**January 20, 2022**

Dear Evergreen ADC Families,

Thank you for partnering with us to keep our community healthy and maintain in-person programming.

Evergreen ADC is dedicated to providing your student with the best day program experience. We remain committed to in-person programming and will continue to support the health and well-being of our students and staff during COVID19.

Here are a few updates:

* Evergreen ADC will continue to host weekly COVID Testing for all staff and students to identify anyone who has been infected with COVID-19, even if they do not have symptoms. The **California Department of Public Health recommends your student be tested for COVID-19 once a week.** Our staff and students may take advantage of our free, on-campus PCR testing with GenTech at the beginning of the week (unless noted otherwise).
* Our school will continue to follow safety protocols, including masking and proper ventilation, to reduce the risk of on-campus COVID-19 transmission. **Students and staff must continue to wear a mask indoors at all times per day program, local, and state requirements.**
* All persons coming into the Day Program, students enrolled, or staff employed at Evergreen ADC, must be **fully vaccinated** with their *1st and 2nd dose with the booster.* (By February 1st, 2022, students and staff must have their booster if they have not received theirs already).

**Frequently Q&A:**

**What happens if I test positive for COVID19, but have no symptoms?**

* You must quarantine for 5 days if you test positive for COVID19, but do NOT experience any symptoms. Prior to you returning to the Day Program, you must submit a negative COVID19 test.

**What happens if I test positive and have symptoms? Can I come back to the Day Program after I feel better?**

* Yes. We ask that you quarantine yourself immediately and for 10 days. You must submit a negative COVID19 test prior to returning to the Day Program.

**Please note:**

* **Your student may remain at the Day Program unless they develop symptoms OR test positive for COVID-19.** Being exposed to someone with COVID-19 does not necessarily mean that your student will become infected. Wearing a mask indoors, social distancing, and vaccination and having a booster can significantly reduce the chance of infection even if exposed.
* Office management will be reaching out to you for your booster shot. Please submit a copy to our office at Millette@evergreen-adc.com or call us to schedule a drop off copy of your vaccination card at 408-578-1280.

Sincerely,

Caroline Mayo, EADC Program Director