

## **GENERAL VISITATION**

### **Facility Requirements for General Visitation:**

- Sufficient staff to support management of visitors
- Adequate PPE for staff
- Adequate cleaning and disinfecting supplies
- Screen general visitors to prevent possible introduction of communicable disease
- Establish limits on the total number of visitors allowed in the facility based on the ability of staff to safely screen and monitor visitation, including limits on the length of visits
- Schedule visitors by appointment only
- Maintain a visitor log for signing in and out
- Monitor visitor adherence to appropriate use of masks, PPE, and social distancing
- Notify and inform residents and their representatives of any changes in the facility's visitation policy
- Clean and disinfect visiting areas between visitors and maintain hand washing or sanitation stations
- Designate staff to support infection-prevention and control education of visitors on use of PPE, use of masks, hand sanitation, and social distancing

### **Requirements for General Visitors:**

- Be screened for signs and symptoms of communicable disease
- Wear a face mask at ALL times covering the nose and mouth when inside the building
- Performing hand hygiene by washing hands with soap and water for at least 40 seconds or by using an alcohol-based hand rub with at least 60% ethanol or 70% isopropanol for at least 20 seconds
- Comply with facility-provided COVID-19 testing, if offered
- Visit in facility-designated indoor and/or outdoor visitation area
- Maintain social distance of at least six feet with staff and other residents
- Limit movement in the facility

### **General Visitation Areas:**

- Preference 1: Outside area protected from weather elements, such as porches, patios and other covered areas, or tented.
- Preference 2: A room within the facility that is not accessible by other residents
- Preference 3: Visits in a resident room

