



MEMORANDUM

To: Vinson Hall Retirement Community Staff Members, Residents, Family Members, Contractors and Volunteers

From: Antionette Doublin, Sr. Director ABP/TS and Analisse Vasquez-Soto, TS Assistant Administrator

Subject: Updated information about COVID-19 in the Kathy Martin Community Building

Date: October 4, 2021

We have learned that a short-stay rehabilitation resident in the Kathy Martin Community Building (CB) has detected positive for COVID-19. This individual is a resident in VHRC's independent living community who is convalescing in CB following a healthcare event. The resident has been in isolation since his/her arrival in CB. In addition to remaining in isolation, this resident's care is provided by dedicated staff to prevent the potential for cross-contamination. We will conduct contact tracing to determine who has had contact with this individual and to test them for COVID-19, if necessary. We will also diligently monitor residents and staff for signs and symptoms of COVID-19.

Due to this COVID-19 case in CB, we must adjust visitation protocols. Vaccinated individuals may visit CB residents in their rooms. Unvaccinated individuals may visit with CB residents outside, weather permitting. Unvaccinated individuals who are immediate family members of CB residents can schedule virtual visits via FaceTime or Skype. We can also arrange for window visits. To schedule a virtual visit or window visit, please

contact Nicole Largent, Activities and Engagement Manager at nicolel@vinsonhall.org or 703-506-6900.

Visitation in Arleigh Burke Pavilion assisted living and health care and The Sylvestery memory care have not changed. Please adhere to our infection control measures, including wearing a properly fitting mask at all times. We cannot at this time permit eating or drinking of any kind while visiting, even in a resident's room. Thank you for your patience and understanding as we rise to this next challenge in this pandemic.

As always please reach out to Antionette (antionetted@vinsonhall.org or 703-506-2124) or Analisse (analissev@vinsonhall.org or 703-970-3700) with any questions you may have.

Stay safe!