Visitor Policy

Effective August 19, 2020

In an effort to decrease the spread of COVID-19, we are continuing to take extra steps to protect our patients, staff, visitors and community. Our visitor policy remains limited but has been updated to reflect the newest protocols set forth by the Mississippi Department of Health and CDC. No visitors are allowed for patients who are being treated for COVID-19. Non-COVID patients may have visitors under the following limitations:

Non-COVID Admissions, Birth Center, ER and General Surgery Patients
- All non-COVID patients may have one immediate family member visit per day between 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- Visitor must stay in the room with the patient except for meals in the cafeteria.
- Visitor is allowed to stay overnight.
- Overnight visitors must be rescreened daily and receive a new visitor badge.
- NICU patients may have both parents visit at the same time.
- Pregnant patients who are receiving a non-stress test or other outpatient service may have one support person.
- Patients who have an outpatient surgery, test or procedure may have one person stay with them from admission through discharge.

Pediatric Patients
- Both parents are allowed to visit.
- One parent may stay overnight.

ICU and Cardiovascular Surgery Patients
- Two immediate family members may visit between 2:00 – 2:30 p.m.

Patients at the End of Life
- Two immediate family members at a time are allowed between 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
- Alternate visiting hours will be allowed if the patient's condition changes.
- Age of visitor may be adjusted if needed.
- Other immediate family members may stay in North Lobby and rotate in to see the patient.
- One visitor is allowed to stay overnight if the patient is not in ICU or CCU.

Tom C. Maynor Rehab Center
- One support person may visit to complete the Family Mobility Assistance Training upon discharge.

Horizons Geri-Psych Center and Swing Bed Unit
- No visitors are allowed at this time.

Cancer Center and Clinics
- One support person may accompany the patient.
- Support person must stay with the patient throughout the visit.

Other Restrictions
- All visitors must be 17 years of age or older.
- Visitor must be screened for illness upon entry to the facility to receive a visitor badge.
- Vendors must be screened and receive a vendor badge.
- Cafeteria and coffee shop patrons will receive a café badge.

Masks are required for all individuals.