



February 9, 2021
COVID Update

Greetings from Midway Nursing Home!

There are no new cases of COVID for residents but a staff member did test positive yesterday. As such, affected nursing units have been placed on precautionary quarantine for two weeks and visitation will remain on "pause" pursuant to NYSDOH requirements.

Ongoing weekly testing of residents and twice weekly testing of staff continues. No residents or staff are displaying any symptoms at present.

Virtual visits are strongly encouraged and available daily. You may contact the Social Work and Recreation Departments today to schedule a virtual visit with your loved one.

CVS Health will return tomorrow, February 10rd to administer the 2nd dose of the COVID vaccine to those residents and staff received their first dose on January 20th. Pfizer COVID vaccine information and updates can be found on our website www.MidwayNursingHome.com. We are working with the DOH and our pharmacy partners to establish an on-going vaccination program. Details will be provided as we receive them.

Although some areas of the state have seen positivity rates decline, Midway and the surrounding area remains in a Yellow Zone "hotspot." Please do all you can to stay well. Wear a mask when you are not in your own home, maintain social distance of at least 6 feet, wash or sanitize your hands often and avoid group settings and travel. Consider getting a COVID vaccine when you are eligible if you have not already done so.

COVID-19 has not gone away. We must stay vigilant and continue to do all we can to stay safe and well. We are in this together and look forward to seeing you soon!