



June 17, 2022

Dear Residents, Families, and Friends:

Visitation remains open at all of our facilities, and the rates of COVID in the community continue at a high level requiring all visitors to wear masks while visiting in the facility.

Following are the current visitation guidelines:

- Visitors need to complete the screening log to ensure you are not having COVID symptoms.
- Visitation is open, and in-person visits no longer require an appointment. Visits by Zoom can be scheduled on our website [www.vahs.com](http://www.vahs.com).
- You are able to visit regardless of the COVID status of the Resident.
- Mask wearing, and in some cases visitor testing, are based on community rates of COVID being substantial or high.
- Wearing a mask is required in the following situations:
  - Regardless of vaccination status, if there are active cases of COVID in the facility
  - If you are not fully vaccinated
  - When vaccine status is not disclosed, disclosure is your choice and not required
  - Regardless of vaccination status, wearing a mask and physical distancing in hallways, around other Residents, and in conversations with staff.

The table below summarizes the current community rate of COVID infections, and the masking requirements.

Facility	Phone Number	Masking & Community Rates			Cumulative COVID+ Cases & Recoveries			
		Masking Required	Community Rate	Outbreak Status	COVID+ Residents	COVID+ Resident Recoveries	COVID + Staff	COVID+ Staff Recoveries
Coliseum	757-827-8953	Yes	High	Yes	142	121	86	86
James River	757-595-2273	Yes	High	Yes	97	71	94	94
Lancashire	804-435-1684	Yes	High	Yes	91	55	45	45
Newport & Huntington	757-595-3733	Yes	High	No	41	31	40	40
Northampton	757-826-4922	Yes	High	No	74	61	40	40
Walter Reed	804-693-6503	Yes	High	Yes	94	78	70	70
York & Hamilton	757-898-1491	Yes	High	Yes	78	65	45	44

We strongly encourage everyone over the age of 50 to receive the booster, and if you have already received the first booster you are eligible for the second booster. Hopefully you have been able to enjoy some of the nice weather, and will someday enjoy days without discussing COVID!

Sincerely,

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President & CEO