

# COVID-19 UPDATE

July 15, 2022

Dear Employees of Mather Place,

We wanted to inform you that we have learned that **an employee has tested positive for COVID-19**. We wish this individual a speedy recovery.

Mather Place is interviewing the individual to determine if they were 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.

## **FACE MASKS ARE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED:**

The current variant of COVID-19 is BA-5, which is highly transmissible. Vaccines are not effective at blocking this variant, making even those who are fully vaccinated vulnerable to infection and re-infection.

A good-quality face mask is the most effective way to avoid infection.

- **Reminder: everyone is required to wear a mask in all hallways, elevators, and amenity areas of Mather Place.**
- **We also strongly recommend that you wear a mask everywhere you are indoors around others.**

## **REMINDER: EMPLOYEES AGE 50 AND BETTER MUST GET 2<sup>ND</sup> BOOSTER:**

**This is a reminder for all team members age 50 and better: You must share proof of receiving your second COVID-19 booster with HR by August 1.** This is mandatory, per Mather's COVID-19 vaccination policy. If you have any questions or concerns, please speak to your HR representative.

Please take care and stay well.

Sincerely,

Katrina O'Neill  
Executive Director