

## Monday 15 January 2024

Dear residents, relatives, and representatives,

This letter is to update you with the status at the House of Saint Hilarion – Seaton and Villa Saint Hilarion – Fulham.

This letter has several pieces of information,

- 1. Optometry Clinic Seaton & Fulham
- 2. COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic Seaton
- 3. Seaton Electrical Blackout
- 4. COVID-19 Status at Seaton
- 5. COVID-19 Status at Fulham

I wish to thank all of our residents, families, and representatives, for the adherence to our COVID-19 precautionary measures given the significant rise of COVID-19 cases in the wider community.

Please remain vigilant when you, or someone in your household has COVID-19, or you have spent a significant amount of time with a person outside your household who tests positive, you must not enter the facility for 7-days and until you no longer have symptoms. Whilst there is freedom in the community to move around, that is not the case within a residential aged care setting. It is vital that we all work together to keep our residents safe.

If you, or any one of your loved one's visitors has returned a positive COVID-19 test please let our staff at reception know. It is critical that we ensure your loved one is safe with additional observations for their wellbeing and the wellbeing of all at Saint Hilarion Aged Care.

## **Optometry Clinic – Seaton & Fulham**

A reminder that we have been advised that our visiting optometrist will be at Seaton on Wednesday 17 January 2024 and at Fulham on Wednesday 14 February 2024. If you would like your loved one to see the optometrist, please get in touch with Seaton or Fulham reception respectively.

## **COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic - Seaton**

Our originally scheduled November 2023 Seaton COVID-19 vaccination clinic, which was cancelled due to a COVID-19 outbreak will be held within the next month or so. Our clinical team will be speaking directly to each resident and their representative to determine if they wish to have a booster vaccination. The Fulham clinic was held as scheduled.

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#### **Seaton Electrical Blackout**

The Seaton facility experienced an electrical blackout, amongst areas of Seaton, West Lakes, and Findon, from 5.15am through to 10.15am today. All is well, but further blackouts may occur throughout the day as SA Power Networks investigate the electrical fault. Residents will enjoy a cold breakfast, lunch, and dinner selection. All modified diets have been arranged for.

## **COVID-19 Status at Seaton.**

There are no known active COVID-19 cases at the Seaton facility.

As a precautionary measure based on community outbreak, our Seaton staff and any other person entering the facility, **must wear a surgical mask**. This is done to offer an extra layer of protection in keeping our residents as safe as possible.

## **COVID-19 Status at Fulham.**

There are no known active COVID-19 cases at the Fulham facility.

As a precautionary measure based on community outbreak, our Fulham staff and any other person entering the facility, **must wear a surgical mask**. This is done to offer an extra layer of protection in keeping our residents as safe as possible.

## What does this mean for visitors at Seaton and Fulham?

All visitors must:

- sanitise their hands and do so regularly,
- complete a RAT, and
- · wear a mask.
- Sign in using Loop learn.
- Sanitise hands again before going beyond the reception area.
- There are no restrictions on visitor numbers at this time.

## **Our Commitment**

The entire team of Saint Hilarion is doing their absolute best to control the transmission of COVID-19. We thank you for cooperation to ensure the health and wellbeing of all residents, visitors, and staff.

# PLEASE BE KIND TO OUR STAFF. THEY ARE DOING THEIR BEST TO KEEP EVERYBODY SAFE.

We ask for your patience as you enter the facilities. It is for the health and wellbeing of all concerned including your own. Rest assured we will keep you updated as information comes to hand. If you have special needs and wish to discuss visiting further, you are encouraged to contact our clinical nurses for support and advice. As always, for any general enquiries we encourage you to contact us by phoning 08 8409 1500, emailing <a href="mailto:admin@sainthilarion.asn.au">admin@sainthilarion.asn.au</a> or visiting our website <a href="https://sainthilarion.asn.au/news/covid-19-updates/">https://sainthilarion.asn.au/news/covid-19-updates/</a> for latest updates.

Yours sincerely,

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