



# LB Homes

# Caring for you, wherever you call home

## Weekly Newsletter

### COVID Vaccination

On February 2<sup>nd</sup> LB Homes conducted our 2<sup>nd</sup> Coronavirus Vaccination Clinic with the help of Walgreens Pharmacy and Ottertail County Public Health. With guidance provided by the Minnesota Department of Health for the conduction of Phase 1 vaccination we were able to vaccinate LB Broen Home Staff, Residents and Essential Caregivers along with LB Homes Staff, Assisted Living Staff, Residents and Essential Caregivers, Sheridan House Residents (January 19<sup>th</sup>) and LB Hospice and Home Care Staff. Since beginning the vaccination process LB Homes has begun vaccinating 174 Staff/Essential Caregivers and 107 residents/tenants.

### What Is Cycling Without Age and How Can It Benefit My Loved One?

Elderly often experience a loss of mobility leading to social isolation, loneliness and depression. Cycling Without Age provides the elderly and less abled with an opportunity to remain an active part of society and to experience life beyond the confines of their residence or nursing home. The program gives them the right to wind in their hair, the ability to connect with nature, and the chance to share their stories. Life does not end when you turn 75. Life unfolds at all ages, young and old, and can be thrilling, fun, sad, beautiful and meaningful. Cycling Without Age is about letting people age in a positive context – fully aware of the opportunities that lie ahead when interacting in their local community. By donating to LB Homes Trishaw Fund on Giving Hearts Day you are not only contributing to an item but also an experience.



There are several ways to donate:

Visit [www.GivingHeartsDay.org](http://www.GivingHeartsDay.org) anytime between now and February 11th and select LB Homes or Call 701.271.0263 on February 11th and ask to make a gift to LB Homes or Send/Drop Off a check with Giving Hearts Day in the memo line, dated February 11th to **LB Homes 805 E Channing Ave Fergus Falls, MN 56537**

### CORONAVIRUS TESTING

This is a reminder that Coronavirus testing is no longer weekly, and we will only be testing once per month. Our next testing date will be **MARCH 1<sup>st</sup>**.

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 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 Monday through Friday 8am-4pm. **Online booking 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 – 2/09/2021**

<b>Entity</b> <small>*Numbers in this table reflect testing of symptomatic residents and employees tested outside of Point Prevalence Survey testing.</small>	<b>Number of residents or clients tested</b>	<b>Number of residents or clients confirmed positive</b>	<b>Number of employees tested</b>	<b>Number of employees confirmed positive</b>	<b>Number of COVID-19 related deaths</b>
<b>LB Broen Home</b>	69	0	92	14: (No longer isolated)	0
<b>LB Alcott Manor</b>	4	0	4	0	0
<b>LB Woodland Lodge</b>	3	0	7	2: (No longer isolated)	0
<b>LB Home Care</b>	12	9	7	1: (Currently isolated)	0
<b>LB Hospice</b>	6	5	8	3: (No longer isolated)	0

**LB Homes Point Prevalence Survey (PPS)/Outbreak Testing**

<b>Date of Point Prevalence Survey Testing</b>	<b>Number of residents or clients tested</b>	<b>Number of residents or clients confirmed positive</b>	<b>Number of employees/essential caregivers tested</b>	<b>Number of employees/essential caregivers positive</b>
December 17, 2020 * Antigen tests	81	0	232	0
* PCR tests	0	0	12	1: (confirmation of antigen test)
December 21, 2020 * Antigen tests	60	1	243	1: (No longer isolated)
* PCR tests	2	1: (No longer isolated)	2	1: (No longer isolated)
December 23-24, 2020 * Antigen tests	59	0	244	0
* PCR tests	0	0	2	0
December 28, 2020 * Antigen tests	59	0	257	0
* PCR tests	0	0	7	0
January 04, 2021 * Antigen tests	56	0	283	0
* PCR tests	0	0	1	0
January 11, 2021 * Antigen tests	58	0	268	0
* PCR tests	0	0	2	0
January 18, 2021 * Antigen tests	58	0	283	0
* PCR tests	0	0	0	0
January 25, 2021 * Antigen tests	57	0	268	0
* PCR tests	0	0	3	0
February 1, 2021 * Antigen tests	57	0	313	0
* PCR tests	1	0	0	0

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

- \* 02/02/2021 Second COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic scheduled – Nursing Home & Assisted Living (1<sup>st</sup> 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