



February 8, 2021

Dear Residents and Families.

Post Moderna vaccination clinic update:

On February 1, 2021 Aloha Nursing Rehab Centre in collaboration with CVS conducted our 2<sup>nd</sup> COVID-19 Vaccination clinic. We successfully vaccinated 105 residents and 110 staff with the Moderna vaccine. All residents and staff that had received their 1<sup>st</sup> dose on January 4, 2021 received their 2<sup>nd</sup> dose on February 1, 2021. Residents and staff did experience some of the “common” side effects with the 2<sup>nd</sup> dose. The common side effects felt were soreness at injection site, fatigue, low grade fever, chills, muscle aches and pain, headache and nausea. Rest assured residents were monitored closely and have since recovered well with no further issues.

**Residents and staff that received their 1<sup>st</sup> dose of the vaccination on February 1, 2021 will be schedule to receive their 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of the vaccination on March 1, 2021.**

Residents who discharge from ANRC before the next vaccination clinic on March 1, 2021 will be invited back to Aloha Nursing Rehab Centre to receive their 2<sup>nd</sup> dose of the vaccine.

We have had many great questions in regards to reopening for visitors. At this time, we continue to observe Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS) and Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidance and guidelines regarding visitation restrictions. We do know that CMS and CDC have begun discussions about reopening long term care facilities however they must do this in a manner that will ensure safety to all residents and staff. For example, they are keeping very close eye on our nations vaccination rates, new COVID-19 cases, state and county positivity rates and lastly the effectiveness of the vaccinations on the different COVID variants (United Kingdom variant, South African variant, and Brazil variant).

For the time being ANRC will continue to adhere to our established visitation restrictions as well as continuing our infection control precautions.

We will continue to keep you informed of any further developments. If you have questions or concerns, please call 247-2220 ext. 542 for Darrin or ext. 536 for Vanessa. Please leave a message and we will respond as soon as possible.

Thank you,  
Darrin Schadel, Administrator