

## **Buckner Retirement Services Weekly Update October 20, 2020**

Dear Buckner Residents and Families,

Many counties in Texas are seeing an increase in Covid-19 positive cases, and unfortunately, as we witnessed over the summer, our Buckner communities' positivity rate tends to mirror our counties' rates.

It is vital right now that we all be very open about any possible symptoms we are experiencing. If you're feeling tired or have a sore throat, please don't self-diagnose or dismiss it as allergies. Consult a nurse or doctor and isolate until you can be certain the cause, even if that means you must delay a visit with a loved one.

The CDC's list of Covid-19 symptoms can be found here:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>.

For all of us at Buckner, the term community is not just fancy senior living industry jargon. We believe in the sense of fellowship and family our communities inspire, which begins with our emphasis on the importance of relationships.

I believe the love of Jesus is the foundation our communities are built on, and it is our love for one another that creates the relationships we need to weather any storm... or in this case, a global pandemic.

Our sense of community gives us strength, which I address in my newest video update.

To watch and learn more about our way forward, please visit

<https://youtu.be/AMsdTOzQ54U>.

In a community, we all take care of each other. Being honest about possible symptoms and possible exposures is paramount in mitigating risks for all of us.

For a detailed timeline regarding COVID-19 cases specific to your community, visit [Tinyurl.com/BucknerPandemic](https://tinyurl.com/BucknerPandemic). The following is a summary for quick reference:

### **Community COVID-19 Active Case Summary (Residents & Associates)**

|                              | <b>Active PUIs</b> | <b>Active Positive Cases</b> |
|------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Baptist Retirement Community | 0                  | 18                           |
| Buckner Villas               | 0                  | 0                            |
| Calder Woods                 | 0                  | 3                            |
| Parkway Place                | 0                  | 1                            |
| Ventana                      | 3                  | 1                            |
| Westminster Place            | 0                  | 3                            |

Please continue to visit the BRS website ([www.BucknerRetirement.org](http://www.BucknerRetirement.org)) for our community case tracker and timelines, as well as our lists of [Frequently Asked Questions](#) (FAQ) –you may also call 855-754-3338 with questions at any time.

Thank you for allowing us to serve you, and God bless.

Sincerely,  
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