

Fireside Chat 7-9-21

Welcome to this week's Fireside Chat.

SCI-Huntingdon continues to await its turn to begin proceeding to the new normal. As mentioned previously, each week additional institutions have received that approval and have begun implementing their new normal.

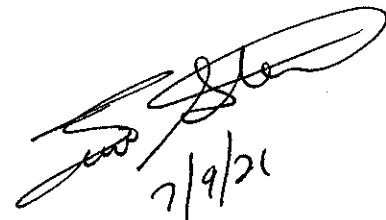
Inmates at SCI-Huntingdon continue to receive the vaccine. The vaccines we have on site expire August 7th so if you wish to receive the vaccine and have not already, please act immediately and send a request slip to the Medical Department. Receiving the vaccine provides an opportunity to mitigate the effects of COVID-19. If you receive the vaccine, monitor yourself for symptoms and report to a Staff member if you have a severe headache, abdominal pain, shortness of breath, and/or leg pain.

Cell cleaning supplies are available on your housing units and can be requested from a Staff member. Sanitation, wearing your mask while indoors, washing your hands frequently, and socially distancing yourself when you leave your cell continue to be best practices in mitigating the spread of COVID-19.

As a reminder, the DOC has authorized the removal of masks at outdoor settings for employees and inmates. Again, this is for outdoor settings only. Masks continue to be required when you enter a building, or while participating in indoor services.

Chocolate milk will be served to all inmates, which includes the RHU and DTU, for the supper meal on July 12th.

Thank you and have a good week.



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