



Spotlight on... Mr. & Mrs. Petrella and Team

When we say heroes work here, we aren't kidding! Recently, Mr. and Mrs. Petrella of Oak Grove Academy literally saved the life of Coach Counselor Petit, a staff member who was recovering from COVID-19 -- and had recently been released from the hospital after an emergency cesarean section -when the Petrellas stopped by to deliver some groceries. After discovering that Ms. Petit was struggling to breathe, the Petrellas purchased a pulse oximeter. To their dismay, they discovered that Petit's blood oxygen level was only 52%. They immediately rushed her to the hospital, where she was admitted to the ICU for treatment. Mrs. Petrella stayed by her side throughout. Other site staff-including Mrs. Cephus, Nurse Brittany, Ms. Miley, and Coach Counselor Daniels-also brought food by the house for her four other children while she was being treated. OGA staff say such tight-knit support is emblematic of the overall OGA environment. For Coach Counselor Petit, "Oak Grove isn't just a place to work: it's family!"