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Weekly Newsletter

Coronavirus Vaccination Clinic

We are very happy to announce that Tuesday, March 2nd is the date for our next COVID-19 vaccination clinic for our LB Homes Staff, Residents and Designated Essential Caregivers! As you probably know, the COVID-19 vaccine may offer protection to ourselves, our residents, and decrease the occurrence of COVID-19 in the general population. We are being told that once 70% of the general population has been vaccinated, the need for masks and testing may decrease. It will be in the Light and Life Auditorium from 9 am to 5 pm. Please park in the Light and Life Parking off Alcott Avenue and enter through Door I.

If you plan on getting the vaccine on Tuesday, March 2nd, you will be asked a few medical questions that the pharmacy is requesting. As the vaccination is voluntary, answering these questions is voluntary as well. If you choose not to answer the questions, you might not be able to obtain the vaccine. The pharmacist will determine if they will be able to administer the vaccine on that day. Your answers do not necessarily exclude you from vaccination. **You will be called prior to the vaccination clinic to schedule an appointment or decline the vaccine.**

Please remember to get a COVID test on Monday March 1st if you plan on receiving the vaccine. You will also need to bring your insurance card and wear a short-sleeved shirt for the vaccine.

The next clinic will be held on March 30th from 9am-5pm.

CORONAVIRUS TESTING *Important Changes*

We will be doing our facility wide testing on **March 1st**. The test will be a Vault Saliva PCR and will take longer—please plan accordingly! A smartphone and email address will be needed complete registration and provide testing instructions, if you do not have a smart phone, iPads will be available. With the saliva test, individuals are not to not eat, drink, chew gum, or smoke 30 minutes prior to collection—please note Assisted Living will not be doing saliva testing but will still participate in testing on March 1st.

If you are unable to make it on March 1st for testing, please make arrangements with Sam Finch at 218-998-7336 **prior** to March 1st to arrange pickup of a testing kit that will need to be completed and dropped off at the UPS drop box by 4:30pm on testing day, March 1st. Stay tuned for more information coming in next weeks newsletter.

We are asking that ALL essential caregivers fill out each screening question thoroughly which includes documenting the date you last completed a Coronavirus test, address, phone number and general screening questions. These screening sheets are monitored closely and if not filled out properly we will be contacting you.

Visitation Protocol

Essential Caregiver visits must be scheduled via phone or e-mail with Aaron Hanson Monday through Friday 8am-4pm. If you would like to schedule an Indoor Visit, Outdoor Visit, Window Visit or Video Call with your loved one you can do so at <https://lbhomes.simplybook.me/v2/> Or by contacting Aaron Hanson at 218-998-7333/ aaron.hanson@lbhomes.org Monday through Friday 8am-4pm. **Online booking for visitation is preferred.** All messages left regarding scheduling of visitation out of regular office hours will be returned by the following business day.

LB Homes Cumulative COVID-19 Operations Report
3/13/2020 – 2/23/2021

Entity *Numbers in this table reflect testing of symptomatic residents and employees tested outside of Point Prevalence Survey testing.	Number of residents or clients tested	Number of residents or clients confirmed positive	Number of employees tested	Number of employees confirmed positive	Number of COVID-19 related deaths
LB Broen Home	70	0	97	14: (No longer isolated)	0
LB Alcott Manor	4	0	5	0	0
LB Woodland Lodge	3	0	7	2: (No longer isolated)	0
LB Home Care	12	9	7	1: (No longer isolated)	0
LB Hospice	6	5	8	3: (No longer isolated)	0

LB Homes Point Prevalence Survey (PPS)/Outbreak Testing

Date of Point Prevalence Survey Testing	Number of residents or clients tested	Number of residents or clients confirmed positive	Number of employees/essential caregivers tested	Number of employees/essential caregivers positive
December 17, 2020 * Antigen tests * PCR tests	81	0	232	0
	0	0	12	1: (confirmation of antigen test)
December 21, 2020 * Antigen tests * PCR tests	60	1	243	1: (No longer isolated)
	2	1: (No longer isolated)	2	1: (No longer isolated)
December 23-24, 2020 * Antigen tests * PCR tests	59	0	244	0
	0	0	2	0
December 28, 2020 * Antigen tests * PCR tests	59	0	257	0
	0	0	7	0
January 04, 2021 * Antigen tests * PCR tests	56	0	283	0
	0	0	1	0

LB Homes Point Prevalence Survey (PPS)/Outbreak Testing, continued				
January 11, 2021	58	0	268	0
* Antigen tests				
* PCR tests	0	0	2	0
January 18, 2021	58	0	283	0
* Antigen tests				
* PCR tests	0	0	0	0
January 25, 2021	57	0	268	0
* Antigen tests				
* PCR tests	0	0	3	0
February 1, 2021	57	0	315	0
* Antigen tests				
* PCR tests	1	0	6	0: 1 pending

Mitigation (efforts to reduce loss of life or property) measures currently implemented include:

- * 02/16/2021 22 Sheridan House Residents completed their 2nd COVID 19 Vaccination
- * 02/02/2021 Second COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic scheduled – Nursing Home & Assisted Living (1st vaccine)
- * 01/25/2021 General visitation (scheduled) open at Broen Home & Alcott Manor
- * 01/20/2021 General visitation (scheduled) open at Woodland Lodge
- * 01/19/2021 Sheridan House COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic completed with OTC Public Health
- * 01/05/2021 First COVID-19 Vaccines administered at LB Broen Home