

Circular: 050

01 June 2020.

Dear Resident,

As I am sure most of you saw Garry's Whatsapp message this morning with regards to the Covid19 cases in Muizenberg. Val De Vie also has its first positive case identified today.

Leading on from our learnings at Muizenberg we have had some of our nursing staff for frail care move into the Village for a 3-month period.

These nurses can only be allowed to work if we can reduce the risk of infection and ensure they are not exposed to the virus via public transport or travelling into hotspots. Nurses who have travelled from hotspots are being isolated for 7 days in their apartments and will then undergo a COVID test. Only once their negative results are back will they be allowed to continue work up in frail care.

This way we know that for the next three months we have eliminated the risk for our Nurses.

For those of you living in the apartments, you will see nursing staff going out to work or returning. Please don't interact with them or ask them to assist you with anything as they are under strict instructions to only go to their apartments and to frail care. Any nursing staff member who is not feeling well at any time has been asked to immediately inform us and to go off duty and to isolate in their apartment. We might thus have staff who are isolating and or waiting to be tested before they can go back to work upstairs in Frail Care.

Thanking our nursing staff for their dedication and sacrifice they are making to stay in for three months to help us keep our Frail Care residents safe. They are truly a special group of front-line heroes!

Your ever-caring Village Manager



**Wilma Swart**  
Village Manager

