



SUNNYSIDE VILLAGE

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A Christian Senior Living Community

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Update to Village Independent Living Residents and Staff

Finding things to do safely ...

... is a challenge facing all of us. Relationships are vital, and we need to find creative and fun ways to interact. Help us brainstorm “how we might get it done” without providing easy ways for the virus to be transferred from one person to another or one surface to a person.

Let us know if you are looking to learn something – I recently heard someone say it might be fun to learn how to Zoom or FaceTime or Skype. There are people here who know how to do it and would be happy to teach the process – it is not difficult.

Talk to our staff about what you would like to learn and let us see if we can meet the challenge. Life goes on despite our face coverings and distancing – let’s make it a time to rejuvenate with new knowledge!

We are waiting to hear your thoughts, questions, and suggestions!

Safe and healthy best practices:

- Distance when with other persons 6 feet or more
- Face coverings when indoors or outside within 6 – 10 feet of the other
- Wash hands as frequently as possible, 20-30 seconds with soap and water or use hand sanitizer

Visitation guidance:

- **Permitted on Campus** – residents, staff, medical personnel, caregivers, approved housekeepers, local friends and family members, campus service providers, trades, and federal agency personnel.
- **Visit neighbors** in your homes or outside, practicing social or physical distancing--inside or outside.
- **Walk outdoors** with proper physical distancing/face coverings when within 6-10 feet of another person.
- **Family and friends from off campus** should go directly to your home, wear face coverings while on campus and not remain in any common areas. Physically distanced walks around the campus are acceptable.
- **Visitors from more than 25 miles away that want to visit your home** need prior approval from Debbie Smith or J. David Yoder before trying to come on campus.

Regarding common areas in the Garden Apartments:

- Please do not use the first-floor lobby areas to visit with family, friends, or neighbors.
- Second and third-floor common areas should not be used at this time for meetings, games, or gatherings, but are acceptable locations for small, quiet conversations if physically distanced.
- Be courteous to those neighbors who live near the common areas by keeping your noise levels moderated.

No coronavirus positive tests on campus that we know of currently.

Sunnyside Village Chapel services have limited, distanced seating: Wednesday, at 10:30 a.m., Sunday at 10:30 a.m., and rebroadcast campus-wide on Sunday on both Channel 195 and 103 at 10:30 a.m.

Christian Life Class will resume Thursday, July 16th, at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel. All safety and distancing parameters will be in effect, like the worship services.

What is happening ...

- Bank hours are back to normal
- Carpet cleaning by approved service providers
- Deliveries such as groceries and food supplies from Shipt, Instacart, Grubhub, etc. can be left for you at the Checkpoint
- Impact window replacement
- Lakeside Dining meal pickup/delivery
- Packages delivered by Amazon, FedEx and UPS are dropped off at the Checkpoint and wiped down before delivery on campus
- Personal housekeepers permitted if approved by Debbie Smith or J. David Yoder
- Residents are moving into the Manor again, contact Amy Craig in Health Services with questions by calling Ext. 325
- Screening at the Checkpoint
- Shopping and prescription pickup services
- Shopping on the Sunnyside bus
- Show your Sunnyside name tag to Checkpoint personnel when you return to campus.
- Transportation to essential medical appointments at no charge if you do not own a car, have quit driving, or have not left campus since March 16 – call Ext. 266
- Updated information is available on Channel 195 and the *SunnysideConnect* app

What is not happening ...

- Resident Helping Hands service
- Village Store- closed
- Library - closed
- Cards and table games
- Dine-in at Lakeside Dining

Thanks so much for the contribution you have made for your safety and the safety of others.

Have a blessed day!

J. David Yoder

Executive Director, Sunnyside Village