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To: All residents, families & team members

From: Cherie Powers, Executive Director

Subject: Path Forward Community Update

Our testing last week identified one positive team member. I am pleased that although a team member has tested positive, residents continue to remain healthy. My team is committed to wearing personal protective equipment correctly and doing everything we know that works to keep residents protected.

Our second clinic for the COVID-19 vaccine will be held on Friday, January 29. At this clinic, those who received the first dose will get the second, and others will be offered the opportunity to get the first dose. In talking with our sister communities and other professional health care partners, we have learned that the side effects are more prominent with the second dose. Most commonly, after the second dose people are experiencing a mild fever, chills, a headache and fatigue. This is a normal part of the vaccination process and the side effects are a sign that your body is building protection against the virus. We will, of course, monitor residents closely after they have received the vaccine. As a reminder, the vaccine does not give you COVID-19.

After the completion of the vaccine clinics, we will consider when and how to open for in-person visitation. When we do resume visitation, we will still continue to keep everyone masked and socially distanced. As a reminder, we cannot relax those restrictions until we are given guidance by the Health Department and the CDC.

If you would like to schedule a virtual visit with your loved one, you may do so here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/legacyvirtualvisits>.

For screen porch visits, you may sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/picnicvisits>

As always, we are thankful for everyone's cooperation, patience and prayers during this time.

As a reminder, all updates can be found online at www.thelegacyatnorthaugusta.org/pathforward.

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