



December 29, 2021

To all Seneca View Residents and Families:

We are contacting you today to let you know that we have had three direct care staff members, and one support staff, test positive for COVID-19. 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 zero residents on isolation precautions and five staff off for quarantine.

With growing numbers of active COVID-19 cases in our community, additional personal protective equipment (PPE) will be required for visits. The care team will be able to assist you with this upon your arrival. We ask that you inform our nursing units of your planned visit so we can properly assist your loved ones for your visit and answer any questions you may have about the PPE 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, 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 & Happy New Year,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Patrick J. Ryan", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Patrick J. Ryan
Executive Director LTC Services