



Important Update re: COVID-19

from Gil Fonger, President & CEO

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- **Positive employee on Geneva campus**

A direct care employee (up-to-date/boosted) at Marklund Van Der Molen Home (MVH) on the Hyde Center campus in Geneva tested positive today after learning of a community exposure. Contact tracing is completed and all residents have had PCR tests today which will be sent out to the lab. This puts MVH on Outbreak Status through April 22. Outings are cancelled for now and volunteer activities are being paused.

- **Community Transmission Rates Increase**

As of this week, the CDC Community Transmission Rate has increased in Kane County moving into the SUBSTANTIAL level. Unfortunately, this means direct care staff at the Geneva campus are required to wear eye protection again. Wasmond Center (MWC) and Philip Center (MPC) staff need to continue to do so as well since Cook and DuPage counties are also at Substantial levels. Hopefully, we will see rates decrease as we get further into Spring.

Thank you,

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OUT-OF-OUTBREAK DATES PER RESIDENTIAL SITE

	MHH	MVH	MSH	MTH	MDH	MRH	MPC	MWC
Date out of Outbreak	Not in outbreak	April 22	Not in outbreak	Not in outbreak	Not in outbreak	Not in outbreak	April 14	Not in outbreak