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## COVID-19 UPDATE

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**TO:** WESTMINSTER VILLAGE RESIDENTS AND STAFF  
**FROM:** BARB NATHAN  
**DATE:** OCTOBER 2, 2020

Last week, 100% of the staff tested were negative as were the residents in Martin Health Center. This week we again tested the staff in the health center and their tests were all negative. Unfortunately, we did have one resident test positive who is asymptomatic. The resident has been moved to the isolation unit already prepared for this need. Our prayers are with the resident and their family. I am so grateful to the staff for the many, many ways that they both prevent the spread of the virus and prepare for the times that we have a case. This also requires us to revert back to the highest tier level of mitigation in Martin Health which will impact visitation and require additional testing. Detailed information has been provided to residents, families and staff. Administration has been in contact with all necessary regulatory bodies and we are confident that our staff will continue to do a fantastic job.

The staff is working very hard in all areas to plan for colder days ahead when outdoor events and visitations will be impossible. Until those cold days arrive, we will enjoy the warm days that we get, but know that staff is planning a number of ways for people to connect and live life as fully as possible while staying safe.

As you have suggestions for programming that we can offer safely, please do not hesitate to let Life Enrichment and activity staff know. Anticipate some great announcements of creative programming in the upcoming weeks.

As always, together we will get through this.