

**Spectrum for Living**

**Intermediate Care Facility**

**Subject: Resident Visitation Policy**

**Date 8/20/20 (updated 4/1/21)**

Beginning June 21, 2020, Spectrum for Living Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) will accommodate visitors to a designated outdoor space.

Beginning July 25, 2020, Spectrum for Living Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) will accommodate visitors (limit of 2) to a designated indoor space.

It is the goal to follow all guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the NJ Department of Health (NJDOH) as related to long-term care facilities during the COVID-19 pandemic.

1. Families can call 24-hours in advance and schedule a 30-minute visitation. Visiting hours are between 2:30pm and 7:30pm Monday through Friday. Saturday and Sunday between 10a-7pm. There is a limit of two family members per resident.
2. All persons visiting, including the resident, must wear a facemask during the entire visit, they shall remain 6 feet apart at all times, and they must remain in the designated visiting areas provided by the Facility.
3. Proper staffing has been designated to handle the demand of visits and the staff must don proper PPE and remain with the resident during the entire visit.
4. Upon arrival, visitors will be required to sign the Visitor Agreement Form and be subjected to temperature and symptom screening. Visitors will be advised to notify us in 14 days following their visit if any symptoms occur.
5. Restrooms will not be available for the families during their visits.
6. Visiting hours may be cancelled or postponed due to inclement weather advisories.
7. The resident has the right to refuse a visitation.

8. Food or drink is not permitted to be given to any resident during the visit. Visitors may leave food or other care packages with a supervisor for proper screening.
9. If any of the above procedures are not followed, the ICF reserves the right to deny/suspend/or revoke visitation privileges.
10. Alternate means of communication for families / guardians who cannot visit can be arranged , such as virtual communication and or phone . Arrangements can be scheduled with a Client Coordinator/designee.
11. The ICF will restrict visitation for anyone who meets one or more of the following criteria :
  - Exhibit signs or symptoms of an infectious communicable disease, including COVID-19.
  - In the last 14 days, has had contact with someone with a confirmed diagnosis of COVID-19, or someone under investigation for COVID-19, or has traveled outside of the country.
  - A resident who is suspected or confirmed to be infected with COVID-19 or quarantined for exposure cannot be visited until isolation is completed as defined by the CDC and NJDOH.

\*See Visitation Guidelines