

March 23, 2020

Dear Friends,

We continue to diligently maintain the safety practices as outlined in our previous letter to the community, dated March 5, 2020, this includes disinfecting and sanitizing our pools and common surfaces.

We wanted to update you on a **policy change** that will apply **only** during the time period of this coronavirus pandemic.

All women are allowed to completely prepare at home and are not required to shower again at the mikvah **IF** they proceed directly to the mikvah after their home preparations.

Please note for the health of everyone **do not come to the Mikvah with any symptoms of illness**, including fever, vomiting, diarrhea, and upper respiratory infection, if you are in quarantine or have been exposed to the coronavirus. We will not allow anyone who is exhibiting any of the above symptoms to use the mikvah. Anyone who comes to the mikvah and exhibits any of the above symptoms will be required to leave.

These policies were reviewed by our Rabbinic leadership and by members of the Englewood Department of Health.

### **Keylim Mikvah**

The keylim mikvah is currently closed.

Thank you for acting in the benefit of our community. The precautions we all take will not only protect against the spread of any illness but will also be seen as a heartfelt prayer for the cure of those who are ill.

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