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To: All family members of a current St. Martin's Resident and to our friends,

I am very happy to inform you that all testing this week produced only negative results. We are hoping that this is a sign we are heading in the right direction.

In addition to being vaccinated, employees are encouraged to receive booster doses unless they receive a medical or religious exemption. Throughout the pandemic, we have been committed to following science and taking a conservative approach to ensure the safety of our Residents and staff. As part of our commitment, we continue evaluating our experience and making educated decisions, which has ensured St. Martin's is as safe as possible.

According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), this is what we all need to know:

- New variants of SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19, are expected to occur.
- The CDC is working with state and local public health officials to monitor the spread of all variants.
- The Omicron variant continues to spread throughout communities and can infect people who have been vaccinated or have previously had COVID-19.
- Staying up to date with your COVID-19 vaccines reduces your risk of severe illness, hospitalization, and death from COVID-19.

As the days get shorter and summer quickly comes to an end, we wish you all peace, health and happiness.

Most sincerely,

Ryan Sachs, LNHA
Administrator