



Important Update re: COVID-19

from Gil Fonger, President & CEO

June 16, 2020, 12:00 p.m.

- **NO NEW CASES**

We presently have no positive COVID-19 reports, nor any clusters of symptom-like illnesses. All residents appear to be doing well. We are continuing to follow protocol of screening **all** staff when they arrive at work and all residents at shift changes. In addition, all employees are wearing medical masks and are practicing social distancing requirements.

- **PREPARING FOR PHASE 4**

Current indications are for Illinois to move into Phase 4 on June 26. Our administrative team is preparing for what that means for Marklund staff and residents. At this point, IDPH (Illinois Dept. of Public Health) has already determined that any CDS (Community Day Services) programs will remain closed through Aug. 31, and that visitor restrictions will continue to be upheld. We know that IHCA (Illinois Health Care Association) representatives are reaching out to IDPH to move up the date in which we allow visitors. We will keep you updated on this matter.

Regards,

GILBERT FONGER, President & CEO

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