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Menno Haven has employed a COVID-19 testing strategy of testing new admissions as well as symptomatic residents and team members. This is in addition to our stringent screening protocols.

As information and scientific research has become more readily available over time, and as testing capacity has increased, the CDC and Pennsylvania Dept. of Health has provided new recommendations to nursing homes to begin "universal testing".

The goal of universal testing is to detect asymptomatic positive residents in order to manage their care appropriately and to identify asymptomatic positive staff so they may be excluded appropriately to prevent transmission.

While Menno Haven's Skilled Nursing Facilities remained known COVID-free prior to this testing, we gladly welcomed the ability to perform testing on a large scale. We began testing 20% of team members and residents weekly.

As a result of this round of testing, we learned the following results:

- The Menno Haven Rehabilitation Center test results for both guests and team members were all negative.
- The Brookview Health Care Center test results for both residents and team members were all negative.
- The Chambers Pointe Health Care Center residents' test results were all negative, however, 4 team members tested positive. **None of these individuals are showing any symptoms.**

Menno Haven has been preparing for this possibility since early in the COVID-19 outbreak; we immediately put our COVID protocols in place in response to these findings:

- The **team members** with the positive diagnosis are on leave until cleared to return to work.
- The Chambers Pointe Health Care Center has initiated transmission-based precautions.
- We have shared our results with the Dept. of Health and are in regular contact with an epidemiologist and are adhering to their guidance.
- Notifications have been made to all team members and families of the Health Care Center residents.
- We have initiated 100% testing of team members and residents at the Chambers Pointe Health Care Center based upon the positive results.
- We will continue the systematic 20% testing of team members and residents in the Brookview Health Care Center and Menno Haven Rehabilitation Center each week as per the Dept. of Health testing protocol.

As you know, Menno Haven has implemented many measures during this global pandemic to minimize the risk to our residents. We will continue to be diligent to protect the health and wellbeing of our residents and team members.