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Dear Families and Friends

I'm pleased to report this week's results of our COVID-19 testing that occurred on 8/12/2020. For the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in a row the residents and staff of Sheyenne Care Center had a 100% negative result. This is great news because it tells me that staff and visitors are following safety precautions when it comes to working and visiting the residents of Sheyenne Care Center.

We are hoping that due to the 2 negative results we have had with testing that the ND Health Department will move us to an every other week test procedure and that it would be staff only. It also means that we can continue to allow family visitation to occur. I hope family members and visitors understand that this will continue as long as we can stay COVID free. Once a resident comes into contact with COVID and is infected, visitation would be discontinued. So all of you play a major part of making sure you practice safety and that the guidelines we have in place are followed.

Thank you for being safe as we continue to work through the pandemic together.

Craig Christianson, CEO