

St. Francis Indoor Visitation Guidelines Updated 6/18/21

1. Visits will take place seven days a week at any reasonable time of day. Visits will now be able to take place in the residents' room for all visitors. Visitors do not have to call and make an appointment. Visitors are asked to go directly to the resident's room.
2. Indoor visits may be cancelled if there is a positive case of COVID-19. Visits would resume once CMS requirements are met for visits to resume.
3. Residents that are in quarantine will not be able to have visits unless it is for a compassionate care situation.
4. Visitors must wear a surgical or procedural face covering during the visit.
5. Visitors will now be able to touch and embrace the resident they are visiting if that resident is vaccinated and the resident is wearing a surgical or procedural face covering and the resident sanitizes their hands before and after the visit. If the resident is not vaccinated we ask that visitors do not touch the resident and stay 6 ft. away from the resident.
6. The facility will provide a hand sanitizing station in which each visitor must use the alcohol based hand rub before and after each visit.
7. All visitors will be required to be screened and get their temperature taken by a staff member. This will be located next to the reception desk.
8. All residents will be required to wear a surgical or procedural face covering that will be provided by St. Francis.
9. Visitors for each resident will be limited to 4 visitors. Due to every visitor having to wear a face covering, we are not permitting visitors under the age of 5 at this time. If a visitor wants an exception to the age limit rule, they can contact the Director of Nursing or Executive Director for approval.
10. Anybody can come visit a resident at any time as long as the resident has no more than 4 visitors and the visitors stay in the residents' room.
11. We ask that all visitors report any signs and symptoms of respiratory illness or a fever to the facility that occurs within 14 days following the visit.

***If the above guidelines are not followed the facility has the right to ask the visitor to leave.**