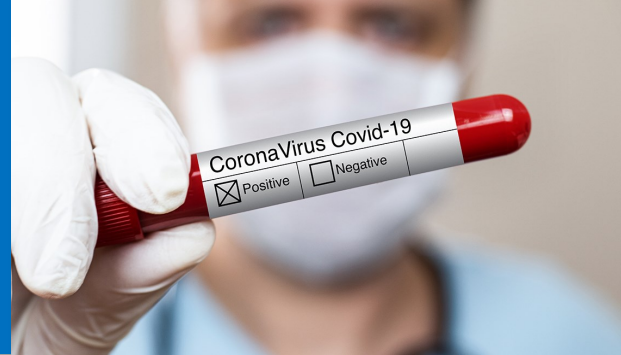# MCSA COVID-19
Visitor Guidelines
In accordance with Act 311

January 18, 2023

We recognize that visitors are an important part of the patient experience. MCSA is continuing to take proactive steps to protect our patients, team members and community with enhanced cleaning precautions, screening measures, visitor restrictions and mask requirements. Some of our areas may have slightly different restrictions; please see below for more details regarding visitor restrictions throughout the hospital.

WHEN VISITING, PLEASE ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING GUIDELINES:

- Do not enter the hospital if you are exhibiting any signs or symptoms of COVID.
- Masks must be worn in the facility, **IN ALL AREAS, AT ALL TIMES** for any person over the age of 2 years**.**
- Sanitize hands when entering the hospital and when entering or exiting patient rooms.

Patient Type	Guidelines-PER DAY	Overnight Visitor
Inpatient & Outpatient areas not including ED and ICU	Visitors are allowed daily between the hours of 7:00 am and 8:00 pm. Visitors are not limited, as long as, the visit does not interfere with the care of the patient or the recovery experience of other patients.	If the patient is a minor or needs special assistance, one person will be permitted to stay overnight.
ICU	Visitors are allowed daily between the hours of 11am-1pm and 6pm-8pm. One visitor is allowed at a time.	Overnight visitors are not allowed in ICU.
Women's Center	Two designated visitors will be allowed during the duration of the patient's stay. Visitors or siblings under 15 years of age are not allowed.	One of the two designated visitors is allowed to stay the night.
ER	Patient will be allowed two support people. Support person must be over the age of 15.	N/A
Behavioral Health Unit	Monday –Friday, 5:30 - 6:30 pm Saturday and Sunday, 2:00 –4:00 pm	N/A

MCSA strongly recommends that all visitors be vaccinated before visiting the hospital.

For information on COVID-19 vaccination locations, visit:
healthy.arkansas.gov/programs-services/topics/covid-19-map-of-1-a-pharmacy-locations

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