

# Riverside Visitation Guidelines

These guidelines must be STRICTLY adhered to for the duration of the visit.

- Indoor visitation may occur with adherence to the Core Principles of COVID-19 Infection Prevention:
  - All visitors will be screened prior to entry. Those who do not meet screening criteria will be denied entry.
  - Hand hygiene before and after (use of alcohol-based hand sanitizer is preferred).
  - Use of surgical mask by visitor and face covering for resident is required (covering mouth and nose).
  - Social distancing: at least 6 feet between persons who are not from the same household.
- Visitors will be screened with the Visitor Screening Form
- Visitors cannot have any sign or symptoms of COVID-19
- Visitors must not have had any close contact with anyone suspected of or positive for COVID-19 for 14 days.
- Visitation hours: Monday – Friday 10:00 A.M. to 6:30 P.M..
- Visitors should go directly to the designated visitation area.
- Visitors should remain 6 feet from other residents and staff in the facility.
- Number of visitors in one room: No more than 2.
- Visit should be limited to 30 minutes.
- Children must be able to wear a face covering.
- If a resident is fully vaccinated, they may choose to have close contact (including touch) with their visitor while both are wearing close proper-fitting face masks and perform hand hygiene before and after.
- A resident who is on transmission-based precautions should limit visitations to virtual or window visits.
- Any resident with active COVID-19, regardless of vaccination status, will have no visitation until they meet criteria to discontinue isolation.
- If the facility has less than 70% of the residents vaccinated and a county positivity rate greater than 10%, visitation should be compassionate care only.
- If a new case of COVID-19 occurs in a resident or a staff member, indoor visits will be suspended at least until the first round of facility-wide outbreak testing is completed.
  - If no new cases are identified, visitations may resume on the wings of the facility that were not exposed to the most recent case. Visitations on the wing with the new case will remain suspended until completion of outbreak testing (a minimum of 14 days from last positive).
  - If an additional case is identified on a different wing (new cases on 2 or more wings in the facility), then visitations are suspended for the facility until the completion of the outbreak testing.
- Outdoor visits continue to be the preferred method for visitations, weather permitting. These generally pose a lower risk of transmission of COVID-19. Adhere to appropriate infection control and prevention practices.
- If any above guidelines are not followed, you will kindly be asked to leave, as these are crucial to the successful continuation of these visits and everyone's safety.