

BERKS HEIM COVID STATUS UPDATE

October 26, 2020

Berks Heim has 78 residents currently who had tested positive for COVID. 77 of the 78 residents are recovered. There is currently one resident with a positive test results in house.

We will continue to test all residents for a minimum of two weeks in response to staff and resident positive results.

The 21st round of testing occurred on October 21st, 2020. Three (3) Berks Heim staff tested positive for COVID-19 from testing during the 21st round of testing. Fifty-eight (58) total Berks Heim staff have tested positive for COVID-19 since the beginning of the pandemic.

The 22nd round of staff testing is scheduled for Wednesday October 28th.

As of October 23, 2020, visitation is currently on hold to protect the health and safety of the Berks Heim Residents due to recent COVID-19 positive cases. Visitation may resume when all residents and staff test negative to COVID testing for a minimum of two weeks.

Compassionate/end of life visitation will continue through requests reviewed by the Director of Nursing.