

June 3, 2022

Quarantine: The CDC recently updated the criteria to be considered "up-to-date" as it pertains to the covid-19 vaccines and how it impacts Residents and Staff related to quarantining and testing following a close contact exposure in healthcare facilities. For those who do not meet the criteria, a 10-day quarantine will be mandatory per public health guidance following either close contact with someone who has tested positive for Covid-19 and/or an overnight in a hospital. There is a test out option on day 7 however if the rapid test remains positive, an individual will need to complete the full quarantine.

For residents and staff 50+: need to have had initial series of vaccination (Pfizer/Moderna= 2 shots/ J&J= 1 shot) + 2 boosters (of Pfizer or Moderna).

For residents and staff under 50: will need to have had initial series of vaccination (Pfizer/Moderna= 2 shots/ J&J= 1 shot) + 1 booster (of Pfizer or Moderna).

For those who do not meet the criteria to receive the 2nd booster shot (4 months following 1st booster shot), they are considered "up-to-date" until the timeframe opens up to qualify for the 2nd booster at which point they would no longer be considered "up-to-date".

12 Residents who were previously considered "up-to-date" will no longer meet the criteria.

Denise (Director of Nursing) will be reaching out to those impacted to inquire if they are interested in participating in an upcoming vaccine clinic this month. STOP to end (The Beechwood Home) Message #2: If you have any questions about the vaccination status of you or your loved one, please contact Scot @ 513-842-0774 or sharmon@beechwoodhome.com.

Mandatory Testing: Per public health guidance, staff who are not "up-to-date" on their covid-19 vaccinations will undergo mandatory twice a week covid-19 testing. We will continue to voluntarily require our "up-to-date" staff members to undergo weekly testing.

2nd Floor Supervisor: Unfortunately, Kim Hearst (2nd floor Supervisor) is no longer with the facility. While Human Resources works to recruit someone for this position, we ask that 2nd floor Residents/Family members contact the 24/7 Supervisor phone @ 513-702-9216 or email our Director of Nursing Denise @ DCooper@beechwoodhome.com.

As always, if you have any questions, please contact:

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Sincerely, Scot Harmon (Administrator) & Patricia Clark, DM (CEO, Administrator)