

Booster Shots

In conjunction with Walgreen's, we have scheduled a booster shot clinic for **December 15**, the earliest date available to us. Should you wish to be included, please call the Wellness Center at (414) 831 – 6876. Please note one of the Holiday Dinners is scheduled for the evening of December 15. While the two events are not scheduled at the same time, you might prefer to receive your vaccination earlier to avoid any possible side effects affecting your enjoyment of the party. ***To receive your vaccination earlier, contact your medical provider or pharmacy and schedule directly with them.***

Outside Provider Vaccination Mandate

Saint John's has updated and will soon be distributing new Outside Provider agreements that include mandatory COVID-19 vaccination. Residents who employ others to provide supportive services (such as nursing care or companion services) in their apartments must sign the new agreement and all Outside Providers will be required to be vaccinated.

Employee Vaccination Mandate

Saint John's employees are now 95% vaccinated. We do have a small number of employees (5%) who have received a single dose and are on leave while they await a second dose. These employees have a maximum of 30 days to receive their second vaccination and subsequently return to campus. To be clear, all employees working on our campus have received both doses.

Sadly, there were seven employees – 3% of our total workforce – who left employment with Saint John's as a result of the mandate.

Visitors

As a reminder, all visits must occur only in resident apartments or in outdoor spaces, such as the Plaza. Visitors and guests may not accompany residents to events or use common areas, unless those events are held outdoors. Visitors may not partake in in-person dining in Taylor's, the Bistro, or the Care Neighborhood dining rooms. Please note visitors may pick up to-go meals from the Bistro; the restriction only applies to in-person dining. All visitors to Saint John's must be always masked and observe proper social distancing. We are discouraging residents from having large groups of outside guest visiting in their apartments.

Visitors to Stratford, Canterbury, and Windsor must always wear a surgical mask and visit only in resident rooms. To remain properly distanced in a resident room, we encourage limiting visitors to two at any time.

Residents of Saint John's are welcome to attend LifeStreams events and gatherings in the Towers or Neighborhoods. Visitors who do not live at Saint Johns may not accompany residents to events. It is permissible for paid, medically necessary care providers (such as companions) to attend events with residents.

Questions?

The weekly COVID Updates are produced by Saint John's COVID Response Team. If you have a question for the team, please contact Matt Loyd, COO, at (414) 831 – 6953 or mloyd@saintjohnsmilw.org.