



# Visitor Restrictions

## The following visitor restrictions have been put into place to protect patients, families and staff

- Parents are welcome at all times and are not considered “visitors”.
- Visiting hours for all others are between 9am and 9pm.
- Visitors, including siblings, may not visit if they have fever, cough, sore throat or runny nose.
- Patients are restricted to a total of four visitors, including parents, in a day.
- Visitors and parents **MUST** be screened every day during flu season. Visitors will receive and wear a badge with a green, yellow, or red dot. The dots indicate:
  - Green- May visit, no mask required
  - Yellow- May visit but mask required
  - Red- May not visit inpatient areas, mask required
- No children under the age of 5 may visit, including siblings, during this pandemic influenza season.
- For patients 2 years old and younger, no visitors ages 5-11
- For patients 3 years old and older, siblings ages 5-11 may visit beginning on the patient’s 5th day in the hospital
- Parents or visitors may be asked to wear a mask while in the hospital.
- Staff may be seen wearing masks for their protection and the safety of the patient.
- Parents or visitors will be asked to leave the hospital if they do not follow these guidelines and wear their mask as directed.
- In rare circumstances compassionate exceptions may be possible. Parents can discuss this with the child’s nurse or physician, who must consult with Infection Prevention.