

COVID-19

CORONAVIRUS DISEASE

Franciscan Ministries Takes Precautionary Measures in Response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19)

The health of our employees, residents and their families is our number one priority at Franciscan Ministries. As the coronavirus (COVID-19) becomes more widespread, we acknowledge the importance in addressing concerns and questions as well as communicate actions that our organization is actively taking. For current information visit franciscanministries.org/coronavirus-response or universityplace.org/coronavirus-response



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PROCEDURES IN PLACE AT UNIVERSITY PLACE - POSITIVE COVID-19 RESULTS

The following procedures have been put into place at University Place because of the Coronavirus pandemic. These procedures are fluid and could change as situations change.

HEALTH CENTER PROTOCOL:

For a positive COVID-19 result

- If there is a COVID-19 positive test for a resident in the Health Center, Room 1113 would be the first room used. Rooms 1115, 1116 and 1114 would be the next rooms used in that order.
- A vapor barrier would be established outside the room in the hallway to assist in preventing any further contamination. The barrier would be reestablished if more than one resident tested positive.
- All required PPE's would be placed outside the vapor barrier for use by staff.
- Each shift, a designated staff person would be assigned to the resident who tested positive.
- University Place would immediately contact the Medical Director, the ISDH, the Tippecanoe County Health Department, and the Franciscan Ministry Home Office. A call to the ISDH COVID Strike Team would also be made.
- Protocols established by the ISDH, CMS and Franciscan Ministries would then be put into place.
- Other residents on the unit would be tested for the Coronavirus.

ASSISTED LIVING AND MEMORY SUPPORT PROTOCOL:

For a positive COVID-19 result

- If there is a COVID-19 positive test for an AL or Memory Support resident, the resident would be quarantined to his/her apartment.
- All required PPE's would be placed outside the apartment for use by staff.
- Each shift, a designated staff person would be assigned to the resident who tested positive.
- University Place would immediately contact the Medical Director, the ISDH, the Tippecanoe County Health Department, and the Franciscan Ministry Home Office. A call to the ISDH COVID Strike Team would also be made.
- Protocols established by the ISDH, CMS and Franciscan Ministries would then be put into place.
- Other residents on the unit would be tested for the Coronavirus.

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INDEPENDENT LIVING PROTOCOL:

For a positive COVID-19 result

- If there is a COVID-19 positive test for an Independent Living resident, the resident would be quarantined to his/her apartment.
- All required PPE's would be placed outside the apartment for use by staff.
- Each shift, a designated staff person would be assigned to the resident who tested positive.
- University Place would immediately contact the Medical Director, the ISDH, the Tippecanoe County Health Department, and the Franciscan Ministry Home Office. A call to the ISDH COVID Strike Team would also be made.
- Protocols established by the ISDH, CMS and Franciscan Ministries would then be put into place.
- Other residents on the unit would be tested for the Coronavirus.