

New Visitor Restrictions - LaVerendrye General Hospital

Riverside has updated the Acute In-Patient Care Visitation policy and procedure. These temporary changes are effectively immediately.

In-Patient Acute Care Visitor Restrictions - LaVerendrye General Hospital

- Labouring patients may have one (1) designated support person with them.
- Pediatric patients may have two (2) designated support person; only one (1) at a time.
- Critically ill patients may have two (2) designated support persons; only one (1) at a time.
- Palliative patients can have four (4) designated visitors; only two (2) allowed to visit at a time.
- Alternate Level of Care (ALC) patients can have one (1) designated care partner.

Riverside continues to take preventative measures to help control the spread of respiratory illnesses, such as COVID-19. "Our primary concern is ensuring people remain healthy and safe in our hospitals," stated Julie Loveday, Executive Vice President, Clinical Services & Chief Nursing Executive. "Limiting visitors to our hospitalized patients as well as those who accompany outpatients for procedure and emergency room visits will help keep all patients and staff safe."

All visitation protocols remain in place and require strict adherence. Visitors will be screened every time they come to the hospital. To protect everyone, visitors will be given a medical grade procedure mask upon arrival and must wear this mask at all times, including the duration of the visit in a patients room. Visitors are required to clean their hands with sanitizer when entering and exiting the facility as well as exam or patient rooms.

We remind visitors that we have technology in place to have conversations via video chat applications. For Laverendrye General Hospital 1st Floor In-patient Unit call 807-274-3261 ext. 4693 and ext. 4565 to reach the 2nd Floor In-patient Unit to schedule use of this technology.

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