

South Cove Manor at Quincy Point Rehabilitation Center

South Cove Manor Updates

Dear Family and Friends of South Cove Manor:

Recently the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), changed their definition of the term "Up to Date," as it relates to COVID-19 Vaccination status. The term "Up to Date," now is defined as "Someone who has received their primary course of vaccine, and all Booster Doses <u>for which they are eligible."</u>

The piece that I have highlighted is the important part of this change. Now that there is second booster dose available and approved for all people over the age of 50, all of our residents are now "eligible" to receive that second booster dose. While the majority of our residents have received that second booster dose already, those that have not are now NOT considered to up "up to date."

Not being up to date, will now have implications for visitation. The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH), has modified their regulations around residents that are not up to date. The changes that will impact those residents that are not up to date are:

- If a resident that is Not up to date is identified as having close contact with a confirmed positive case, they will now be required to quarantine for 5 days. If they remain asymptomatic and have a negative test on day 5 or later, they may be released from the quarantine. Residents that are released from quarantine should wear a mask when around others through day 10.
- Those residents not up to date and identified as a close contact with a confirmed positive case will also be subject to be tested on day 2, and day 5

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following the exposure, as well as other testing if symptoms develop.

It is our goal to provide the second booster dose to every resident that wishes to receive it. Because of that, and because of the regulation changes identified above, our staff will be contact family members over the next several days to ask for your consent to administer the second booster dose. We have two booster clinics scheduled over the next two weeks. One clinic will be for those that wish to receive the Moderna Booster, and the other for those that wish to wish to receive the Pfizer Booster.

June 21, 2022: 1pm to 4pm – Moderna Booster provided June 28, 2022: 1pm to 4pm – Pfizer Booster provided

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me, or Li Chen, our Administrator.

Thank you again for placing your trust in South Cove Manor.

Sincerely, William J. Graves President & CEO

中華頤養院更新

亲爱的中華頤養院的家人和朋友:

最近,疾病控制中心 (CDC) 更改了他們對"已接受最新疫苗(Up To Date)"一詞的定義,因為它與 COVID-19 疫苗接種狀態有關。 "已接受最新疫苗"一詞現在被定義為"已接受其主要疫苗系列,以及他們**有資格接種的所有加強針。"** 我高光的部分是這一變化的重要部分。現在,所有 50歲以上的人都有資格獲得第二劑加強劑,我們所有的居民現在都"有資格"接受第二劑加強劑。雖然我們的大多數居民已經接受了第二次加強劑量,但那些沒有接受的人現在不被認為是"已接受最新疫苗"。

如果一個人還未接受最新疫苗,現在將對訪問產生影響。馬薩諸塞州公 共衛生部 (DPH) 已經修改了針對未接受最新疫苗居民的規定。將影響那 些未接受最新疫苗的居民的變化是:

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- 如果未接受最新疫苗的居民被確定與確診的陽性病例有密切接觸, 他們現在將被要求隔離 5 天。如果他們仍然無症狀,並且在第 5 天 或更晚的測試結果為陰性,他們可以解除隔離。從隔離區釋放的居 民在到第 10 天之前,與其他人在一起時需要戴上口罩。
- 那些未接受最新疫苗,並被確定為與確診陽性病例密切接觸的居民 也將在接觸後的第 2 天和第 5 天接受檢測。如果出現症狀,還將接 受其他檢測。

我們的目標是為每位希望接種的居民提供第二劑加強針。正因為如此,並且由於上述規定的變化,我們的工作人員將在接下來的幾天內聯繫家庭成員,徵求您同意為院民打第二次加強劑量。在接下來的兩週內,我們安排了兩個疫苗診所。一個診所是為那些希望接受 Moderna加強針的人準備的,另一個是為那些希望接受 Pfizer 加強針的人提供的。

2022 年 6 月 21 日: 下午 1 點至下午 4 點 - 提供 Moderna 加強針

2022 年 6 月 28 日: 下午 1 點至下午 4 點 - 提供Pfizer加強針

如果您有任何問題或疑慮,請隨時與我或我們的管理員陳力聯繫。

再次感謝您對中華頤養園的信任。

真摯地, 威廉·J·格雷夫斯 總裁兼首席執行官

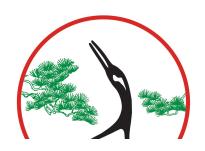
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