

COVID-19 Report 7/8/22

For our Residents and Families

We remain in the midst of COVID-19. Although deaths and outbreaks are decreasing, case rates and average daily cases are increasing. For more information on this change, click here or check with www.countynewscenter.com.

At St. Paul's, we are seeing about two new cases per week on average. While the severity of these cases appears to be mild to moderate, the variants remain highly contagious. Also, typical symptoms seem to be shifting somewhat. As a result, our clinical leadership is revising our policies and screening tools to account for the changes we are seeing and to assist with identifying staff whose symptoms indicate a need to test for COVID-19.

WEAR YOUR MASK!

Evidence shows that wearing a mask properly is one of the most effective ways to arrest the spread of the virus. Please continue to wear your masks in public spaces and thank-you for all you do to help us limit exposure.

SURVEILLANCE TESTING

We will be testing 100% of staff each week at least through the end of July and may extend it further depending upon the spread of the virus.

Many of you have ordered your free tests through the government; if not, please visit https://www.covid.gov/tests

WEEKLY UPDATE

Our updates will occur only as announcements are necessary.

ANTI-VIRAL MEDICATION

Should you or a loved one require antiviral medication to limit the impact of COVID-19, the link below provides locations where you can receive it should you become ill.

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/phs/community_epidemiology/dc/2019-nCoV/Treatment.html

Contact Us If you have questions about the current pandemic, e-mail **Behealthy@stpaulseniors.org** to ask questions of our community leaders.