

Visitation Fact Sheet (6-14-21)

*On March 25, 2021, the New York State Department of Health provided updated guidance regarding visitation at skilled nursing facilities. Based on this most recent guidance, St. Joseph's Place is currently open to visitation.

*Visitors must be screened prior to being admitted to the unit and will be observed for signs & symptoms of COVID-19 during the visit; if any signs or symptoms are observed, the visitor will be asked to leave.

*If a visitor develops signs/symptoms of COVID-19 within 2 days of the visit OR tests positive for COVID-19 within 2 days of the visit, the facility MUST be notified immediately. Please call the Charge Nurse at 845-858-7070.

*Bon Secours Charity Health System is offering COVID-19 vaccination and COVID-19 testing. For more information, ask the staff member who screens you and/or supervises your visit.

*Visitors and residents must comply with social distancing and wear face masks at all times. Hand sanitizer should be used before, during and after the visit. EXCEPTION: For those residents who are fully vaccinated, residents and visitors can touch during the visit but must wear well-fitting masks.

*St. Joseph's Place will not permit any in-room visits unless the visit is a compassionate care visit, the resident doesn't have a roommate, the roommate is a spouse or the roommate is able to be relocated during the visit and the resident being visited is not able to tolerate leaving the bed/room. Visits will be outside (at the Main Street Entrance) EXCEPT under extreme weather conditions (e.g. temperatures exceeding 90 degrees, thunderstorm warnings, etc.).

*Visits are by appointment only and limited to 30 minutes. Residents are allowed 2 visitors at a time. Visits are at 10 am, 11 am and 1 pm Monday through Friday and the first and second Saturday of each month as well as at 6 pm & 6:45 pm on Monday and Thursday. Residents with last names beginning with A through L can have visits on even days; residents with last names beginning with M through Z can have visits on the odd days. Please email Maureen Torelli at Maureen_Torelli@bshsi.org to schedule an appointment.

