**COVID-19 Visitor Guidance**

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Alberta Health Services (AHS) (CMOH) have implemented visitor restrictions in Long Term Care, Supportive Living or Congregate Living.

1. Visitor Restrictions in Long Term Care, Supportive Living or Congregate Living:

Alberta Health Services have implemented visitor restrictions in Long Term Care, Supportive Living or Congregate Living to ensure the safety and health of residents. Visitors are required to follow specific guidelines to minimize the risk of transmission of infectious diseases.

- Visitors must be fully vaccinated or have a valid exemption.
- Visitors are required to wear a mask at all times.
- Visitors must practice physical distancing.
- Visitors are prohibited from entering the facility during meal times.
- Visitors must wash their hands upon entry and before leaving the facility.

These restrictions will remain in place until further notice.
(All visitors in long term care, supportive living or congregate living facilities must)

- Visitors to long term care, supportive living or congregate living facilities must wear a mask.
- Visitors to acute care settings must wear a mask.
- Visitors to outpatient and emergency department/urgent care must wear a mask.
- Visitors to maternity/postpartum must wear a mask.

2. Visitor Restrictions in Acute Care/Outpatient Settings

Exceptions are permitted in the following circumstances:

- Visitors for medical or healthcare services.
- Visitors for surgery or procedures.
- Visitors for diagnostic testing.
- Visitors for emergency care.

Additional Guidance for Specific Care Acute Care Settings

Outpatient and Emergency Department/Urgent Care

- Visitors for outpatient care or emergency department/urgent care may be permitted.

Maternity/Postpartum

- Visitors for maternity/postpartum care may be permitted.
3. Visitors in Acute Care or Outpatient Facilities Must:

- ICU (ICU)
  - 24 ICU patients 1-2 days of age
  - Must be admitted with a diagnosis of COVID-19
  - Must be admitted to the ICU + symptomatic 1-2 days of age
  - Must be admitted to the ICU + symptomatic
  - Stollery Children's Hospital
  - Alberta Children's Hospital

All Visitors in Acute Care or Outpatient Facilities Must:

- Must be admitted with a diagnosis of COVID-19
- Must be admitted to the ICU + symptomatic 1-2 days of age
- Must be admitted to the ICU + symptomatic
- Stollery Children's Hospital
- Alberta Children's Hospital

3. Visiting Patients at End of Life (Visiting Patients at End of Life)

- Must be admitted with a diagnosis of COVID-19
- Must be admitted to the ICU + symptomatic 1-2 days of age
- Must be admitted to the ICU + symptomatic
- Stollery Children's Hospital
- Alberta Children's Hospital
Visitors Regardless of Setting

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Requirements for all Visitors Regardless of Setting

(You will NOT be allowed to visit if you meet any of the following criteria):

- You have COVID-19 symptoms;
- You have been in close contact with someone who has COVID-19;
- You have been in a high-risk location;
- You have a fever or cough;
- You are feeling unwell;
- You have been treated for COVID-19 in the past 14 days;
- You have been exempt from the quarantine requirements.

Call the 1-855-550-2555 for assistance:

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