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The facility continues to do surveillance COVID-19 testing weekly and sometimes bi-weekly, depending on the county's positivity rates for both resident's and staff. Today one of the resident's tests came back positive. We are retesting to confirm, however treating that resident as being positive and following isolation precautions.

Our staff continues to be required to use the necessary Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and use good hand hygiene. We have notified Wapello County and the Iowa Department's of Public Health along with the DIA and will follow CMS guidelines and CDC recommendations.

The facility recently started to allow controlled in-person visitation. Unfortunately, this is now postponed but will allow closed window visits. We apologize for this inconvenience again and appreciate the support and concerns from our residents and their families as we struggle through these difficult times.