



## Coronavirus Response: **INDEPENDENT LIVING RESIDENT FATALITY**

Dear Carolina Village Residents and Staff,

It is with a heavy heart and deep sadness that I report that Carolina Village has lost a resident to COVID-19.

This resident, whose name shall not be released in order to protect the family's privacy, resided in our Independent Living area. This person tested positive for COVID-19 yesterday afternoon after displaying symptoms and passed away early this morning.

Our hearts go out to the family and friends during this difficult time.

The person's spouse is in quarantine at home. We will continue to closely monitor this person's health for at least 14 days.

Our team is working closely with health officials. This terrible development has strengthened our resolve in re-implementing the more restrictive policies and protocols, the full details of which you are also receiving this afternoon. Please read that information thoroughly and help us enact the measures smoothly. We will continue to keep you abreast of any further updates or changes. Should you receive questions from the media, please direct them to me.

Please understand that while we usually honor residents who have passed with a single red rose in a communal area, we will instead honor this resident in our own, personal ways. Their name is not ours to share, but what we can share is that we are devastated by this loss.

Thank you for your continued support. Please hold our residents, staff, board members, and family members close in your thoughts as we move forward through a difficult time.

Kevin Parries  
Executive Director