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Dear Hall & Prior resident family members

HALL & PRIOR WINTER FLU SEASON UPDATE

Our number one priority is the safety and well-being of our residents and staff.

With the Winter flu season on us we continue to remain vigilant to protect the vulnerable people we care for.

Our COVID-19 Taskforce continue to meet fortnightly and assess our current arrangements for entry to our homes. All our aged care homes' staff are required to conduct a Rapid Antigen Test before each shift and are also required to wear a mask while in the home. The Taskforce monitors this regularly.

All Hall & Prior staff are required to have a current Influenza vaccination, we also encourage them to keep up-to-date with their COVID-19 vaccinations. All visitors are also encouraged to keep up-to-date with their vaccinations. While it is optional for visitors to conduct a Rapid Antigen Tests you are required to wear a mask while on the premises and to ensure you sign in on arrival.

It is pleasing to see the cases of COVID-19 in our homes decreasing and I thank you for your patience and support with our infection prevention controls we have kept in place to ensure everyone is safe.

If you have any questions regarding your loved one please do not hesitate to contact the Director of Nursing or RN on duty.

Yours truly

Graeme R:

GRAEME PRIOR Chief Executive Officer