



December 22, 2020

Dear Residents/Responsible Parties,

We have wonderful news! We have a scheduled date for the Covid-19 Vaccine distribution. Clarewood House is partnering with Walgreens pharmacy to provide the Covid-19 vaccine to all residents, staff, essential care givers and healthcare workers for our residents. **Vaccinations will be given on Wednesday, Dec. 30th** for the 1st of 2 required doses. The 2nd dose is scheduled for Wednesday January 20th, 2020. If you are not available on December 30th don't worry, you can get your first shot on January 20th and 2nd shot on February 13th.

There are two forms to be completed and an information fact sheet about the Pfizer Covid-19 Vaccine. (see attached). There is an X placed on where you need to sign or complete.

The vaccine is free, but the pharmacies will bill Medicare Part B or your advantage plan for the shot administration. If you do not have coverage, don't worry, you will still get the vaccine through a government program for uninsured. The forms need to be completed immediately, signed by resident or responsible party, and returned to us by December 28th. We have put them under your doors along with this letter. Forms are also available at the front desk. **The deadline to turn in consent forms to the Front Desk is Monday, December 28th.** Shelby, Leasing Manager or Rachel, Activity Director are available if you need help.

- Rachel: Ext. 203, Rachel@clarewoodhouse.com
- Shelby: Ext. 307 Shelby@clarewoodhouse.com

Everyone is highly encouraged to be vaccinated, as elderly adults are at the most risk. According to the FDA, the most common side effects among participants in both the Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna phase 3 clinical trials were:

- Injection site pain
- Fatigue
- Headache
- Muscle pain
- Chills
- Joint pain
- Fever

However, these reactions are “temporary,” and they usually “self-resolve” within a few days.

Please note: If your insurance changes in January 2021, we will need to get your new card information. Please send or drop off your card at the front desk, so we can make a copy.

For all residents who have outside caregivers, home health, sitters: The caregivers/home health workers need to register at the front desk, and be educated about Covid-19 testing requirements, prior to them being permitted to enter the building.

For up to date information, visit our website www.clarewoodhouse.com and click on the coronavirus link. You can call our dedicated phone line at 713-778-8287 or e-mail us at covid-19@clarewoodhouse.com.

Sincerely,

Patrick Pheifer M.S, LNFA

Executive Director