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Results Are In: No Positive Cases After 4th Round of Testing at Claremont Nursing and Rehabilitation Center

Carlisle, PA – Claremont Nursing and Rehabilitation Center (CNRC) today announced that results are negative for all who were tested for COVID-19, on Friday, July 31 and Monday, Aug. 3. There were no positive cases among the 211 residents and 287 employees, however 12 residents refused testing, and they are being monitored for any signs of the virus.

To date, the total number COVID -19 cases remains at thirteen since the pandemic began. This includes eleven staffers and two residents.

Officials at CNRC are following PA Department of Health Guidelines for visitation. The reopening of visitation will begin in steps. No positives within 14 days of July 31 (the first day of the last testing), will include outside visitations, with patients and family members wearing masks and abiding by social distancing, activities can begin with ten residents participating at one activity, wearing masks and social distancing. However, if someone tests positive during the next week, the calendar resets with additional testing and another waiting period of 14 days.

Claremont has been working with officials from the Department of Health's Bureau of Laboratories, who have been supplying testing results. The National Guard, and the South Central Task Force Medical Reserve Corp and Claremont medical staff have been administering the testing.

Claremont continues to follow CDC and Pennsylvania Department of Health's COVID-19 guidelines for its residents and employees.

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