



## **WEEKLY UPDATE**

**June 19, 2020**

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

Please accept this letter as Villa Rosa Nursing and Rehab's weekly update to keep you informed about the status of COVID in our facility and what we are doing to keep our residents and staff safe during the ongoing coronavirus pandemic.

As of today, 26 residents and 4 staff members have tested positive for COVID-19 since the start of the pandemic. We are happy to report that, at this time, there are no positive COVID-19 residents or staff members in our facility and WE ARE COVID-19 FREE! However, we still recognize this is an extremely contagious virus. We will continue practicing our enhanced infection control practices in an effort to keep our residents and staff safe and to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

As a reminder, we continue to closely monitor and follow the recommendations of our federal, state and local health officials. Only essential personnel are allowed inside the facility and we screen them for signs and symptoms of illness prior to entering. Our residents are continually monitored and staff is using PPE as recommended by the CDC. Our Environmental Services Staff continues to clean surface areas with agents designed to eliminate COVID 19. Staff is frequently reminded and encouraged to practice social distancing and to use hand sanitizer and frequently wash their hands when they are in the facility and out in the community. We ask them not to report to work if they have symptoms of illness.

Please continue to check our website for updates. As always, we will notify you if we receive confirmation of a new positive case in our facility and we will reach out to you individually if your loved one is displaying symptoms of COVID-19 or tests positive for COVID-19.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us directly 301-459-4700..

Sincerely,

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