



Housing and Health Care Community

## BREVILLIER VILLAGE COVID-19 UPDATE FOR: November 2, 2020

Good Afternoon everyone,

I have not written an update for a while since we have been doing videos so I thought I would do one today with a few items of Importance.

Many people have been asking about the holidays and if we have any plans at this time.

As I have communicated in the past, we do not like to put out information too early as it changes often and that has continued to be the trend.

There is one item for the holidays that I know for sure will not change.

**For all the residents of the Village:**

**If a resident of any building leaves the Village for a Family gathering or Thanksgiving either for the day, a few days, a week, etc. – when you return you will be required to isolate in your apartment or room for 14 days once you return. This has been a rule all along even though we feel some have not followed that requirement. We must strictly enforce for the safety of all residents and our staff. Along with the surge that is happening throughout Erie, Pennsylvania and the nation we need to take every precaution we can to protect residents.**

Some believe this is “excessive” and have shared that opinion with us, but we have worked so hard for the safety of your loved ones and now is not the time to let our defenses down. Bringing COVID into this environment would potentially be devastating as we saw what Twinbrook experienced a few months ago.

We continue to work with staff as well as residents to be smart about who they are around and use their masks at home when necessary as well as in public. We ask them to continue to Social Distance and wash their hands a lot!!!

If we have a positive COVID either among staff or residents that facility must discontinue visits immediately as well as potentially the other buildings if staff go back and forth. We have tried to limit this as much as possible.

We are so appreciative of your dedication to all the residents and to help us protect everyone the best we can.

**I want to send out a HUGE thank you to Dr. Mary Beth Cermak! She has brought in goodies for the staff each week at Ball Pavilion – she has not missed a week that I am aware of! Thank you so much Mary Beth! Your efforts are so appreciated by the staff and a few residents who sneak a few of the treats!**

**Stay Safe and Healthy and we will see you for the Friday Update ~ Vicky**

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