

To: **Residents and Staff**

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Thursday, December 23, 2021 - afternoon edition Date:

Re: **COVID-19** Prevention and Protection

COVID Count

ACTIVE cases	
Residents	Staff
0	2+1

"+1" refers to a non-staff provider

RECOVERED cases		
Residents	Staff	
29	48+8	

"+8" refers to a non-staff provider

Through our emergency testing over the last several days, we have uncovered an additional positive case of COVID. This new positive is a member of staff works in a department that operates in both The Harbors and in Independent Living. This new positive case does not have any additional implications on our testing protocol over the next few days and weeks.

For staff who could not be tested today, please come in for testing tomorrow between 10 am and 12 pm. Select staff are being asked to test on Monday and have been notified if it affects them. All of us on staff and all Harbors' residents will be tested on Tuesday of next week and for the next several Tuesdays until we return completely negative test results for everyone for consecutive rounds of testing.

In this moment, I am struggling for words to describe how I saw staff responding to the need for emergency testing today. People came in on their off day to get tested and one person in particular came in on his day off to make the testing happen, clinical leadership donned PPE and pushed a testing cart around to different departments, staff reached out to other staff to make them aware of the need to test and to help pull it off, different members of the leadership team showed up to help with simple tasks that kept things moving and dining fed people who couldn't pull away from work long enough to even get lunch. What I saw play out over this afternoon and what I already know will continue on into this evening and tomorrow is what makes us who we are. My sincerest thanks to all of my loving, capable, tenacious, committed, selfless coworkers. You are a gift.

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