

Long-Term Care Visitor, Absences & Social Gatherings Snapshot: Items in **Red** are changes effective **December 30, 2021**

REQUIREMENTS		FULLY IMMUNIZED *Ministry of Health vaccination receipts required*	PARTIAL/ UNIMMUNIZED	OUTBREAK/ RESIDENT IN ISOLATION	SYMPTOMATIC	ASYMPTOMATIC	RAPID ANTIGEN TEST FREQUENCY *Not used during outbreak	PCR TEST FREQUENCY
<p>VISITORS *Masks required at all times</p> <p>Limit of 2 essential caregivers (no general visitors allowed at this time)</p> <p>All caregivers designated after December 14th, 2021 will be required to be fully vaccinated to gain entry to the home.</p>	<p>ESSENTIAL – CAREGIVER</p> <p>A maximum of 2 caregivers may be designated per resident at a time (this does not apply to caregivers designated prior to December 14th)</p> <p>A resident and/or their substitute decision-maker may not continuously change a designation in order to increase the number of people able to enter the home.</p>	<p>Indoors – 2 people total (designated essential caregivers only)</p> <p>Outdoors – 2 people total (designated essential caregivers only)</p> <p>Participate in surveillance testing Daily prior to visit.</p> <p>Travel outside of Canada in the past 14 days: Participate in surveillance testing daily. Must wait for their results BEFORE going to any resident home areas. *Testing is required regardless of vaccination status.</p> <p>May have physical contact, including for non-care related reasons with fully immunized resident.</p> <p>No eye protection required indoors (although encouraged).</p> <p>May support in dining room, join in activity.</p>	<p>Indoors – 2 people total (designated essential caregivers only)</p> <p>Outdoors – 2 people total (designated essential caregivers only)</p> <p>Will be required to show proof of first dose of vaccine by December 20th, 2021 and must show proof of all required vaccine doses by February 21st, 2022. Otherwise will not be permitted entry to the home.</p> <p>If unvaccinated on or after December 20th, 2021 NOT permitted entry to the home. May visit resident outdoor (testing and screening required).</p> <p>Partially vaccinated: Can ONLY visit in the residents' room.</p> <p>Participate in surveillance testing daily for indoor visits.</p> <p>Physical distancing 2m required when not providing direct care, however brief hugs are permitted.</p> <p>Eye protection required indoors</p> <p>Unable to enter dining room/ join activity</p>	<p>May support in resident's room / isolation room (1 essential caregiver per visit)</p> <p>(N-95 mask, shield, gown and gloves must be worn – see the RN on the unit before entering the resident room)</p> <p>If resident unaffected by outbreak, may support outside of resident's room (only if fully vaccinated)</p>	<p>No Entry, PCR Test Required from Community</p>	<p>Active Screening and Rapid Antigen Testing (RAT)</p>	<p>TRAVEL OUTSIDE OF CANADA IN THE PAST 14 DAYS: Participate in surveillance testing daily. Must wait for their results BEFORE going to any resident home areas. *Testing is required regardless of vaccination status.</p> <p>FULLY IMMUNIZED: Participate in surveillance testing Daily prior to visit.</p> <p>PARTIALLY/ UNIMMUNIZED: IMMUNIZED: Participate in surveillance testing daily for indoor or outdoor visits. As of December 20th, unvaccinated caregivers are NOT permitted indoor. Outdoor visits permitted (with testing).</p>	<p>Only if Antigen test is positive OR symptomatic. PCR to be completed in community</p>

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	NON-ESSENTIAL GENERAL VISITOR <i>*Personal care services (i.e. haircutting)</i>	Effective December 30, 2021 - Temporarily Paused General Visitors / visits <u>NOT</u> permitted						
RESIDENT ABSENCES <i>*Medical mask required, follow IPAC, active screening on return</i>	MEDICAL	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Rapid test for 7 continuous days OR PCR test on days 1 & 7 (unless within 14 days of previous infection)	
	COMPASSIONATE/ PALLIATIVE	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	As per Public health	Permitted	Residents going on daily/ frequent absence require PCR AND Rapid test on the same day, twice per week	
	SHORT TERM - ESSENTIAL	Permitted	Permitted	Not permitted	Not permitted	Permitted	*No isolation unless positive result received	
	SHORT TERM – SOCIAL (<24 hrs)	Effective December 30, 2021 Not permitted	Not permitted	Not permitted	Not permitted	n/a	N/A	N/A
<i>*Additional enhanced screening, testing and isolation requirements based on absence, admission or transfer in addition to this table.</i>	TEMPORARY (2+days/ overnight)	NOT Permitted for social purposes Prior approval from Administrator, DRC/ADRC required.	NOT Permitted for social purposes Prior approval from Administrator, DRC/ADRC required.	Not permitted	n/a	n/a	n/a	<i>New enhanced screening, testing and isolation requirements have been mandated by the Ministry upon return.</i>
	OFF-SITE GROUP EXCURSIONS	Not permitted	Not permitted	Not permitted	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
REQUIREMENTS		ALL RESIDENTS			OUTBREAK/ISOLATION			
SOCIAL GATHERINGS <i>*Residents wear face coverings if tolerated, IPAC adherence, cleaning prior/ after</i>	ORGANIZED EVENTS/ SOCIAL GATHERINGS	Physical distancing can be relaxed; limited capacity in a room Cohorting can be relaxed when resident activities are outside Enhanced precautions required Maintain same activity groups as much as possible Singing, dancing, etc. may resume			Individual/door to door programming only for area(s) in outbreak and isolated residents (caregiver permitted)			

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DINING	COMMUNAL DINING	Consistent seating of residents at same table – physical distancing can be relaxed. 2m distancing between diners at different tables as much as possible. Buffet and family style dining may resume Fully vaccinated caregivers may accompany a resident for meals to assist a resident with eating, however the caregiver should remain masked at all times and not join in the meal			In-suite dining			

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