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Today an employee notified us that he/she tested positive for COVID-19 at an external testing site. Although that employee works limited hours, that individual has been in contact with some residents and staff within the past week. The good thing is that the individual has been wearing the appropriate protective equipment as required.

The facility has been testing all employees twice per week and those recent results have been negative. All residents have been tested for the past two weeks and those results have also been negative. We intend on testing both residents and staff as supplies last. Unfortunately, there is a shortage of testing devices.

The facility continues to report all positive cases from either staff or residents to local and State Departments of Public Health, CMS and the DIA. We hope this is just an isolated case however COVID-19 continue to rise in our County and concerning since the local schools and colleges has opened. People in general have also recently been attending larger events such as family reunions, weddings and funerals.

We again wish to thank our residents and their families for their support and patience during this pandemic.

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