



COVID-19 Update

Effective March 14, 2022

NOTE: *Separate guidelines apply to Stockhoff Memorial Nursing Home.*

Visitation

- Patients receiving inpatient/swingbed services without a roommate are not required to have any visitor restrictions. Visitors of these patients are strongly encouraged to wear a mask. If a roommate is present (2 patients assigned to a room), visitors of these patients are strongly encouraged to wear a mask. If mask wearing is refused, then the patient is only allowed one visitor at a time.
- Nursing staff will attempt to assign rooms to avoid restrictions to visiting but patient census/condition may influence visiting of patients in our facility.
- Patients on Covid isolation guidelines, may not receive visitors at this time unless special circumstances apply. The Director of Nursing must be contacted for alterations to this guideline.
- Patients receiving outpatient procedures may be accompanied by one patient representative, unless stationed with inpatient/swingbed areas in which the above-mentioned guidelines apply.
- Emergency department patients may be accompanied by one patient representative at a time. Masks are strongly encouraged. If a patient is determined to be Covid positive, the Covid visiting guidelines apply.
- Pediatric patients under the age of 18 may have two designated visitors on the inpatient units.
- Out of an abundance of caution, patients who have tested positive for COVID-19, as well as those with pending test results, may not have a patient representative at this time.

Campus guidelines

All individuals entering Madison Medical Center buildings are asked to perform self-health screening questions for symptoms prior to arrival. Patients and patient representatives are strongly encouraged to wear face masks, especially if feeling ill. Patients with known exposure/symptoms of COVID-19 will be required to wear face masks. Patients are asked to please bring their own mask if possible. In addition, patients and their representatives should always be practicing proper hand hygiene.

- Social distancing measures should be observed when using waiting areas, registration areas, etc.
- Individuals are asked not to congregate in groups in common areas.
- Employees are not required to wear masks in non-patient care areas (i.e., office spaces) but they continue to be required in patient care areas (i.e., NWW, ED, etc.)
- Madison Medical Center will be continuing to maintain rigorous cleaning protocols in all areas during the COVID pandemic.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Eric Davis', is written over a horizontal line.

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MMC Chief of Medical Staff