

**February 19, 2021**

**Communities at Indian Haven**

**Dear Friends, Families, Residents and Caregivers,**

Progress! We are very encouraged by the recent drop in county COVID-19 positivity rates and look forward to reopening and inviting you back into our facility to visit your loved one starting next Wednesday. We are working on a visitation plan for the 200 and 300 Neighborhoods due to their Green Status. All visitors will be required to pass the screening process, wear an N95 Mask and goggles or face shield to visit. We will begin visiting on Wednesday, February 24, 2021, with limit hours. An appointment must be scheduled with the facility prior to coming. We will allow up to two visitors per resident in designated areas.

We are following guidance provided by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), Department of Health (DOH) and Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) in this matter.

Meanwhile, we are participating with the Vaccine Partnership Program. Our pharmacy partner CVS Omnicare completed the third and final onsite clinics for our staff and residents on February 15. Our final clinic numbers are 97% of our Residents and 79% of our Staffs! We continue to be in partnership with IRMC to obtain vaccines for our Staffs who only received the first dosage as well as Residents who wish to be admitted to our facility.

We encourage vaccination against COVID-19 for residents, staff and the community in general in completing a drive for immunity. Thank you in advance. The DOH explains family member eligibility, locations and scheduling:

<https://www.health.pa.gov/topics/disease/coronavirus/Vaccine/Pages/Vaccine.aspx>

Learn more about the vaccine on our website's COVID-19 page as well as updates, videos, links and frequently asked questions.

Even after vaccination, please continue to maintain physical distancing, use caution when attending gatherings, wear a mask and practice hand hygiene. These are CDC principles of cleanliness. Currently Indiana County total cases are: 5,008 with 156 deaths.

Our Facility's Resident Impact (May 15, 2020 through February 18, 2021):

Number of cases	
18	ADMISSIONS: Residents admitted or readmitted who were previously hospitalized and treated for COVID-19
0	CONFIRMED: Residents with new laboratory positive COVID-19
0	SUSPECTED: Residents with new suspected COVID-19
48	TOTAL DEATHS: Residents who died in the facility or another location
23	COVID-19 DEATHS: Residents with suspected or laboratory positive COVID-19 who died in the facility or another location.

Family members impacted by the virus will be contacted and provided with results/updates.

I am feeling **hopeful!**

Please stay safe and warm! Looking forward to seeing all of you soon!

*Kim Cobaugh*

Kim Cobaugh and the Indian Haven Family