



Jewish Senior *Life*

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JEWISH SENIOR LIFE MANDATES EMPLOYEE VACCINATIONS

Requirement further protects staff, residents and family members

ROCHESTER, N.Y., August 10, 2021 — [Jewish Senior Life](http://www.jewishseniorlife.org) is requiring all employees to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19, effective October 1, 2021.

“The increasing concern with the surging COVID-19 Delta variant has resulted in our decision to make employee vaccinations mandatory,” says Michael King, President and CEO of Jewish Senior *Life*. “According to the CDC, the Delta variant is much more contagious and more dangerous than other known versions of the virus. The past 17 months have been a time of tremendous personal and work related stress for all of us. Jewish Senior *Life* has succeeded because of our Hero employees who have persevered. Although over 80% of our staff are fully vaccinated, our organization must continue to do more to ensure the health and safety of our valued employees and all we serve.”

Jewish Senior *Life* employs more than 1,000 individuals in the Greater Rochester area. For more information about Jewish Senior *Life*, visit [jewishseniorlife.org](http://www.jewishseniorlife.org).

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About Jewish Senior *Life*:

Serving people of all faiths and ethnic backgrounds, Jewish Senior Life is a Continuing Care Retirement Community (CCRC) guided by the values of honoring family and aging in place. Jewish Senior Life offers all levels of care on a single campus, from independent living to skilled nursing care, along with a variety of programs and services for people living outside its campus.

Jewish Senior Life has CARF International accreditation for high quality and customer satisfaction, and was named a 2020-2021 Great Place to Work®. Its affiliate, the Jewish Home, has been recognized as a US News & World Report Best Nursing Home 2020-2021. For more information, please visit www.jewishseniorlife.org.