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Dear Valued Visiting Nurse Health System Patient and Client,

As Georgia's oldest homecare provider, we have successfully supported our patients through many emergencies over the past 73 years. Although the Covid-19 virus has presented new challenges, please know Visiting Nurse is prepared to care for your health needs, utilizing the Center for Disease Control (CDC) and local government guidelines.

Among other precautions, Visiting Nurse Health System (VNHS) is screening patients' respiratory symptoms, and preventing the spread of germs by requiring VNHS sick employees to stay home or work remotely.

Please contact us to discuss your upcoming visit if you have recently:

- Traveled to, or been in close contact with someone who has traveled to, one of the designated high-risk areas (defined by the CDC as China, Iran, Italy, Japan or South
- Have a fever, cough, or shortness of breath

If you believe you have been exposed to COVID-19, please let us know.

Most importantly, please protect yourself by washing your hands frequently with soap and water, covering your mouth when coughing or sneezing, and avoiding close contact with anyone who has a fever or cough.

Thank you for entrusting your care to Visiting Nurse!

Dorothy Davis

President & CEO