WEEKLY FAMILY UPDATE-EXTRA

Grand Traverse Pavilions update for residents and responsible parties during COVID-19

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• In response to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services notification of the Governor's orders for all nursing homes to test their staff and residents for COVID-19 testing was completed on June 29th & 30th with nearly 700 residents and staff tested. The majority of the test results still pending as of today, July 09, 2020. As required we must notify residents, families and staff if there are any positive COVID tests. Notification are distributed via the robo calling we have in place with additional details to follow on the weekly update. The message issued today stated the following:

"This is the Grand Traverse Pavilions with an important COVID update. We have received 227 of the almost 700 results from our baseline testing of staff and residents. We were notified earlier today of 3 residents who tested positive in the long term care pavilion. These residents have since had a follow up nasopharyngeal COVID test and have all tested negative. No residents have presented with signs or symptoms of COVID including the 3 that initially tested positive. We are currently investigating whether these initial tests were false positives.

If you have any questions please contact your pavilion ADON or SW. For the Cottages you may contact the Residential Services Director."

- We are working with the Grand Traverse Health Department and following all of their recommendations. Per the GTHD and their medical director these three residents are to remain in isolation until Saturday (July 11, 2020) in their current rooms.
- Again stressing that we have no residents or staff with signs or symptoms of COVID.
- Additionally, weekly testing will now be required per the Governor's Executive Order for all residents and staff of the Pavilions due to the recent upgrade from a low to moderate risk region. The second round of testing is scheduled to take place early next week.

Please visit the Pavilions Facebook page for additional information and events at:

www.facebook.com/grandtraversepavilions



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