## COVID-19 UPDATE

September 19, 2022

Dear Residents of The Mather,

We have learned that a resident who lives in Independent Living has tested positive for COVID-19. This is a new case and has not previously been reported. We wish this individual a speedy recovery.

We will continue with our current protocols as advised by the Evanston Health Department. The following changes are in effect through Monday, September 26.

We will continue to pause service in our restaurants.

- Residents who have not tested positive for COVID-19 can choose between picking up meals to-go and having them delivered to their apartment home at no charge.
- Indoor programs and any congregate activities will be paused; outdoor programs will continue.
- We will begin providing access to Get Fit, including the pool, on an appointment basis. Please dial (847) 492.4653 to make an appointment.
- Podiatry and audiology will take place as scheduled, by appointment only. Please arrive at your appointed time and wait for someone to escort you into the Wellness Resource Center.
- Housekeeping will be focused on cleaning and disinfecting high-touch surfaces throughout our community. Housekeeping in apartment homes will continue on schedule, but we ask that residents vacate their home or remain masked in another room while their apartment is being serviced.

Please continue with the COVID-19 infection control precautions we have been using over the last two years.

- Wash your hands often.
- Wear a well-fitting face mask when you are out of your apartment home.
- Maintain 6 feet of distance from others during this outbreak.
- Stay in your apartment home if you have <u>symptoms of COVID-19</u>, contact your health care provider, and let the Concierge know.

Free COVID-19 test kits are available for your use. If you would like one, please contact Bonnie Lockhart, the Wellness Resource Nurse, or the Concierge.

Take care and stay well.

Sincerely,

Nina Kuzniak, Director of Repriorment

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



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