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Our weekly COVID-19 surveillance testing results are back. We have one staff member who has returned a positive test result. It is my hope that this too is a false positive as this week's COVID-19 specimens were sent to the MAKO lab.

The employee had been made aware of his/her test result and is now at home on quarantine. He/she is seeking another COVID-19 test this morning for him/herself and his/her family. While I was at liberty to disclose my own test results (my personal decision), I do not have the authority to release the name of my staff member with the positive test result.

According to DHHS, and other healthcare providers- including long term care facilities- we have seen FALSE positive test results from the MAKO lab.

We have stopped all outdoor visits at this time and ***we will not*** be making appointments for outdoor visits ***until after*** the facility staff and residents are all tested and have negative COVID-19 results for all- test date to be determined by DHHS.

The employee routinely worked on only 1 unit – the Birch unit- and we have placed this unit on quarantine with staff wearing full PPE (gown, gloves, face mask and eye protection) as a precautionary measure.

The staff and residents continue to be monitored daily via temperatures and asking about any signs/symptoms of COVID-19.

Please feel free to reach out to myself or the Director of Nursing Services, Donna Nemet with any questions you may have.

Stay Well! Stay Safe!

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