



SUNNYSIDE VILLAGE

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A Christian Senior Living Community

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Update to Village Independent Living Residents and Staff

Governor Ron DeSantis' Executive Order takes effect for the next 30 days beginning at midnight tonight. The order addresses all the citizens in Florida, but specifically addresses:

- **Safer at Home:** Senior citizens and individuals with a significant underlying medical condition shall stay at home and take all measures to limit the risk of exposure to COVID-19.
- **Essential Services:** All persons in Florida shall limit their movements and personal interactions outside their home to only those necessary to obtain or provide essential services or conduct essential activities. [This includes pharmaceutical needs and essential medical appointments.]
- **Essential Activities:** Continue social distancing and restrict all social and recreational gatherings of 10 people in a public space.

In light of this order, and with concern that Sunnyside residents and staff continue to cooperate to maintain a safe, healthy community in which to live, **we will be instituting the following additional procedures to those already in place:**

1. All residents should not, and we strongly request that you do not leave campus.
2. All residents who leave campus, upon their return, will be required to complete the screening form and have their temperature taken at the Checkpoint to re-enter campus. They will be required to report morning and evening temperatures to Sunnyside staff for fourteen days
3. Any resident with a temperature above 100° is required to quarantine in their home at least 14 days. During that time, he or she will be required to provide regular temperature readings to Sunnyside and should be in touch with their doctor.
4. Sunnyside will provide complimentary transportation for residents with essential medical appointments. Make your reservation at least 24 hours in advance of your appointment.

These restrictions immediately raise the question about how residents will be able to obtain their personal necessities and food items. Sunnyside is working to resolve these issues and will release information shortly regarding your options.

Residents always have the option to order products online from grocery stores and other stores that will deliver. When such a delivery comes to campus, it will be received at the Checkpoint, you have the option to pick up your order at the Checkpoint, or a Sunnyside staff member will bring it to you.

As always, watch for updates and changes on Sunnyside Channel 195 or your *SunnysideConnect* app. Questions regarding this procedure should be addressed to J David Yoder, Executive Director, or Debbie Smith, Resident Liaison, Wellness Coordinator.

Praying with you for God's watch and care over us all,

J. David Yoder

Executive Director, Sunnyside Village