

# Wilson's Creek Nursing and Rehab

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Thank you for your inquiry. Wilson's Creek is closely monitoring updates related to COVID-19 and has implemented CDC and CMS recommended COVID-19 prevention strategies.

On May 22, 2020 we were notified of a presumptive positive case at our facility. We have been working closely with local health agencies including the Greene County Health Dept., DHSS, and the CDC on this evolving situation. Since that time we've had a total of 9 positive cases. The patients are currently in isolation and have been since their positive test result at the facility and staff members are quarantined at home following guidance from the CDC to reduce the risk of exposure to others. We are taking several additional steps to prevent the spread of the virus in our community including monitoring all residents and staff for fever and respiratory symptoms and have been doing so since March 5<sup>th</sup>. Additionally a second round of testing was conducted on 5/28/2020 with approximately 230 tests completed. All staff continue to adhere to facility infection control policies that have been developed, reviewed and expanded since March 5, 2020 in conjunction with our local health department, MO DHSS, and CDC guidelines to ensure the safety of everyone.

Wilson's Creek continues to work with Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS), Springfield – Greene County Health Dept. and the CDC to identify and contact residents and staff who may have come into contact with the individual while they were infectious.

No other information will be provided about residents or staff. We are strictly adhering to CDC guidelines and taking the necessary steps to ensure we are doing all we can to protect the health of our residents and employees. Wilson's Creek continues to communicate regularly with updates to families, residents, and staff as the situation evolves. Wilson's Creek would like to extend its thanks and appreciation to the residents and families understanding and support during this time and appreciate the collaboration and assistance of Springfield Greene County Health Department and MO DHSS Region 1 staff.

Thank You



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