



September 24, 2021

Dear Residents and Employees,

We are pleased that the CDC and FDA have officially authorized the Pfizer third dose (booster shot) for individuals over age 65 and for workers in the healthcare field.

Through our collaborative partnership with Eric's Pharmacy, vaccination clinics for the residents who received the Pfizer vaccine earlier this year will be held in the Waverly Heights Auditorium as follows:

- Monday, September 27<sup>th</sup>: Residents who reside in the Health Care Center will receive vaccination in the Health Care Center.
- Tuesday, September 28<sup>th</sup>: Residents who reside in Independent Living should visit the Auditorium between 10:00 AM and 11:30 AM.
- Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>: Employees are required to sign-up for the dose by contacting Laura Santangelo at extension 8742. Once registered, employees should visit the Auditorium between 10:00 AM and 11:30 AM.

At this time only the Pfizer vaccine has been authorized for the additional dose. It is expected that Moderna and Johnson & Johnson's vaccine boosters will be authorized in the coming months. As a reminder, you are required to receive the same brand vaccine as your original dose(s) since the vaccine brands cannot be mixed.

The Montgomery County Positivity rate was updated as of Friday, September 17<sup>th</sup> at 5.62%. Please continue to be vigilant at properly wearing a mask, maintaining social distance and frequently wash hands. Again, we strongly recommend that you only visit with fully vaccinated individuals until the positivity rate in the outside community begins to decline.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Thomas P. Garvin".

Thomas P. Garvin  
President & CEO