

Our Lady of Peace LIMITED Skilled Nursing Family Visitation Guidelines

Updated July 15, 2020

CURRENT Situation

1. OLP must be free of any new resident or associate (staff) COVID cases for 28 days. On July 9, 2020, OLP was notified of two OLP associate (staff) positive viral swabs that were obtained on July 4, 2020. The 28 day clock starts from July 5, 2020. There have been no new resident or associate cases since the July 4th specimens.
2. OLP has submitted a visitation plan to the NYS DOH and is awaiting approval of the plan.

WHEN Visitation is Allowed

1. OLP will notify families and loved ones when visitation is allowed via the automated calls and posting to the ladyofpeace.org webpage. No visitation will be allowed until OLP has had no NEW COVID cases, resident or staff, for 28 days.
2. Only two visitors will be allowed per resident.
3. Only 10% of the current resident census will be allowed to have visitors at any one time. When limited visitation begins, families can schedule visitation through the front desk 716-298-2900.
4. Visitors must be screened at the front desk for signs and symptoms of COVID prior to the visit, including a temperature check.
5. All visitation will be outside.
6. Visitors and residents will be required to wear masks. Please bring your own mask with you.
7. Visitors and residents will be required to sanitize their hands prior to and immediately after the visit. Hand sanitizer will be provided.
8. Residents and visitors will be required to be at least six feet apart with no touching.
9. Visitation hours will be restricted. Notification of these hours will take place when visitation is approved by the NYS DOH..
10. No homemade food and drinks can be provided. Store purchased food drinks are acceptable.
11. No children 14 years old or younger will be allowed to visit. Children 15 to 17 years of age must be accompanied by someone 18 years of age or older.
12. **If any visitor fails to adhere to the protocol, he/she/they will be prohibited from visiting for the duration of the COVID-19 state declared public health emergency.**

For questions regarding visitation please feel free to call Kristen Obarka, Director of Social Work at kristen.obarka@ascension.org 716-298-2822 or Janet Rizzo, Assistant Administrator at janet.rizzo@ascension.org or 716.298.2923.

Please check the ladyofpeace.org webpage for additional updates periodically.