

## Welsh Mountain Home Announcement October 20, 2020

To all Residents and Families.

Welsh Mountain Home is committed to being transparent in keeping residents, families, team members and our community aware of changes related to COVID-19. We want to reassure everyone that we are acting on this fluid situation.

We were notified yesterday that a team member tested positive for COVID-19. S/he last worked on Wednesday, October 14, 2020. The team member is currently quarantining at home.

In addition, today one resident also tested positive. This resident and all on his/her floor have been isolated and are being carefully monitored for any symptoms.

Welsh Mountain Home has followed and will continue to follow, guidance set forth by the Pennsylvania Department of Health (DOH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) to minimize the risk of Coronavirus transmission within our community.

These positive results unfortunately mean we will need to **move back to the prerequisite stage of the reopening plan.** After 14 days with no new onset of COVID-19, Personal Care will again enter Step 2. Until that time, all face-to-face visits need to be cancelled, per regulations.

Please know that the health and safety of our residents and team members is our primary concern. We are blessed by the support and encouragement of the residents and family members, board members and supporters who are part of the Welsh Mountain Home family.

We invite you to check the WMH website and Facebook page for regular COVID-19 updates.

Residents and family members may contact Jenny Sheckells with questions or concerns at <a href="mailto:isheckells@landis.org">isheckells@landis.org</a>\_or 717.381.3573.

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