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Dear Silverado Families,

As we expected, with the increased transmissibility of the Omicron variant, we are now seeing fully vaccinated and boosted residents and associates testing positive.

As we know, even with full vaccination, there can still be a positive Covid test result. The vaccinations remain very effective for the prevention of severe disease and hospitalizations; however, even with full vaccination status, breakthrough infections can occur. We are encouraged though, as we are seeing, in those who are fully vaccinated and boosted companywide, very mild, if any symptoms, in those testing positive.

We will notify you immediately of any positive test results that occur with your loved one.

We acknowledge this is stressful for everyone. Please remember we are all fully vaccinated and boosted, which was not the case during initial COVID outbreaks; therefore, the CDC guidelines are not requiring the same restrictions as initial outbreak. We are fortunate to be able to continue visitation, modified activities, and no fences between neighborhoods.

We continue to follow guidelines regarding testing. Please remember to wear your KN95 mask, which we can provide if needed. We strongly discourage no eating or drinking for visitors as this requires removal of your mask.

Reminder: For indoor visits, visitors must show proof of vaccination for COVID-19, including a booster AND a negative COVID test from either method of test.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact any of the directors or myself.

Respectfully,

Joan Newman
Administrator