



ST. JOSEPH'S SENIOR HOME

ASSISTED LIVING - NURSING CENTER

1-3 ST. JOSEPH'S TERRACE, WOODBRIDGE, NJ 07095

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To Our Residents' Family Members:

As of today, all residents and staff are negative for COVID-19. Residents are monitored daily for signs and symptoms. We are following all state guidelines and protocols. Unvaccinated staff are tested twice weekly according to county infection rates and NJ guidelines for the virus.

Visiting hours are open from 9am to 5pm daily. When you visit your loved one, you must follow the **Core Principles** of COVID-19 infection prevention and sign the **Outbreak Visitation Consent Form** prior to the start of every visit. Please wear a mask that covers your nose and mouth during the entire visit and use hand sanitizer at the desk when signing in. We will be screening all visitors prior to the visit starting. If any visitors are feeling sick or have symptoms of COVID-19, we ask that they visit another time when they are feeling better. Our top priority at St. Joseph's is your loved one's safety.

If you have traveled or plan to travel out of state or country recently, we are asking that you do not visit for a few days after your return home to monitor yourself for signs or symptoms of COVID-19. Alternatively, we ask that you inform us of your travels so that we may give you a COVID-19 rapid antigen test.

We will continue to provide you with the most updated information regarding COVID as it is available to us. Please call our center at 732-750-0077 with any questions or concerns about your loved one. We remain united in prayer.

The Christmas holiday festivities have begun at St. Joseph's Home! We have filled our home with holiday music and decorations to bring in the spirit and look forward to celebrating with all of our residents and families. Also in the spirit, we have our Christmas raffle going on. First prize is a lovely Christmas basket filled with fine foods and treats. Our second place winner will take home a beautiful handmade set of Mr. and Mrs. Clause dolls to brighten up your home holiday décor. Half of the raffle proceeds will go towards decorations for the chapel and half towards renovating the Snoezelen room. This is a special therapeutic room that provides a soothing and stimulating environment for our residents with dementia.

Please also join us in supporting our needy communities during this holiday season. We are collecting for Santa to the Streets Toy Drive, new unwrapped toys for boys and girls ages 3-16. We are also participating in a clothing drive for the homeless population in the Newark area. Please donate any new and lightly used clothing for this cause. The baskets will be available in our lobby.

Blessings,

Sr. Elzbieta Lopatka RN, LNHA

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