

BERKS HEIM COVID STATUS UPDATE

December 2, 2020

Berks Heim has 99 residents currently who had tested positive for COVID, 87 of 99 residents are recovered.

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

Eight (8) Berks Heim staff members have tested positive for COVID-19 from testing on November 25th, 2020, the 26th round of testing. Two additional staff have reported positive test results since the Wednesday testing. Eighty-eight (88) staff have tested positive since the beginning of the pandemic. The 27th round of staff testing occurred on Wednesday December 2, 2020.

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.