

BRANDYWINE LIVING

Indoor Visitation Update

Weather permitting, it is strongly encouraged that visitation is done outdoors. Effective March 27, 2021, indoor visitation is allowed for all residents, except for a few circumstances when visitation should be limited due to a high risk of COVID-19 transmission. These scenarios include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. If the facility is in a region with a high county positivity rate as determined by the applicable government agency, AND less than 70 percent (<70%) of the residents in the facility are fully vaccinated, then UNVACCINATED residents will be unable to have indoor visits during such period.
2. Residents on quarantine may not have visitors until quarantine is discontinued.

Visitation Guidelines

- All visits must be scheduled in advance.
- Indoor visitation will follow a set schedule to limit the number of visitors in the community at one time.
- Only (2) family members are permitted to visit at one time.
- All visitors should be able to follow infection control practices, such as hand washing and wearing a mask or face covering. (Visitors under 16 years of age must be accompanied and supervised by an adult).
- Visits should generally be limited to 60 minutes.
- Maintain an appropriate staffing pattern to provide proper oversight, cleaning and sanitization.

Visitation Space

- The community will offer outdoor and indoor visitation spaces in designated areas.
- Visiting in the resident's room is permitted per resident choice. (Visits should not be conducted in shared rooms).

Visitor Screening

- Community will offer rapid tests (at no cost) before the scheduled visit.
- Visitors may show proof of vaccination.
- Visitors must adhere to all screening procedures including signing the visitor consent form.

Visit Rules

- All visitors and residents must wear a face mask at all times.
- No physical contact is allowed for UNVACCINATED residents.
- VACCINATED residents can choose to have physical contact (i.e. hug) as long as the visitor wears a tight-fitting mask.
- Shared food or beverages during the visit is not allowed.
- Visitors must stay in the dedicated visitor space or resident room.
- Common area restrooms will not be available to visitors.

**Should a family prefer to take their loved one out of the Community for a limited (less than 24 hours) social and safe excursion, the resident will be subject to a risk assessment upon return and/or may require a 14-day quarantine period if the resident is unvaccinated.*

**Fully vaccinated refers to a person who is more than or at 2 weeks following receipt of the second dose in a 2 dose series, or more than or at 2 weeks following receipt of one dose of a single-dose vaccine.*

**As of the date of this communication, all Brandywine communities have greater than 70% of their residents vaccinated.*

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