



Important Update re: COVID-19

from Gil Fonger, President & CEO

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- **Philip Center resident tests negative**

Great news! We received a **negative test result** on the Philip Center (MPC) resident in Bloomingdale. With this new negative result, consistent with the testing time line over four days, MPC Medical Director Dr. Asta Astrauskas is confident that the positive in the hospital was in fact **a false positive**. The resident has been taken off isolation and no further testing on staff or other residents is required.

- **Staff, resident COVID updates:**

I am happy to report that we continue to receive negative results for the on-site staff tests completed last week at Tommy and Sayers homes in Geneva, with the exception of one test that was damaged during shipping. Following IDPH requirements, staff and residents at the Dreher Home will have one more round of tests today, along with the retest for the employee's that had gotten damaged.

Please see our updated chart on the next page for complete details.

- **Mask up during holiday group gatherings:**

With the increase in COVID-positivity across the entire state of Illinois, IDPH is recommending that **all individuals wear a mask AND maintain at least 6 feet of distance from anyone that does not live in their household.**

During the upcoming holidays, it is important that we make sure to do whatever we can to protect ourselves, our families, our residents and students, and our co-workers by following the most current safety guidelines.

Thank you for your continued dedication to staying safe during this pandemic!

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CURRENT STATUS PER SITE

Facility	MHH	MVH	MSH	MTH	MDH	MRH	MPC	MWC
CMS Phase	3 <i>as of 9/18/2020</i>	3 <i>as of 9/18/2020</i>	1 <i>starting 10/21/2020</i>	1 <i>starting 10/16/2020</i>	1 <i>starting 10/21/2020</i>	2 <i>starting 10/19/2020</i>	3 <i>as of 9/18/2020</i>	1 <i>starting 10/22/2020</i>
IDPH Mitigation Tier	1 10/23/2020	1 10/23/2020	1 10/23/2020	1 10/23/2020	1 10/23/2020	1 10/23/2020	1 10/23/2020	1 10/28/2020
Visitation	Outdoor & Virtual	Outdoor & Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Virtual	Outdoor & Virtual	Outdoor & Virtual	Virtual
Current* Positive Residents	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Current* Positive Staff	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Round of Testing (completed)	n/a	n/a	1	2	1	n/a	n/a	2

**indicates resident or staff member currently isolating for COVID*