



**Covid-19
Resident Update – September 1, 2021**

How quickly things change in this ever evolving journey with Covid-19. My last update on July 19th informed you that staff were no longer required to wear masks. However, a little over a month since then all staff are once again required to wear masks. The growing numbers of transmission and infection, with the less than manageable Delta variant, has resulted in this cautionary approach of a return to masks for all staff.

While residents are not, so far, required to return to masks I would ask that you do your best with hand hygiene, social distancing, and of course, masks, when you are outside of The Cedars. We all share responsibility to keep each other safe.

You will see a new person at the Greeter station on weekends and statutory holidays, her name is Gazelle. Mike C, who has covered that position until now has secured a full-time position in his chosen profession. We wish Mike all the very best with appreciation for his many months as a Greeter here at The Cedars.

At this time, all the recent preventive measure orders apply only to staff and anyone working in The Cedars such as, personal service worker, entertainer, therapist etc.

Visitors to The Cedars coming to see residents must still provide proof of vaccination, and wear a mask when in any common area. Unvaccinated visitors are to keep their mask in place even when visiting with a resident in their suite.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Karen Hope,
Executive Director