

Luther Manor Continuing Precautions Related to COVID-19

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The safety of our residents and staff remains our top priority and we will continue with our protocols, precautions and daily screening of staff and all Health Care Center and Assisted Living Residents.

Visitor protocols and regulations continue to evolve, so please read on and stay tuned for the very latest.

Thank you for your support, partnerships and commitment to our residents and staff as the pandemic continues to evolve. Our Sharing God's Love team has been instrumental and is here to help you share encouragement with residents and our staff. Just email SharingGodsLove@LutherManor.org to get started. If you have any questions please let us know.

Shout out of thanks!

Thank you, Andrea Frazier from Milwaukee for the awesome cards of encouragement! We appreciate you helping our residents continue to stay upbeat! We know things are getting better, yet we also know there is still a lot of anxiety and concern and your cards were just what the doctor ordered!

Campus Update

- We have received the test results for all of the Courtyard residents and most of the staff from this week's retesting to help us rule out additional cases of COVID-19. All are negative so far. The remaining staff test results should be back by tomorrow or Friday at the latest. At this time, none of our residents or staff are showing signs or symptoms of COVID. We hope to lift the Courtyard quarantine as soon as the last test results confirm that there are no positive cases in the Courtyard. At which time, we can begin visitations again. We will keep you posted as these test results come in.
- We are excited to announce we are taking the next steps in our visiting guidelines for all program areas. With a small group of residents and staff who are not or cannot be vaccinated, we still have restrictions in place to help us keep everyone as safe as possible. Please review the below and let us know if you have any questions.
 - Visits are allowed seven days a week in all areas
 - There are no restrictions to visiting hours
 - You must screen in and out at an approved entrance:
 - Terrace STU entrance: Mon. Fri. 9:30 am-4 pm
 - Courtyards entrance: Mon. Fri. from 8 am-4 pm
 - The Health Care Center: is 24 hours a day, seven days a week and is the only after hours or weekend approved entrance. If you are



visiting the Terrace or Courtyards after the above times, please screen in at the Health Care Center before proceeding to your program area and use this entrance to screen out.

- No appointments are required for visits
- There is no longer a time limit for visits
- o There is a limit of 2 people visiting at the same time. We are limiting the number of visitors due to the size of some of the rooms and to avoid larger aatherinas.
- However, there is no limit to the number of times a resident can have visitors on any given day.
- o Please remain masked at all times. Health care environments, like Luther Manor, are excluded from the new CDC guidance removing mask mandates for vaccinated people.
- Please do not visit if you are not feeling well.
- Please take the most direct route to your loved one's room or apartment and do not visit with other residents along the way
- You may visit in the residents apartment or outside, we ask that you not visit in indoor public spaces or hallways at this time.
- With this change, families/friends are once again encouraged to take packages, etc. directly to the residents room or apartment AFTER successfully screening in and being symptom free.
- We are also reinstating pet visits. In addition to the above requirements:
 - The pets must be current on all of their shots.
 - Visits must occur in resident rooms not hallways or common areas.
 - Residents must wash or sanitize hands before and immediately following the visit.
 - We ask that the pets not visit with other residents or staff. We know this will be hard!

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