as a result of this positive test result, we are required by the NJ Department of Health to postpone indoor visitation. We expect to be able to begin on November 17, 2020, if no more positive results are reported. I recognize this is an unfortunate situation for both residents and family members/visitors, as well as an inconvenience for those of you who have been tested. Unfortunately, we don't have a choice and need to adhere to the NJ Department of Health directives.**

Last Friday, all residents in Assisted Living were tested for COVID-19 and will be tested again this Friday. Staff continue to be tested on a weekly basis, and all private duty and agency aides will be tested on a weekly basis.

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We will continue to provide outdoor visitation, weather permitting, which we expect starting this Thursday, and will be adding additional days with warmer weather predicted in the next week. Also, we will continue with FaceTime visits. You will be contacted by Lions Gate to reschedule your appointment.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 856-679-2210 or email [slove@lionsgateccrc.org](mailto:slove@lionsgateccrc.org)

Respectfully,

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Chief Executive Officer

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