

# COVID-19 UPDATE

August 20, 2021

Dear Residents and Family Members,

We received notice today, August 20, 2021, that **an employee of Mather Place in Wilmette has a confirmed positive case of COVID-19**. We wish them a full recovery.

Mather Place is interviewing this individual to determine if he/she was in close contact with residents and/or employees (meaning within 6 feet of anyone for more than 15 minutes). Individuals who have been in close contact will be notified.

## **IF YOU HAVE COVID-19, OR THINK YOU HAVE IT**

If you are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, please contact your physician, quarantine in your home, and inform the Concierge at (847) 256.9300.

## **REDUCE YOUR RISKS**

Regardless of your vaccination status, you can lessen your risk of contracting COVID-19 by following these steps:

- **Wear a face mask** that covers your mouth and nose when you are outside your home.
- Live a **low-risk lifestyle**, including avoiding large gatherings.
- Practice **physical distancing** with others (no closer than 6 feet away for no more than 15 minutes).
- Practice **good hand hygiene** by washing hands frequently for 20 or more seconds.
- Plan to get **your COVID-19 vaccine booster** when it becomes available to you.

Take care and stay well.

Sincerely,

Katrina O'Neill  
Executive Director

*PS: Please note that this letter is being shared with all residents' current emergency contacts.*

