

Fireside Chat 2-26-21

Welcome to this week's Fireside Chat.

This week, our gym isolation unit remains open and some of our cohort groups remain in quarantine status. This serves as a reminder that the Coronavirus is still making its presence known here at SCI-Huntingdon just as it is in our communities. As we have said in the past; patience, resiliency, and optimism continue to be a beneficial mindset that can be helpful in moving forward.

As a reminder from last week, you will soon be issued new white, cloth, masks. The new masks will be labeled with your name and number. The additional masks will allow you to remain in proper PPE while having your other issued masks laundered. These white, cloth masks will be considered proper dress and you will not be authorized to leave your cell in any other face covering. Homemade masks are not authorized.

Keep up the good work. Your actions have, and continue, to make a difference. As we say each week; wear your mask, wash your hands, and maintain distance between you and the next person when you are out of your cell. It has also been recommended to avoid touching your face. Remember, if you are feeling ill please let a Staff member know.

We continue to wait for COVID-19 vaccine information as it relates to SCI-Huntingdon.

At this time, there is no change to cohort size or out-of-cell activity. It is our hopes that we achieve daily yard and daily showers with the current cohort sizes. Inmate concessions continue to be offered during your housing unit's assigned yard time and can be purchased accordingly. All current institutional services and activities remain intact. Psychology remains available and present on the housing units. Please let someone know if you are experiencing mental health concerns.

Free cable has been extended for the month of April.

Thank you and have a good week.