

COVID-19 UPDATE

April 18, 2022

Dear Residents of The Mather,

We wanted to inform you that we have learned that **two Independent Living residents have tested positive for COVID-19**. We wish these individuals a speedy recovery.

The Mather is interviewing the individuals to determine if they were in close contact with residents and/or employees (meaning within 6 feet of anyone for more than 15 minutes). Individuals who have been in close contact will be notified.

LAST DAY TO PREREGISTER - BOOSTER CLINIC APRIL 26:

Today is the last day you can preregister for the on-site clinic for second booster shots, which takes place Tuesday, April 26. Those age 50 and better can choose to get a second booster if it has been at least four months since their first booster. **Please preregister at the Concierge desk by end of day today.** You'll receive an appointment time along with a consent form, which you must complete ahead of time.

Please bring your vaccination card, your insurance cards, and a completed consent form to your appointment at the clinic.

PLEASE STAY HOME IF FEELING ILL:

Symptoms of COVID-19 can be very similar to those of a cold or seasonal allergies. Even if you are feeling only mildly ill, please err on the side of caution:

- **Stay in your home to avoid spreading a virus.**
- **Take a COVID-19 test.** Please contact your personal physician if you have questions about at-home tests versus PCR testing. If you test positive, notify your personal physician immediately; there are new treatments they can prescribe that can decrease your risk of severe illness.

MASKS AT THE MATHER:

Wearing a well-fitting mask while indoors in any public area is an effective way to protect yourself from COVID-19. As you know, masks are required in all indoor spaces in our community for residents, guests, and employees. Thank you for wearing your mask and reminding your guests ahead of their visit.

Please take care and stay well.

Sincerely,

Deann Daniel
Executive Director

PS: Please note that this letter is being shared with all residents' current emergency contacts.

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