

**GUIDANCE FOR VISITING RESIDENTS AT CEDARBROOK SENIOR CARE & REHAB**  
**Green Rooms Only – Lehigh County Positivity Rate of 5% or greater**

**1. All Visitors MUST:**

- Schedule their visit ahead of time with SS.
- Arrive 10 minutes early to be screened; remain in car if arriving earlier.
- Enter through the main entrances to be screened for your visit.
- Always wear a mask/ face covering as provided by the facility.
- Maintaining six feet social distancing is highly preferred.
- Use hand sanitizer before and after visitation.
- Be 12 years or older.
- Stay in designated visitation areas only.
- Refrain from discussing private health information (PHI) during the visit.
- Diet appropriate food/beverage (snacks) can be brought to the visit for residents to be enjoyed **AFTER** the visit is completed. They may be given to the LE staff at the start of the visit. No homemade food/beverage is permitted.
- Stay within the 30-minute visit time allotment.
- Stay home if signs and symptoms of **respiratory illness, Fever or Chills, Cough, Shortness of Breath, Fatigue, Muscle or Body Aches, Headache, Congestion or runny nose, Nausea or Vomiting, Diarrhea, Sore Throat, Loss of taste/smell. Access will be denied if any of these conditions exist. As a friendly reminder, our screening process also precludes those with active covid-19 diagnoses or recent covid-19 exposures (14 days) from entering our facility in alignment with public health directives.**

**2. Visiting hours and rules:**

- M-F 9:00 am- 1130 am and 1:00 pm- 5:00 pm.
- Visitation will be limited to 30 minutes. 2 visitors/resident for 30 minutes or 2 visitors/resident for 15 minutes each (4 visitors total).
- Residents will be offered Face to face visit or virtual visit as schedule allows.
- All visits are staff monitored for compliance to rules.
- Pets may not accompany visitors in either visiting area.
- Non – compliance will result in termination of the visit.

**3. Scheduling Visits:**

- To schedule a visit, contact the resident's Social Worker.
- Please note when scheduling you will need to complete or provide contact information such including address, phone number, email and resident name for contact tracing purposes if needed in the future.

- To cancel an appointment please call the resident's Social Worker at least 24 hours in advance if possible. When SS is not in the office, please notify the Nursing Supervisor on duty of the cancellation.

#### **4. Screening upon arrival:**

- Go directly to the Security entrance 10 minutes before your scheduled time (do not go to in the Main Dining Room or outdoor visiting area at CBFH or the Family Room or outside visiting area at CBA until you are screened). Please use the main entrance if inclement weather.
- You will have your temperature taken and will need to complete a COVID visitor screening form to ensure you meet eligibility to enter the facility.

#### **5. Additional information:**

- At this time outdoors will be the preferred setting and arrangements have been made to accommodate this safely.
- When outdoor visitation is not possible due to inclement weather, indoor visitation will be allowed in non-resident care areas considered "Neutral Zones".
- There will be no visitation in resident rooms/care areas other than for end of life visits.
- Visitation areas will be disinfected after each use.
- Hand sanitizer will be available in the visitation areas.
- Visitation guidelines exist to attempt to maintain responsible social distancing measures.
- Overall Visitation may be restricted for some residents if the Lehigh County positivity rate is greater than 10% or for all residents if the facility is experiencing a facility-wide Covid-19 positive outbreak. \*\*
- Visitation for a specific unit or room is canceled if it is in "Yellow" status indicating a recent possible exposure.
- Visitation guidance may be updated to include additional flexibility if the positivity rate in Lehigh County stays consistently under 5% for greater than 2 weeks. Visitation can be terminated at any time by state or federal epidemiological or regulatory directive.

\*\* Restriction occurs for unvaccinated residents if 10% positivity rate occurs and less than 70% of residents are vaccinated per CMS. At present this is not a concern for Cedarbrook as over 90% of residents are fully vaccinated and as such this restriction criteria is not triggered. Visits for the facility are canceled if there is a facility-wide outbreak.