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Greetings from St. Ann

What great news we were able to report Wednesday about the COVID testing results from November 27th – all negative. We test again tomorrow, December 4th and IF/WHEN we are all negative again - we will clear out of outbreak status with the NH Department of Health & Human Services.

As I am sure you all are aware through the media - there is a lot of talk about the COVID-19 vaccine. We have partnered with our pharmacy provider - PharMerica who is partnered with Walgreens to assist us with getting the vaccine for our residents and staff. We will receive our vaccine through them- including the administration of the vaccine. I have attached a flyer regarding What to Expect from Walgreens for your review. There is also a link noted on the 2nd page of the handout www.walgreens.com/covidvaccine to stay up to date on the topic from our vaccine provider.

WHEN we are able to begin accepting admissions back into the facility OR if one of our residents is sent to the hospital - we will continue to require a 14-day quarantine on the skilled unit for monitoring for signs and symptoms of COVID-19.

I will be sure to let you know when we will be able to begin offering limited indoor visits as we had just begun doing prior to our outbreak. We are not there yet, but we have hope it will be soon.

Life Enrichment Update: One on One visits with residents living on non-Covid units continue. We are currently participating in Operation Yellow Ribbon where our residents, those wanting to do so, are writing Christmas cards to soldiers in the United States Armed Services whom are deployed overseas - wishing them peace and comfort in service to our nation. We are also working on Christmas Crafts on a one-to-one basis with residents. We are making cinnamon stick Christmas tree decorations/ornaments, a reindeer ornament made from sliced birch tree branches and a painted ball ornament. The building is coming together nicely with holiday decorations with 6 trees up and holiday décor placed throughout the units/community.

Here is hoping that December brings us the ability to see our loved ones - even if it means socially distancing at 6 feet.

Thank you again for your continued support and prayers..

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# Working together with your facility to accommodate your needs

Our close relationship with your facility allows us to understand and tailor our care to your specific needs. We'll stay connected with staff on your schedule and any special accommodations to help you easily — and safely — get what you need.

### **Your questions answered**

Walgreens is gathering the latest insights about COVID-19 vaccine safety and effectiveness, and common questions from our patients, all in one place. Stay up-to-date at **walgreens.com/covidvaccine**.

*Reference 1. Walgreens Customer Experience Tracking Study* 

