



28 April 2022

Dear Resident family members

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

As you will be aware COVID is continuing to impact our community. Our Homes are prepared and our staff are confident with our Outbreak Management Plan.

We would like to thank you for your ongoing support for our staff who are doing an outstanding job of caring for our residents during these difficult times.

It has been announced the current mask mandate in many settings in Western Australia will be lifted on Friday. We would like to remind you that mask wearing is still a requirement when entering a residential aged care home. All our staff will continue to wear surgical masks or N95 masks as directed. Visitor restrictions as per WA Health Directions are also still in place.

We also wish to you remind you that should you be a close contact you may be able to be out in the community but you will **not** be able to enter a residential aged care home.

Over the last two years the WA Government has mandated influenza vaccinations for staff and visitors entering residential aged care homes. Hall & Prior is very proud of our history in providing all staff with access to an annual influenza vaccination. In 2022, it will once again be a mandatory requirement for all staff, visitors and contractors entering our Home to provide evidence of a 2022 influenza vaccination. 2022 Influenza vaccinations are now available and we encourage you to ensure you have an up-to-date vaccination to avoid disappointment in visiting your loved ones.

Proof of your COVID-19 vaccination is also still a requirement to enter a residential aged care home.

Should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact the RN on duty or speak to the Director of Nursing.

We are all in this together against COVID-19.

Yours truly

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Graeme R." with a stylized flourish at the end.

GRAEME PRIOR
Chief Executive Officer