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10 March 2022

Dear Staff member

Our number one priority is the safety and well-being of our residents and staff.

The WA Government has made further announcements regarding close contacts of critical workers and have confirmed that we are now in a "very high case load" environment. From 10 March if you are a close contact you may be asked to return to work during your isolation period. If you are asked to return to work you will need to:

- record a daily negative Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) prior to attending or on arrival at the workplace;
- wear a surgical mask while travelling to and from work,
- wear a surgical mask while in the Home (or other PPE as directed)
- travel alone, if possible;
- when not at work, you must self-isolate;
- if symptoms ever develop, you must follow symptomatic close contact protocols; and
- if a RAT is positive, you must follow confirmed positive case protocols.

All staff at Hall & Prior (this includes all Homes, Fresh Fields, White Oak and Mayfair Street) are classified as critical workers.

From 11 March we will be introducing mandatory daily Rapid Antigen Testing for all staff and contractors entering our Homes.

We will be encouraging all visitors to have a Rapid Antigen Test prior to entering the Home.

Thank you for the great work you are doing, we are grateful for your support.

We are all in this together against COVID-19.

Yours truly

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Chief Executive Officer