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Dear Residents, Tenants, Family Members and Employees,

I am writing to let you know that we had one employee test that came back positive for Covid 19 today. All other test results are negative. The employee works in our business office and does not have any exposure to our residents. She does not have any symptoms of Covid 19 as well. We have been in contact with Catholic Charities New Hampshire as well as New Hampshire Public Health Department for guidance. Those employees who have been in contact with this employee will wear full personal protective equipment when they are out their offices and in the facility. There are only a limited amount of employees who have had exposure to her. We are continuing our weekly surveillance testing and will be testing all of our employees this Wednesday and 10% of our residents per our usual protocol. We will be postponing our Dining program now and for the next 14 days as well as the group activities in the Dining Room. We will continue our outside visits with family members and our hallway activities with the residents.

We are continuing our outdoor supervised social distanced visits with residents and families. These visits are going well. Please call between 8 am and 4 pm Monday through Friday to schedule these visits. Please call and request Mindy Bowen at ext. 330 to request a visit. We are on week six of these visits and are now able to open up more than one visit per week to residents. Please know that we need to be strict with our protocols during these visits in order to keep everyone safe and you will have your temperature taken and be asked a series of questions at the time of the visit as well as a series of questions prior to the visit

I would like to remind you to please continue to wear your masks when you are in public and to practice social distancing. This is so important for your own safety as well as the safety of your families. As I go places it seems that many are not paying attention to this. We need to be the examples for others. Thank you very much.

While we know this is an incredibly challenging time for you and your family, please be assured that we remain committed to the care and support of your loved one here at St. Francis. Their safety, health and well-being remain our firm commitment.

We will continue to keep you updated as time goes on.

God bless,

Brenda Buttrick RN, LNHA
Adminstrator

