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Family Members,

As of this date Ransom County has six active cases of COVID-19 which has moved Ransom County into the yellow category. Source Control is key, and with that in mind we have updated the resident expectations for traveling off grounds. Residents have been educated that if visitation occurs in the yellow area, upon return a mask must be worn when out of their room and a respiratory assessment will be completed twice daily for 14 days. With the increase in cases we have also asked residents to wear a facemask when they are outside of their pod.

Our next date for staff testing is on August 27<sup>th</sup>. We appreciate your support as we work together to keep your loved ones safe. Please feel free to contact us at the numbers listed if you have any concerns or questions.

## **Helpful links:**

NDVH COVID-19 Safety Plan: <u>Safety Plan</u> ND Statewide Map, Ransom County needs to be <u>blue</u> in order to advance to stage 3 in the VP3 reopening phases: <u>Active Cases of COVID-19 Per Capita</u> Scheduled Visitation Hours: <u>Visitation Information</u>

Sincerely,

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