AgeCare Weekly Update

Friday, November 12, 2021

Dear Residents and Families,

We remain committed to providing updates to our residents, families, and staff at AgeCare. As such, we are providing weekly updates to keep you all informed on what is happening at our communities and organization-wide.

- 1. Remembrance Day (Weekly Shout Out) Many thanks to the teams who helped us commemorate Remembrance Day this year.
- 2. <u>Visits, Outings & Overnight Stay Guidelines</u> Everything you need to know for a safe visit.
- 3. <u>3rd Dose for AgeCare Staff</u> Third doses of the COVID-19 vaccine are now being offered to front-line health care workers.
- 4. Recreation Calendars Staying active, intellectually stimulated, and socially connected.
- 5. We're Hiring Did you know AgeCare is hiring? Great opportunities for caring people.

We hope these weekly updates are helpful. Thank you all for your continued support.

Remembrance Day 2021 ~ Weekly Shout Out



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While the ceremonies may have looked slightly different this year, each AgeCare community observed Remembrance Day, allowing us time to pause, give thanks, and remember the men and women who served and sacrificed for our country.

Below are some shout-outs from residents/family members who attended in-person or virtually.

We attended the service at Skypointe. Thank you to the Recreation department for coordinating, and all the other departments that participated. It was much appreciated. - Jerry M.

Kudos to Mehri and all who gave us a most meaningful and delightful remembrance day get together. A most appropriate blend of solemn remembrance and musical memories. Thank you!! - Claire B.

Safe Visits, Outings and Overnight Stays Visitation Guidelines

Visitation guidelines with continuous masking are in effect.

At this time, we ask that visitors have either a photo of their vaccination status (on their phone) or a paper copy. Please do not rely only on the recently released QR codes for verification. Unfortunately, not all of our communities have the technology needed to scan these.

Communities on outbreak may have different visitation restrictions in effect. Contact your community or <u>sign up for email updates</u> to stay informed on the latest information.



Please familiarize yourself with these guidelines should you choose to visit.

Download the Visitor Guide (PDF) -->

Outings and Overnight Stay Guidelines

Residents are welcome to go on community walks, outings, and overnight stays as long as they follow all of the <u>current provincial</u> <u>guidelines</u>.

As cases continue to be high throughout the province, we must remain diligent and take steps to keep ourselves and our loved ones safe. Guidelines are in effect to ensure <u>outings and overnight stays</u> are as safe as possible.



The safety of our residents and staff remains our top priority.

Please download our Outings & Overnight Stays Guidelines (PDF) -->

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Third Doses of the COVID-19 Vaccine for Staff

Third doses of the COVID-19 vaccine are now being offered to health care workers. **AgeCare is** encouraging all eligible staff to book their 3rd dose to help protect themselves, their family, community, and residents.

Read more at 3rd Dose for Health Care Workers and at Alberta.ca

Recreation Calendars

Our recreation team is working hard to create engaging activities that enrich the mind, body and spirit. We are continuously looking for ways to reduce the risk of transmission while having the least impact on resident well-being.

View the Recreation Calendars for your AgeCare Community:

AgeCare Columbia	AgeCare Seton
AgeCare Glenmore	AgeCare Skypointe
AgeCare Midnapore	AgeCare Sunrise Gardens
AgeCare Orchard Manor	AgeCare Valleyview
AgeCare Sagewood	AgeCare Walden Heights

Please note that communities on outbreak may have different recreation restrictions in effect. Contact your community or <u>sign up for email updates</u> to stay informed on the latest information.

We're Hiring

Did you know AgeCare is hiring? Great opportunities for caring people. From health care aides to food services to recreation to administration and more, we are looking for dedicated and caring individuals.

If you or someone you know is looking for an exciting new opportunity, check out our careers page at www.agecare.ca/careers

