



Pulaski
Memorial Hospital

Visitor Restrictions

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Pulaski Memorial Hospital is taking steps to protect our patients, their families, and staff by temporarily limiting visitation in our hospital. Visitor restrictions have been put into place to help minimize the spread of respiratory illnesses such as Influenza and COVID-19.

All support persons must screen negative with no symptoms or elevated temperature, as addressed in the screening questions. Visitors will be identified by the patient or the patient's designated health representative.

- Inpatients on our Medical/Surgical Ward may have one (1) visitor, 18 years or older, every 24 hours. Visitors can change each day. Once the visitor leaves, they cannot return until the following day. Visitation hours will be between 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM.
- Pediatric Patients may have both parents/legal guardians designated, but only one (1) support person may be present at a time. One (1) additional visitor 18 years or older will be permitted every 24 hours. Visitation hours will be between 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM.
- OB Patients may have one (1) adult support person remain with them during delivery. After delivery, any four (4) individuals identified by the mother may come once to visit. No more than two (2) people may come at the same time. Once visitors leave, they cannot return. Visitation hours will be between 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM.
- Patients receiving Outpatient Surgery may have one (1) support person for additional consent needs and discharge.
- Emergency Department patients may have one (1) support person to assist with additional consent needs and discharge.
- If a patient is critically or terminally ill, a nurse manager or charge nurse for the unit may allow additional visitors. Visitors will be limited to two (2) immediate family members (or any person the patient designates) at a time. Immediate family members include spouse/significant other, children, parents, siblings, grandparents, grandchildren, in-laws, and step-relations.

The Nursing Staff or Physician On Duty will ultimately determine if visitation can be accommodated.