

BERKS HEIM COVID STATUS UPDATE: March 29, 2021

Berks Heim currently has two residents who have tested positive for COVID-19 on March 24, 2021. All other residents that previously tested positive for COVID-19 are now recovered.

One hundred seventy-seven (178) staff have tested positive since the beginning of the pandemic. Two (2) staff members tested positive on Wednesday 3/24/2021.

We are completing testing of staff once a week due to the Berks County positivity rate for COVID-19 cases being below 10%.

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

As of Monday March 15, 2021, 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.