



RESIDENTIAL PLAZA AT BLUE LAGOON VISITATION

Visitation should be person-centered, considering the residents' physical, mental, and psychosocial well-being and support their quality of life.

Visitors must adhere to the Core Principles of COVID-19 Infection Prevention outlined below. Visitors who cannot adhere to the Core Principles of COVID-19 Infection Prevention will not be permitted to visit or will be asked to leave. By following a person-centered approach and adhering to these core principles of infection prevention, visitation can occur safely.

Visitation will always be allowed for all residents. Residential Plaza will no longer limit the frequency and length of visits for residents, the number of visitors, or require advance scheduling of visits.

Although there is no limit on the number of visitors that a resident can have at one time, visits must be conducted in a manner that adheres to the Core Principles of COVID-19 Infection Prevention. Please note:

- All visits must be inside the residents' room.
- All visits must be only with your loved one.
- Do not have other residents join your visitation or gather in the common areas.
- The residents' rooms are limited spaces. Remember that the number of visitors must allow for social distancing.

Residential Plaza has established some rules and limitations that allow social distancing in all common areas in our community, such as the limitation in the capacity of the elevators. It is important that these limitations are respected.

In the event of a COVID-19 outbreak among residents or staff is identified, residents and their families will be notified of the ongoing investigation. While it is safer for visitors not to enter the facility during an outbreak investigation, visitors will still be allowed in the facility. Visitors should be made aware of the potential risk of visiting during an outbreak investigation and adhere to the core principles of infection prevention.

Regardless of vaccination status, we ask all residents and visitors to adhere to the Core Principles of COVID-19 Infection Prevention.



Core Principles of COVID-19 Infection Prevention

- We ask visitors to refrain from visiting if they have any of the following:
 - a positive viral test for SARS-CoV-2,
 - symptoms of COVID-19, or
 - if they currently meet the criteria for quarantine
- Screening of all who enter the facility for signs and symptoms of COVID-19 (e.g., temperature checks, questions about and observations of signs or symptoms), and denial of entry of those with signs or symptoms or those who have had close contact with someone with COVID-19 infection in the prior 14 days (regardless of the visitor's vaccination status).
- Hand hygiene (use of alcohol-based hand rub is preferred).
- Face covering or mask at all times, regardless of vaccination status (covering mouth and nose).
- Social distancing at least six feet between people.
- Instructional signage throughout the community and proper visitor education on COVID-19 signs and symptoms, infection control precautions, other applicable facility practices (e.g., use of face covering or mask, hand hygiene).
- Cleaning and disinfecting high frequency touched surfaces in the community.
- Appropriate staff use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).
- Effective isolation of residents positive or at risk of COVID-19 (e.g., separate areas dedicated to COVID-19 care).
- Resident and staff testing in case someone is showing symptoms or is at risk by contact.

These core principles are consistent with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidance for long-term care facilities and **should be always adhered to**.

Please note that no pets will be permitted at this time.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!