

VISITATION POLICY

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2021

To protect the health of our communities, and as a safety precaution to prevent the risk of spreading COVID-19, Memorial Healthcare is updating visitor restrictions.

We understand the important role of loved ones during this time and encourage patients to use our free Wi-Fi to communicate with family and friends through a mobile device, tablet or laptop.

Our commitment to health and safety remains our highest priority. We continue to monitor the risk of COVID-19 and will adjust visitor restrictions as necessary. We appreciate your help in keeping our patients and employees safe.

ALL INPATIENT UNITS:

- Visitation hours are 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm daily.
- One healthy adult (over the age of 16) per patient at one time.
- Those who are approved to enter will be expected to:
 - Enter through the main lobby
 - Be screened for signs of illness
 - Will not be allowed to enter if any signs of illness
 - Must wear a face covering at all times
- Visitors who are approved to enter will be expected to:
 - Stay at the patient's bedside and not wander the hallways.
 - Sanitize/wash hands every time they enter or leave the patient's room.
 - Not gather in common areas such as waiting rooms or lobbies.
- Visitors will be asked to return home if they exhibit symptoms of illness or do not comply with Memorial Healthcare's visitation policy.
- Patients who are COVID-19 positive or are suspected of COVID-19 will not be allowed visitors.

SURGICAL PROCEDURES OR THOSE REQUIRING SEDATION FOR A PROCEDURE

- One healthy adult (over the age of 16) caregiver/support person.
- Will be screened for signs of illness before entering.
- Must wear a face covering at all times.
- Must remain in a waiting room or in their vehicle

MINORS SCHEDULED FOR A SERVICE OR RECEIVING CARE AT THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT:

- One healthy adult (over the age of 16) caregiver/support person.
- Will be screened for signs of illness before entering.
- Must wear a face covering at all times.

LONG-TERM CARE/THE MEADOWS

- Memorial Healthcare's Long-Term Care Unit and The Meadows Assisted Living will remain closed to all visitors until further notice.