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Dear St. John's Residents and Family Members,

As you may be aware, another health advisory providing guidance from the New York State Department of Health regarding expansion of nursing home visitation was released on Thursday evening, March 25. Upon initial review of these updated guidelines, which are expected to continue to be modified by New York State as practice and experience informs the re-opening process, we are encouraged by the positive momentum represented in the new directives.

In the coming days, we will be working to align policies and practices with the parameters outlined in the new advisory. Ensuring the safety and wellbeing of residents, staff members, and visitors is of utmost importance and we will continue phasing our reopening according to those principle objectives.

At this time, all types of previously scheduled visits will be held according to parameters currently in place until further communication is released. We will be updating you next week on our progress in developing updated procedures and parameters surrounding nursing home visitation as plans are finalized according to the new guidelines.

Thank you for your continued patience as we navigate these ever-changing requirements for reopening nursing home visitation. We look forward to continuing to welcome families and visitors back to St. John's Home in a safe and protective manner for all.

Sincerely,

President and CEO

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