

Stoneridge Retirement Living Communities
Facility Revised COVID-19 Visitation Guidance

- StoneRidge Communities will be conducting visitation through the following: outdoors, dedicated visitation spaces, resident rooms based on predetermined and approved circumstances and compassionate care situations.

Core Principles and Best Practices for Visitation and COVID-19 Infection Prevention:

- All visitors who enter the facility will be screened for signs and symptoms of COVID-19. This includes a temperature check, questions about and observations of signs or symptoms. Visitors will be denied entry to the facility if they have a temperature, show signs or symptoms of COVID-19 or have had close contact with someone with a COVID-19 infection in the prior 14-days regardless of the visitor's vaccination status.
- Hand hygiene before and after visitation as well as during as needed, with use of alcohol-based hand rub as the preferred method.
- A face covering or mask that covers the mouth and nose is required at all times upon entering the facility and throughout the visitation. Individuals who do not utilize a face covering or mask will not be permitted entry.
- Social distancing at least six feet between persons during visitation.
- Preferred method of visitation, weather permitting and based on the resident's clinical status is outdoors.
- Limitation of two visitors per resident at one time is required for the facility to insure our ability to maintain the core principles of infection prevention. If additional visitors are required, pending special circumstances we ask for you to contact the facility Social Services department for review and approval prior to your visitation to the facility.
- Scheduled visitation may be required based on the facility assessment to maintain the core principles of infection prevention. If required, the visitation status will be posted on the StoneRidge website as well as outlined in the facility COVID-19 visitation status voice message.
- Visitation in resident rooms for residents who share a room will be prohibited, unless the health status of the resident prevents them from leaving the room. If this is the case the facility will attempt to enable in-room visitation while adhering to the core principles of COVID-19 infection prevention. In-room visitations must be prearranged and agreed upon by the facility prior to the resident visitation.
- We acknowledge the toll that separation and isolation has taken on both residents and their families. We also acknowledge that there is no substitute for physical contact, such as the warm embrace between a resident and their loved one. Therefore, if a resident is fully vaccinated, they can choose to have close contact, including touch, with their visitor while wearing a well-fitting face mask and performing hand-hygiene before and after.
- Visitors should physically distance from all other residents and staff in the facility during all visitation.
- Individuals who visit the facility regularly (e.g. weekly) during periods where the county positivity rate is at a medium or high risk will be encouraged to have a COVID-19 test completed prior to visitation.
- Residents who are on transmission-based precautions for COVID-19 will only be permitted to have visits that are virtual, through windows, or in-person for compassionate care situations, with adherence to transmission-based precautions.
- The facility reserves the right to revise the above guidance based on the facility assessment and the ability to adhere to the core principles of COVID-19 infection prevention as well as the requirements set by state law.