

## December 4th, 2020 CMHC Update

**COVID UPDATE**: Community Memorial Health Center has had no new positive residents this week. We are currently still in "outbreak testing". Our next testing dates are next Monday and Tuesday for staff and residents. We had our Infection Control survey done by the State earlier this week and we were deficiency free. We are continuing our education and infection control practices to prevent any further spread or new outbreak. Garfield County was still in "Red" county positivity rate this week.

**HIRING**: CMHC is currently looking for compassionate care workers to join CMHC's team. We have a bundle of opportunities for people who are certified and those who aren't. We have very **competitive wages**, **free health insurance**, and **sign on bonuses** available right now. Call us or message us for more information. 308-346-4440.



**Christmas**: We are currently working on decorating around the outside of the facility so each resident has Christmas lights to enjoy through this season. We have placed our memorial tree up by the front window and have another decorated Christmas tree in our commons area. This week we sent letters out to families to update them on our Virtual Christmas Party option for their loved one.



**Essential Care Giver**: The state of Nebraska is gave new guidance on an **Essential Care Giver Program** for Long Term Care Facilities today. This program has goals to enhance resident's social and emotional needs from their loved ones. CMHC plans on implementing this program for our residents. We are currently working with the new guidance on developing the processes that will be needed to put in place to implement this safely for our residents. We will send out letters or emails with more information on this program soon!