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Our Residents and Representatives Mountain View Aged Care Centre The Salvation Army Aged Care

RE: UPDATED ADVICE FOR THE ACT REGARDING COVID-19

Dear All,

On 19 January 2021, the ACT Government, in conjunction with ACT Health, released updated advice on the interstate outbreaks of COVID-19 in Australia. We are writing to bring your attention to this advice which includes the following key points:

- Anyone who has been in a geographical area of risk should not visit or work in a high-risk setting for 14 days after leaving the affected area.
- Under a Public Health Direction, anyone in the ACT who has been to a COVID-19 affected area in the last 14 days must quarantine until 14 days after they were last in these areas.

Please note that according to ACT Health, high-risk settings include residential aged care centres and that the geographical areas of risk, which are updated regularly, can be found at the following link:

https://www.health.act.gov.au/health-professionals/chief-health-officer-alerts/covid-19testing-information#geographicalareasofrisk

Based on this updated advice, Mountain View Aged Care Centre will remain at Risk Level 3 on our internal Risk Assessment Matrix. We appreciate your continued vigilance to keep our residents, your loved ones and out staff members safe by adhering to physical distancing rules and good hand hygiene.

If you have any questions, please get in touch with your Centre Manager.

Kind regards,

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