

**WEEKLY UPDATE**  
**October 9, 2020**

Dear Residents and Families/Representatives,

Please accept this letter as our weekly update regarding the status of COVID-19 in our facility. Since the onset of this virus, we have had seventy residents and twenty – two staff members test positive for COVID-19. We are happy to report that, as of today, we have no new confirmed cases of COVID-19 in our facility.

We recently received new federal guidance regarding gradually re-opening skilled nursing facilities to on site visitation. A summary for how this visitation program will work at Lakeside was mailed to each family or representative. If you have any questions about visitation please reach out to myself or our Social Workers to assist in resolving your concerns. Due to the current Washoe County positivity rate, we cannot start our program until the county is below 10 % positivity. Window visits and face time sessions are available in the interim period. You can schedule a session by calling and speaking with our Receptionist.

Please continue to check our website for weekly updates as well as notification of new cases. As always, we will notify you if we receive confirmation of a new positive case in our facility and we will reach out to you individually if your loved one is displaying symptoms of COVID-19 or tests positive for COVID-19.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact us directly at 775-829-7220.

Sincerely,

*Ellen Kelly*

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Administrator