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Family Members,

We have two residents who were newly identified as positive for the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). With this latest development we have four positive residents, they are properly cohorted and quarantined in our COVID-19 Unit. On the employee front, out of our 180 full-time, part-time and temporary employees, 51 have tested positive since March 2020. There are three employees currently quarantining in their homes. Forty-eight employees have recovered from the virus and have returned to work. We continue testing residents and staff twice a week.

This Thursday we will begin to roll out the vaccine for the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). The Ransom County Public Health team will be here with an inoculation team on Thursday, December 31st to begin vaccinations. The number of staff and residents receiving vaccinations on this day will be determined by the supply Public Health receives. Public Health will be receiving additional supplies of the vaccination and will return on January 7th to complete vaccinations for those who were not vaccinated on the 31st. The required second dose will be given the last week of January and first week of February. With this vaccine in our grasp, we hope that we are now a day closer to returning to normal.

Please know we remain available to assist you in any way.

Helpful links:

NDVH COVID-19 Safety Plan: [Safety Plan](#)

ND Statewide Map, Ransom County needs to be blue in order to advance to stage 3 in the VP3 reopening phases: [Active Cases of COVID-19 Per Capita](#)

ND Department of Health COVID-19 [ND Cases](#)

Sincerely,

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