



To: Residents and Staff
 From: Nadia N. Geigler, CEO *Nadia*
 Date: Thursday, January 28, 2021
 Re: COVID-19 Prevention and Protection

COVID Count

ACTIVE cases	
Residents	Staff
0	0

RECOVERED cases	
Residents	Staff
25	44+7

"+7" refers to a non-staff provider

Vaccination Clinic Day #2

Yesterday about 170 people received their final dose of the Moderna vaccine. The protection this vaccine offers started with the first injection, increases over time and will reach maximum efficacy a couple weeks from the second dose they received yesterday.

Several hundred others received their first dose of the Moderna vaccine at yesterday's clinic. Please remember to block out Wednesday, February 24 to receive your second and final dose.

In all, we saw 461 people come through the clinic yesterday. This group included residents from all levels of living, private caregivers who are regularly in our building and staff from throughout the community yesterday. Wow!

Many of you have reached out to me and others on staff to offer your words of thanks for yesterday – the ease with which people moved through the various stations, the celebratory spirit with balloons, music and the photo booth and how well organized the event was from start to finish. All of us who have received messages like this from residents are passing them on as best we can but just to be sure...

To the 30 or so staff that planned and executed yesterday's clinic –
 thank you and well done, A Team!!

This is the closest we've come to a community event since early March 5, 2020. On that date, we were together in a packed Gathering Room to hear an educational session from Dr. Mizuno, Mark and Angela on a relatively new virus called COVID-19. Wild, right? None of us could have predicted what would happen from that March 2020 event to yesterday but this we do know: this will end. Not soon enough and not with our final doses of the vaccine but it will end.

From here on out, we would do well to practice patience and empathy for one another and for ourselves. We'll get plenty of opportunities to flex our creative muscles and to bend around those things that are truly out of our control. We'll get to embrace fresh starts on the way some things happen around here and, in doing so, create our new future together. Most important in all of this,

I believe, is to stick close to one another as we have been doing for the last several months – it has been a difference maker.

Vaccine Clinic Day #3 – Wednesday, February 24, 2021

This is the date those who received their first dose yesterday will come for their second dose. This is also a time when people who want to receive their first dose can do so here, and ahead of the general population.

If you are staff planning to receive your first dose on February 24, we have heard from CDPH that you will be able to receive your second dose from “anywhere.” We will let you know how “anywhere” ends up being defined closer to the date of clinic day #3.

If you are a resident planning to receive your first dose on February 24, we have heard from CDPH that they will bring a vaccine team back to our community to give you your second and final dose four weeks later.

More to come...

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