

BERKS HEIM COVID STATUS UPDATE

October 30, 2020

Berks Heim has 79 residents currently who had tested positive for COVID, 77 of the 79 residents are recovered. There are currently two residents with a positive test result inhouse (one from last week and one from this week).

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

One (1) Berks Heim staff member has tested positive for COVID-19 testing on October 28th, 2020, as of this notice for the 22nd round of testing. Three (3) staff had tested positive last week. Fifty-nine (59) staff have tested positive since the beginning of the pandemic.

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

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