

Maples Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, LLC

While we remain cautiously optimistic we know that the COVID-19 threat is still very real. As surrounding communities continue to move forward with reopening and many schools are in session community spread is inevitable. With infection control efforts a constant focus, detection efforts have amounted to more than 2,118 staff surveillance tests since 7/1/2020, this testing will continue into the foreseeable future. We Thank you for your support and understanding as we continue to traverse the daily challenges that have become the new norm under COVID-19.

With this update on how the COVID-19 virus has impacted Maples, please know nursing and administration are working tirelessly to manage this crisis. Our guidance on procedure comes from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) to reduce the spread and impact of COVID-19, measures include:

- Enhanced infection control precautions
- Screening residents, staff, and essential visitors for expanded list of symptoms
- Restricting entry to the building
- Testing staff and residents for COVID-19 as is indicated
- Limitations on communal activities
- Cohorting of COVID-19 positive residents and quarantining for new admissions and current residents
- Compassionate care bedside visits, virtual visits
- In person visits according to DPH Guidelines

For privacy concerns, we cannot provide specific information about the individuals who have confirmed or suspected COVID-19, we can only provide information to the authorized contact person on file. We will contact you directly if your loved one is suspected of or diagnosed with COVID-19. All families of residents and staff who test positive are contacted directly.

We thank you for your support during this difficult time, and we wish you all safety and health.

Update November 20, 2020

COVID-19 (+) Residents - current	0
COVID-19 (+) Residents – current admitted (+)	0
COVID-19 (+) Residents - cumulative	58
COVID-19 (+) Staff - current	1
COVID-19 (+) Staff - cumulative	51
PPE Available	Yes