



July 2, 2020

We appreciate all of the support, prayers, and offers of help that we've received. To keep you up-to-date on our efforts to keep NRC residents and staff safe, we will send out this update as things change in our community:

- **Our COVID-19 situation:** The third round of testing for the COVID-19 virus has been completed here at Northfield Retirement Community. As of today, our testing which took place on 6/29 and 6/30 has shown no positive results of COVID-19. One staff member continues to fulfill their isolation period. We have no positive cases of COVID-19 among residents across campus at this time.  
We will be re-testing all staff and residents of Cannon Valley Suites and the Care Center next week. It may be possible that more testing will be required as we must show all negative for at least two testing periods. This is a requirement of the testing procedures and an important piece to keeping everyone safe.
- **Outdoor Visitation:** As we finalize outdoor visit arrangements across campus, we anticipate online scheduling requests to open on Tuesday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, for visits to begin as early as Wednesday, July 8<sup>th</sup>. Detailed information will be distributed early next week. Follow our website for the most up to date information.

Requirements for Outdoor Visitation are as follows:

- Must set contact staff at Northfield Retirement Community in advance to schedule a visit.
- Must sign and agree to state required documents for visit.
- Must have your temperature and/or oxygen level taken prior to the visit, outside the building.
- Must clean hands with hand sanitizer before and after your visit.
- Must wear a face mask or other facial covering for the duration of the visit unless medically contraindicated.
- Must practice social distancing by remaining at least 6 feet apart from your loved one and any other resident, staff, or visitor.
- Must remain in designated locations on our campus.
- Absolutely no physical contact with your loved one (no hand holding, hugs, kisses).
- Sign the required Outdoor Visitation Risk Acknowledgement.
- Pets: visitors bringing a pet should maintain control of the animal at all times, either with an extendable leash to accommodate 6- foot social distancing or by voice control.

**Living SAFER: Help us keep everyone in our community healthy! It is more important than ever that we protect those most at risk, support workers, and all do our part to slow the spread of the virus.**

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Avoid touching your face, nose, and eyes
- Maintain social distance
- Wear a mask
- Stay within your living space as much as possible
- Spending time outdoors is encouraged as long as 6 feet of distance from others is maintained