



IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Based on encouraging public health and health care indicators overall, the Ministry has worked with the Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health (OCMOH) to plan for the gradual easing of temporary enhanced measures currently in place to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission and serious illness in long-term care homes

Accordingly, Riverside Health Care has likewise adjusted its COVID-19 visitation requirements for Long Term Care.

Starting February 7, 2022:

- There will be an increase in the maximum number of designated caregivers per resident from 2 to 4 (unless designated before December 15th).
- Continue with limit of 2 visitors (currently only caregivers) at a time per resident.
- Resuming social day absences for residents who have had at least three COVID-19 vaccine doses.
- Visitors are required to review the two (2) attached documents on ensuring social day absences are safe for the resident and the LTC Visitor Education package. The education package should be reviewed by visitors at least every thirty (30) days.

We thank you for your continued support and commitment to protecting the health and safety of those in our care, their loved ones, our team members and the community.

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