Daily Designated Support Person and Visitor Screening Questionnaire
For Acute Care, Ambulatory, Emergency and Urgent Care

The following questionnaire must be completed by Designated Support Persons (DSPs) and Visitors prior to entering an acute facility.

**Screening Questions**

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<th>Question</th>
<th>Yes</th>
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<td>1. Do you have any of the following symptoms which are new, or worsened if associated with allergies, chronic or pre-existing conditions: fever, cough, shortness of breath, runny nose, sore throat, chills, painful swallowing, nasal congestion, feeling unwell/fatigued, nausea/vomiting/diarrhea, unexplained loss of appetite, loss of sense of taste or smell, muscle/joint aches, headache, conjunctivitis (commonly known as pink eye)?</td>
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<td>2. Have you returned to Canada from outside the country (including USA) in the past 14 days? If no, proceed to Question 3.</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td><strong>If you answered Yes above:</strong></td>
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<td>When arriving back into Canada after travelling, you are required to abide by the federal government’s guidelines to determine whether or not you are exempt from quarantine. <strong>Select the correct statement below based on your quarantine requirements:</strong></td>
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<td>2.a I am aware of the federal government’s quarantine guidelines related to travel, and I am exempt from quarantine. If checked, proceed to Question 3. If not checked, proceed to 2.b.</td>
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<td>2.b I am aware of the federal government’s quarantine guidelines and I am required to quarantine OR I don't know if I meet the exemption so I am required to quarantine. At this time, you are not eligible to visit if you do not meet the above exemption to quarantine. You do not need to complete the rest of this questionnaire.</td>
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<td>3. Have you tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 10 days or are you waiting for COVID-19 test results?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>4. In the past 14 days, did you have close contact* with a case** of COVID-19? If yes, have you completed the required quarantine for your vaccine status?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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**Notes for clarification if there are questions regarding #4:**

a. If you are fully vaccinated† and you have no symptoms, you are not required to quarantine.

b. If you are partially vaccinated†† and have no symptoms and have completed one of the following quarantine requirements, you are no longer considered a close contact:
   - if you have already quarantined for 7 days and tested negative on day 7 of quarantine or later; OR
   - if you are not tested and have already quarantined for 10 days.

c. If you are not vaccinated, you must complete 14 days of quarantine.

d. If you have previously tested positive for COVID-19, you do not need to quarantine if you subsequently are a close contact with a case within 90 days of your previous positive test. This applies whether you have been immunized or not (as per the current CMOH Order).
Possible CMOH Exemptions for Designated Support Person and Visitor:

Individuals who have answered “yes” to any of the questions 1-4 may qualify to access the facility based on their vaccine status and/or one of the below CMOH exemptions:

- Individuals who are symptomatic and the designated family support person for a pediatric patient, or for an adult dependent on care (where no other support is available).
- Individuals who have no symptoms and are the designated support person for a symptomatic and/or COVID positive maternity patient.
- Individuals who have an authorized Compassionate Exemption and an appointment booked with the service area to visit a critically ill, or end-of-life patient. These individuals must not be symptomatic at the time of the visit to access the facility. For individuals who do not have a compassionate exemption, please refer them to COVID-19 Compassionate Exemptions from Quarantine | Alberta Health Services for instructions on how to complete an application.

If individuals qualify, the care area must authorize their entry, escort them if necessary, and consult IP&C as required.

Notes:

†Fully vaccinated: You are fully vaccinated if it has been more than 14 days since you had your 2nd dose of a 2-dose series or 1 dose in a 1-dose series.

‡‡Partially vaccinated: You are partially vaccinated if you have had the 1st dose of a 2-dose series more than 14 days ago.

*Close contact includes providing care, living with or otherwise having close prolonged contact (within 2 meters) while the person was ill, or contact with infectious bodily fluids (e.g. from a cough or sneeze) while not wearing recommended personal protective equipment.

Case is a person with a lab-confirmed case OR a probable case as defined in the current Alberta Public Health Disease Management Guideline: COVID-19.

Clinical illness of a probable case is new onset/exacerbation of following symptoms: fever (over 38 degrees Celsius), cough, shortness of breath (SOB)/difficulty breathing, sore throat or runny nose.

Exposure criteria for a probable case is a person who, in the 14 days before onset of illness, had any history of travel outside of Canada; OR had close contact with a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19; OR a close contact of a traveler with acute respiratory illness who returned from outside Canada in the previous 14 days; OR had a laboratory exposure to biological material (e.g. primary clinical specimens, virus culture isolates) known to contain COVID-19.

Additional Information:

For more information on isolation and quarantine please see the Government of Alberta website at Isolation and quarantine requirements | Alberta.ca

For more information on Alberta Health Services Designated Support and Access information please visit COVID-19 Family Support & Visitation of Patients | Alberta Health Services.