

Please follow the guidelines below as required by the CDC and Louisiana Department of Health.

You are requested to follow these guidelines consistently throughout your visitation.

- Persons who are unable to adhere to the infection control principles described in these steps may be denied visitation for the protection of the health of all the facility residents.
- Social distancing of at least 6 feet is required at all times.
- Guests must continuously wear a mask or face covering for the duration of the visit. If the vaccinated resident and vaccinated guest chose to remove masks while in the resident apartment, the visitor must reapply their mask before entering the hallway or common spaces.
- All visitors should perform hand hygiene with alcohol-based hand sanitizer prior to the visit and frequently throughout the visit.
- All indoor visitors must travel directly to their resident's apartment following screening and directly to the exit upon departure. Visitors may not visit other residents or walk about the facility. Visitation may not occur in hallways or facility common areas.
- Guests will not be permitted to dine with residents at this time, guests are required to wear face coverings or masks continuously during the visit.
- Guests visiting residents under quarantine or transmission-based precautions will be required to wear a facemask. The resident should wear a facemask if tolerated. Guests are advised if they chose to visit a resident in quarantine or under transmission-based precautions that they may be exposed to and/or contract the COVID-19 virus. Guests will receive recommended precautions to follow during the visit. The facility will provide personal protective equipment. See nursing or administration for any additional questions.
- Visitors are required to report if they should develop signs or symptoms of respiratory illness or test positive for COVID 19 within 14 days of their visit to the facility.
- Outdoor visitation is preferred when the resident and / or the visitor are not fully vaccinated. Visits will be held outdoors whenever practicable and will be encouraged determinate upon weather conditions, an individual resident's health status, the facility's outbreak status, and safety factors related to facility construction projects. Visitation is to occur in designated visitation areas only.
- The facility will encourage residents and their guests to consider scheduling visitation at a later date during periods of facility outbreak testing. If the resident or the guest visiting with consent of the resident request in-person visitation during facility outbreak testing the visitation will be scheduled outdoors.