



BERGEN COUNTY HEALTH CARE CENTER

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June 11, 2021

Dear BCHCC family,

Vaccinations – 89.8% of residents and 80% of staff have been fully vaccinated. Over the next few weeks, we hope to increase those numbers by administering COVID-19 vaccine to additional residents and staff.

Visiting reminder – Visitors are to monitor for signs and symptoms of COVID-19 for at least 14 days after exiting. If symptoms occur, you are to self-isolate at home, contact your health care provider and immediately notify BCHCC of the date you were here, the individual with whom you were in contact and the location within BCHCC you visited.

COVID-19 Testing Update – Unvaccinated staff will be tested once a week. Vaccinated staff and residents will not be tested unless conditions warrant.

Breakfast buffet – will begin shortly. A traveling omelette station will make its rounds to one cottage per week. It will be staffed by Jeff Kalish, our food service director and an additional chef. A resident will be able to select what type of omelette they want and it will be made fresh for them.

Governor Murphy – has terminated the state of emergency in New Jersey. We are waiting for guidance from the New Jersey Department of Health as to how it impacts nursing homes. We will keep you informed.

Business Office – is back with full staff, May statements will be mailed by June 11th.

Please remember that issues specific to a resident should be directed to the cottage staff or Harvey and Diane. They can be reached at 201-750-8310 or email us at hsilberstein@co.bergen.nj.us or Diane (acting DON) at dholzberg@co.bergen.nj.us. Please visit our website at and view our food menus, activity calendar and outbreak plan.

Sincerely,

Harvey Silberstein, Administrator Diane Holzberg, Acting DON

MISSION: Bergen County Health Care Center is committed to providing individualized, exceptional and compassionate services to our residents, nurturing mind, body and spirit to support optimum quality of life and independence.