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COVID Update

Good afternoon from Midway Nursing Home

There are no changes from yesterday's report. We currently have 3 COVID + residents who remain asymptomatic. No other residents or staff have any signs or symptoms of COVID today.

The facility remains on quarantine until at least December 18th. We have conferred with NYS & NYC DOH and have implemented every recommendation to date and will continue to do so.

Weekly testing of residents and twice weekly testing of staff will continue. Close monitoring, isolation precautions and use of full PPE for every encounter will remain in effect through the end of the quarantine period. Resident movement remains limited to their rooms and enhanced cleaning measures continue as well. Staff movement is limited to the unit they are assigned including all break periods.

Virtual visits are available daily and encouraged. To arrange a virtual visit, please contact the Social Work or Recreation department.

With regard to COVID 19 vaccine, we will be working with NYC Dept of Health and Omnicare/CVS pharmacy to vaccinate residents and staff when the vaccine becomes available. More information will follow next week.

Daily update calls will be made as required. Updates can also be found on our website www.midwaynursinghome.com.

I want to emphasize that we are doing everything possible to keep your loved ones safe. COVID positivity rates continue to increase across the state and in our local area which remains in a yellow zone so please continue to take care of yourselves and be safe!

We look forward to seeing you soon!