

July 9, 2021
Communities at Indian Haven

Dear Friends, Families, Residents and Caregivers,

We encourage all to help put an end to the pandemic that has drastically changed all of our lives. Consider being vaccinated against COVID-19 to protect your loved ones as well as yourself. An additional incentive is prevention. In specific, the Delta Variant has gained much attention of late. A Yale study and a report by the *Wall Street Journal* and other media confirm that those with full vaccinations are less susceptible to the emerging variant.

The bottom line is we cannot let down our guard in our battle with COVID-19. Vaccinations remain the best means of overcoming the pandemic. We encourage all residents, staff, family members and volunteers to become vaccinated. For information about vaccination information, please check [the CDC's fact sheet](#). You can find vaccines near you at: <https://www.vaccines.gov/search>

Most Recent Vaccination Rates: **Residents 96%** **Staff 81%**

Screening with the Accushield remains in effect upon entrance and exit to the facility at the rear entrance. Don't forget to hand sanitize! Visiting remains the same for fully vaccinated residents and fully vaccinated family members. If your loved one has a private room or no roommate, you may visit if both parties are vaccinated. We ask that you call ahead if your loved one has a room mate so we can make arrangements for a place to visit and assure your loved one is prepared for the visit. We encourage you to enjoy the courtyard and benches around the facility. We are doing our best to assure that visits continue. PLEASE continue to **wear a regular mask** when visiting. This has not changed with the Governor's mandate to lift masks in PA. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 724-465-3900.

Our Facility's Resident Impact (May 15, 2020, through July 8, 2021):

Number of cases	
0	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
65	TOTAL DEATHS: Residents who died in the facility or another location
27	COVID-19 DEATHS: Residents with suspected or laboratory positive COVID-19 who died in the facility or another location.

Residents who are on transmission-based precautions for COVID-19 should only receive visits that are virtual, through windows, or in-person for compassionate care situations, with adherence to transmission-based precautions and core infection control principles.

Thank you again for entrusting us with the care of your loved ones. If you have any questions, we are always available for you.

Sincerely,

Kim Cobaugh NHA and Your Communities at Indian Haven Family