

To: Residents and Staff

From: Nadia N. Geigler, CEO

Date: Friday, June 4, 2021

Re: COVID-19 Prevention and Protection

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COVID Count

ACTIVE cases		
Residents	Staff	
0	0	
"+1" refers to a non-staff provider		

RECOVERED cases	
Residents	Staff
26	46+8

"+8" refers to a non-staff provider

Next Testing Date for Unvaccinated/Partially Vaccinated Employees and Harbors' Residents

Any employee and any Harbors' resident who is not fully vaccinated (meaning at least two weeks out from the final dose of the vaccine) will be required to participate in the next round of monthly testing.

Harbors' residents will be tested by staff on June 14th. Staff have two options for completing this mandated testing. Staff can come to the 6th floor conference room on Monday, June 14 from 10 am to 1 pm for testing or you can get tested on your own at the place/date of your choosing. Results have to be in to your supervisor or to Mark Dubovick by Monday, June 28.

What To Avoid Monthly Testing? Vaccine Clinic Coming Soon!

There will be another vaccine clinic onsite in the next 2-3 weeks. If you are interested or think you may be interested in participating, please let Mark Dubovick know. If any friends or family would like to receive the vaccine, please let Mark now that too.

Good News Corner

Positivity Rate...the city's positive rate is currently at 1.9%. This is the lowest it has ever been! The improvement in this metrics and others that are tracked by public health officials is directly attributed to the number of people who are now vaccinated against the COVID virus.

Travel Restrictions...The City of Chicago has lifted travel restrictions from all states. Anyone traveling into Chicago no longer needs to get tested or be in quarantine if the individual is unvaccinated or partially vaccinated.

City/State Reopening...We expect that both the Mayor and the Governor will move their respective jurisdictions into phase 5 (meaning back to normal) next Friday, June 11. This is not official until it happens but it is looking very likely. Please remember that a move to Phase 5 in the city/state does not impact our operations until IDPH and CDPH adopt the same guidance for long-term care/congregate care settings like ours.

cc: Megan Callahan, HealthPro Andrew Whooley, Whoo's Caring Dr. Eric Mizuno, Medical Director Pamela Winkler, Rainbow Hospice