



**December 16, 2021**

**To all Seneca View Residents and Families:**

We are contacting you today to let you know that we have had two additional direct care staff members and one additional resident test positive for COVID-19. These positive cases were identified during our weekly testing and the family of the resident has been notified. The staff members have been removed from the schedule for the required quarantine period. The facility remains on full precautions and twice weekly testing will continue for all residents and staff. At this time we have a total of two residents remaining on isolation precautions and three staff off for quarantine.

We remain under the new reduced visitation restrictions and encourage you to inform our nursing units of your planned arrival. This way we can properly assist your loved ones for your visit and provide you with information regarding any additional personal protective equipment needed. Entrance screening of all guests continues, including a non-contact temperature reading and a few risk evaluation questions, as required by the Department of Health. Social distancing and infection prevention practices must still be maintained for all visitors to the nursing home and we ask that you postpone your visit if you are exhibiting any symptoms of illness.

Please continue to monitor our website at [SCHUYLERHOSPITAL.ORG](http://SCHUYLERHOSPITAL.ORG), and feel free to contact our Nursing Units, the Director of Nursing, or my office if you have any questions. You can also reach our NYS Ombudsman, Tricia Chevallard, at (607) 274-5492 if you need.

Warmest Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Patrick J. Ryan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

**Patrick J. Ryan**  
**Executive Director LTC Services**