



## **Reopening Implementation Plan for Diakon Senior Living Hagerstown**

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### **Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown / The Ravenwood & Robinwood Campuses**

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#### Part I – Development of a Reopening Implementation Plan

This plan has been developed in collaboration with Diakon’s Corporate Medical Director, Performance Improvement Team (Vice President of Human Resources & Performance Improvement, Clinical Educators and Director of Quality), Executive Director, Director of Nursing and various administrative staff. It is posted on our website.

- Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown has fully complied with the relevant orders that required baseline COVID-19 testing for all skilled nursing residents and staff.
- Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown has fully complied with CMS guidelines for testing of staff.
- Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown is contracted and utilizing the required laboratories that allow for us to administer COVID-19 diagnostic tests to all residents who show symptoms of the virus within 24 hours of the onset and observation of symptoms.
- Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown has the capacity to arrange for testing of residents and staff members if any area of the senior living community has a COVID-19 outbreak.
- Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown has the capacity to arrange for testing of staff, including asymptomatic staff, through our arrangement with contracted laboratories. This capacity includes “non-essential” staff and volunteers.
- Our policy and procedure for addressing residents and staff that decline or are unable to be tested is attached to this plan as **Attachment A**.

- Diakon’s policy/plan to cohort and/or isolate residents diagnosed with COVID-19 is attached to this plan as **Attachment B**.
- Diakon’s written screening policy for all staff during each shift, each resident on a daily basis and all persons (visitors, volunteers, non-essential personnel, and essential personnel) entering our facilities and grounds is attached to this plan as **Attachment C**.
- Diakon’s plan to ensure an adequate cache of personal protective equipment is attached to this plan as **Attachment D**.
- Diakon’s plan to ensure current and future adequate staffing levels is attached to this plan as **Attachment E**. Diakon Senior Living – Hagerstown is not currently experiencing staffing shortages, and none are under a contingency staffing plan.
- Diakon’s plan to allow for communal dining and activities to resume is attached to this plan as **Attachment F**.
- Diakon’s plan to allow for visitation is attached to this plan as **Attachment G**.

Diakon’s plan to halt reopening if the campus’ county reverts to “Phase 1” as defined by the Maryland Department of Health Guidance for Relaxation of Restrictions Implemented During the COVID-19 Pandemic – Nursing Homes:

If the community within the campus has an outbreak and reverts to “phase 1” status, the campus will halt all reopening activity as defined by the guidance, resume virtual visitation and cease communal dining and activities until the relevant restrictions are lifted.