

Barnabas Court
Changes effective Monday May 24th, 2021 for Residents and Families

MASKING is still required in Long Term Care settings

OUTDOOR VISITS will begin on May 24th, 2021 weather permitting.

Visitation

Visitation will continue to be scheduled with an appointment. When scheduling, you will sign up for an indoor or outdoor visit. You will still be required to screen prior to your visit.

We are removing the age limit for children but are still keeping visits at 2 people per appointment and that includes a child in the 2 people. We do NOT recommend bringing children under the age of 2 years old.

Residents and Visitors that are **VACCINATED** will be able to be on the grounds for walks and visits as long as the Visitors/Resident wear a mask ONLY. Visits are not to exceed an hour. If visit is scheduled outside and weather does not cooperate you can check and see if a slot indoors is available but if not, the visit will be rescheduled.

Residents and Visitors who are **NOT VACCINATED** can go outside but will need to stay and visit by the main doors as we did last summer, visits will 1 hour. Residents and families will need to wear a mask and gloves for these outdoor visits.

Indoor visits for Vaccinated and Non-Vaccinated residents will increase to 1 hour. PPE will remain the same dependent on your vaccination status.

ISOLATION/QUARANTINE

VACCINATED RESIDENTS:

Emergency Room Visits- no quarantine required unless they have been there more than 24 hours or if resident develops symptoms. If this occurs, they will need to Quarantine for at least 7 days with a COVID test on day 5.

Residents coming from home or hospital stay on admission or readmission will be required to quarantine for 7 days with BINEX test on Day 5. If they develop symptoms their quarantine could be extended.

Residents who go to large public events such as a wedding, family event, family home visit, or traveling/vacationing etc. when they return, they are required to quarantine for 5 days with a BINEX test on day 5. Their quarantine could be extended if they begin to show any symptoms.

NON-VACCINATED RESIDENTS

Unfortunately, none of the guidance has changed for NON-Vaccinated residents. They must continue a 14-day quarantine regardless of whether they are in the Emergency Room, hospital, go out in public, go home with family, etc.

They will be tested on day 12 with a Nasal Swab and released on day 15 or when we receive a negative test result.

Appointments for visits are still necessary as we are continuing to limit the number of people on the Village property to avoid unnecessary exposure.

We will try this through June 2021 and see if we need to make any modifications.

At any time, these new guidelines can be suspended or stopped per county, state, or federal regulations.

Please feel free to call if you have any questions 814-899-8600. We appreciate your continued patience, cooperation, and support.

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