



The Society of Saint Hilarion

Thursday 28 March 2024

Dear residents, relatives, and representatives,

As Easter draws near, I want to extend my heartfelt wishes to all our cherished residents, clients, their families, and loved ones. May this special time of year bring you renewed strength, happiness, and a sense of community. As we celebrate the spirit of Easter, let us reflect on the blessings of companionship, resilience, and the joys of shared moments. Your presence enriches our aged care home, and I am grateful for the opportunity to serve you.

Wishing you a joyful Easter filled with peace, love, and happiness.

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. [COVID-19 Status at Seaton](#)
2. [COVID-19 Status at Fulham](#)
3. [Influenza Vaccinations](#)

I wish to thank all of our residents, families, and representatives, for the adherence to our COVID-19 precautionary measures given the ongoing high number 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.

COVID-19 Status at Seaton.

We have one active COVID-19 case at the Seaton facility. We are not in outbreak.

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.

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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.

Influenza, RSV, and Shingles Vaccinations

Please be advised that influenza, RSV, and Shingles vaccinations will be soon available for residents at both Fulham and Seaton. The clinical team will be in touch with you to discuss vaccination preferences.

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 admin@sainthilarion.asn.au or visiting our website <https://sainthilarion.asn.au/news/covid-19-updates/> for latest updates.

Yours sincerely,



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