

## COVID-19 Update 3 – 18 - 20

Bethel Nursing and Rehabilitation Center has received confirmation that one of our residents, while receiving on-going medical care at an area hospital, has tested positive for COVID-19 (coronavirus).

We take the health and well-being of our residents and staff very seriously. We have been proactive with taking the necessary precautions prescribed by New York State Department of Health and Centers for Disease Control during this emerging pandemic.

Last week we closed the facility to all visitors and reduced transportation to only necessary outside appointments. The infection control practices of thorough hand washing and environmental controls of deep cleaning and sanitizing of surfaces have been on-going all through the influenza season and continue today.

All residents, employees and necessary personnel are screened daily for signs and symptoms of coronavirus.

The health and safety of our residents and employees remains our top priority.