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Landis Homes Update

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This weekend saw something we have not seen for nearly five decades when two astronauts ended their space travels and splashed down in the Gulf of Mexico. It was interesting to note that while much of the attention was focused on the two men who made the trip, there were literally thousands of people behind the scenes working toward making the trip safe.

It is much the same when we think about fighting the COVID pandemic. It takes a strong team working toward the same goal to make it possible to keep residents, clients and team members safe. In addition, as Vice President of Community Initiatives Evon Bergey reminded our team this morning, this effort is like running an ultramarathon not a sprint. We are grateful to all who are on this team!

Testing Updates

We are glad to report at this time we are not aware of any outstanding tests for residents of Landis Homes in Residential Living, Personal Care or Healthcare. We are always grateful when we can report this.

Personal Care Change

Due to a positive COVID test result for a team member on July 29, Landis Homes Personal Care will need to restart the clock on its reopening plans. The team member first had symptoms one day after working in July 28. After 14 days with no new onset of COVID, Personal Care will again enter Step 1 on August 13. Until we reach Step 2 (August 27, assuming no new cases), window visits will be held instead of face-to-face visits and existing scheduled visit times will be honored. Please note that this does not affect Healthcare's reopening plan. This is another reminder of the importance of all team members, residents and visitors following the CDC safety guidelines.

Wellness Center News

Residents may begin to use the Crossings fitness center Monday, August 10 with the following guidelines:

- No more than two residents will be permitted at a time.
- Masks must be worn the entire time you are in the fitness center
- Residents must be screened (including a temperature reading) upon arrival.
- A Wellness team member will be overseeing the fitness center to ensure adequate physical distancing and sanitizing of equipment.



- Residents MUST call the Wellness Center #3084 to reserve a time slot. Time slots will be on the hour from 7:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Residents will have 45 minutes to exercise, allowing 15 minutes for cleaning by the Wellness team.
- Residents may call the week prior and sign up for two (2) time slots. You may call during the current week to see if more time slots are available.
- The fitness center not be open on weekends.

Residents and family members may contact Jenny Sheckells with questions or concerns at jsheckells@landis.org or 717.381.3573.

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