Dear Gurwin Residents and Family Members:

With the outside world moving cautiously through the phases of reopening, we know that our families are anxious to begin visiting their loved ones here at Gurwin. We want to remind you that all nursing homes in New York State are bound by different rules than the general population, and we await Department of Health (DOH) notification of the steps required to reopen to visitors in a careful and safe way. Gurwin, like all nursing homes throughout the state, must comply with the March 12 DOH mandate that restricts visitors from our facilities, which is posted on our website.

We have already begun internal planning to be ready when the DOH provides guidance about a reopening plan. We anticipate this plan, will include phases, and will be ready to comply. Although we are eager for our families to be back in our building, we will certainly proceed with caution; preliminary guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention notes that any new cases of COVID-19 among residents would be cause to pause reopening, and we want to be sure to do everything in our power to prevent this from happening for our Gurwin residents and families.

You will be immediately notified when we receive any information regarding reopening from the DOH. Again, we know you want to come in to see your loved ones. Be assured, we want you back!

Thank you, and please be well.

Sincerely,
The Gurwin Care Team

Video Chat with your loved one: email videochat@gurwin.org to request a time. (Limit one per family per week, please.)

Send your loved one a Gurwin Gram Gram. Send a short video to us via Facebook Messenger or by email to info@gurwin.org, and we'll deliver your good wishes.


If you are interested in donating to our COVID-19 Relief Fund, visit our website at www.gurwin.org/donate. Thank you.