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Hello Families, friends and residents: Rachel has been reaching out to you to expand our list of email contacts. So if we don't have all your family members that would like to receive this, please email Rachel or me to get anyone added. Our goal is to keep everyone informed. I Bcc all family emails to protect your privacy.

Staff Testing update: We only have one remaining test pending. We tested 85 staff members, including all agency staff committed to us, rehab staff and our staff, all who have committed to just work for St. Teresa. We have no more positive findings. Again, those 2 staff positive members are not at work. One is retesting. We have all staff using full precautions when working with our residents pending Resident testing results. This is to maximally protect all of us.

Resident Testing: Today, this morning, all current 39 residents and 22 Bishop Primeau tenants were tested. A wonderful group of members of the National guard did the testing for the Department of Public Health. We thanked them with a little treat bag with tea bread and coffee cup. We will update you as those results are returned. If your loved one tests positive, you will get a call from us. We anticipate the results will trickle in over the next few days.

I also want to share the NH Department of Health and Human Services announced today, that they will begin to support centers with Surveillance testing creating additional teams that will rotate through centers every 7-10 days to randomly test staff during different shifts. They have also informed us that rapid testing will be available to test residents who develop symptoms. I am sure we will be getting more details. But it is wonderful to get the support of regular testing.

Kindly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Luanne Rogers". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Luanne Rogers
Administrator