

March 9, 2021

Good afternoon all,

I wanted to thank you for all your patience and support during our vaccination clinics. Because of the great participation of the Campus with vaccinations, Arizona Department of Health has accepted my proposal to extend the designated Assisted Living Outdoor area to the entirety of the Campus. What this means for you is that starting tomorrow, March 10, 2021, you will be able to walk unaccompanied and visit with others on Campus as long as you remain outdoors. This will give you the opportunity to plan an outdoor date/meeting with other residents on Campus. Masks must still be worn at all times and please remember to wash/sanitize your hands and maintain proper social distancing. Though borders have been extended, Arizona Department of Health has **not** given the ok to be inside any of the buildings including the Bistro or the Welcome Center. The Salon is the only exception at this time if you have an appointment. I wanted to make sure there is a distinct separation between visitors and Campus residents. Off campus visitors must still abide by Visitation Policies set forth by Arizona Department of Health to be able to visit you, even if it is outdoor on Campus.

In addition, off Campus outings are still for essential visits only. For those who have received their 2nd vaccination, upon return from an essential off Campus outing, we will continue to monitor your temperature and check for symptoms and ask you to limit going out of your room for the next 14 days. If you develop symptoms, in those 14 days, you will forego a quarantine for precautions.

It has been a long and trying journey through this pandemic. We are still learning a lot about COVID-19, vaccine efficacy, COVID-19 variant strains, etc. and because of this, it is important that you remain diligent staying safe and keeping each other safe. The light at the end of the tunnel is getting bigger and brighter, stay the course!

Be safe and be healthy,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Zeus del Rosario".

Zeus del Rosario
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