



I. VISITATION

Beverly Farm shall not restrict visitation without a reasonable clinical or safety cause, consistent with 42 CFR 483.420 (c)(4-5).

Visitation should be person-centered; consider the resident's physical, mental and psychosocial well-being; and support their quality of life. Regardless of how visits are conducted at Beverly Farm, there are certain core principles and best practices that reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission. Visitors who are unable to adhere to the core principles of COVID-19 infection prevention will not be permitted to visit or will be asked to leave.

Residents who are not confirmed/suspected of COVID-19 can receive visits that are indoor, outdoor, or off grounds.

While it is safer for visitors not to enter the facility during an outbreak, visitors will still be allowed in the facility but must adhere to the core principles of infection prevention and control.

Visitation is subject to change due to guidelines of CDC and IDPH.

- a. Recommended daily visiting hours are between 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
- b. BFF encourages visitors to schedule visitations by contacting the residential home to ensure the safety and the core principles of COVID-19 infection prevention can be maintained.
- c. Visitors who have a positive viral test for COVID-19, symptoms of COVID-19, or currently meet the criteria for Quarantine, should not enter the facility.
- d. Visitors will be screened at the administration building and complete the COVID-19 waiver form prior to entering the residential locations. To help with maintaining social distancing during the re-screening process in Administration, family member/guardian may be asked to stay in their car and will be contacted by switchboard when they can enter the building for re-screening. This would occur on days when there are several visits scheduled at the same time.
- e. Visits should be conducted in a manner that adheres to the core principles of COVID-19 infection prevention and does not increase risks to other residents, which include but not limited to;
 - f. Hand hygiene
 - g. Wearing well fitted face masks (covering mouth and nose) at all times
 - h. Appropriate social distancing and PPE
- i. When a new case of COVID-19 among residents or staff is identified, visitations will be paused for that area until unit-based approach testing is complete and locations are identified.
- j. Visitation policy restrictions will be communicated to Guardians.
- k. If visitors develop symptoms of COVID -19 within 3 days after visiting, they must immediately notify the home.
- l. Once the visit is over, Staff will ensure that area/furniture has been sanitized and hand washing is completed by resident.

Visitation Locations with Residents

Visitation may utilize outdoors (patio/porch areas of the home, pavilion on main campus), dedicated indoor visitation spaces (conference rooms in Administration building), or in residents bedroom or designated area in residential home. Designated areas should allow for a minimum distancing of at least 6 feet.

*Small lobby conference room in Administration

*Board room in Administration

*Audit room in Administration

Designated areas for outdoor visitation are as follows:

Beverly Cottage-Front pavilion

Chappee Cottage-Screened in porch

Donnelley Cottage-Back porch area

Evans Cottage-Front porch area

Herring Hall-Front porch

Hillier Hall-Back patio area

Logan Cottage-Back pavilion

Group Homes-front porch areas

Stahl Cottage-Front pavilion

Hardin Apartments will designate their own area

II. VISITATION WHEN RESIDENT IS ON TRANSMISSION-BASED PRECAUTIONS

Isolation separates sick people with a contagious disease from people who are not sick. *Resident with confirmed COVID-19 will be placed on Isolation for 10 days.*

Quarantine separates and restricts the movement of people who were exposed to a contagious disease to see if they become sick. *Resident with suspected COVID-19 or exposure to someone with confirmed COVID-19 will be placed in Quarantine for 14 days. The home with confirmed COVID-19 resident will be placed in Quarantine for 14 days from the last known positive resident.*

VISITATION GUIDANCE TO FOLLOW WHEN INDIVIDUAL IS ON TRANSMISSION-BASED PRECUATIONS			
Resident Vaccination Status	Confirmed COVID-19 of Resident	Suspected COVID-19 of Resident	Exposure to someone with COVID-19 for Resident
Unvaccinated Resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate 10 days Visits should occur in resident room if possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate 14 days Visits should occur in resident room if possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate 14 days and test no earlier than 24 hours from exposure and again 5-7 days after exposure Visits should occur in resident room if possible
<p>*Well-fitted face coverings will be worn at all times, preferably those with better protection, such as surgical masks or N95. Appropriate physical distancing and PPE should be maintained during visiting.</p>			
Vaccinated Resident	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate 10 days Visits should occur in resident room if possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolate 14 days Visits should occur in resident room if possible 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Test no earlier than 24 hours from exposure and again 5-7 days after exposure Quarantine is not necessary for vaccinated resident that is asymptomatic. Resident should wear face covering for 14 days; as tolerable. Visits can occur in resident room, designated areas, and off grounds
<p>*Well-fitted face coverings will be worn at all times, preferably those with better protection, such as surgical masks or N95. Appropriate physical distancing and PPE should be maintained during visiting.</p>			
<p><i>If resident is symptomatic, regardless of vaccination status, isolate and treat as suspected COVID-19</i></p>			