Briarwood Visitation Guidelines

Welcome! We are pleased to have you visiting our community today.

Due to current circumstances and Illinois Department of Public Health guidelines, Encore Village is obligated to inform you of risks and guidelines for your visit. While cases in the facility have been low, please be aware that you may potentially be exposed to COVID-19 while visiting. Additionally, please observe the following infection control procedures:

- Prior to visitation, screening, hand hygiene, and masking will be required.
- You will be required to wear a surgical or cloth mask that covers your nose and mouth when in common areas and in the visiting room if you or the resident are not vaccinated.
- Your visit will be allowed to take place in the designated visit room. Residents and visitors may also choose to visit outdoors.
- Vaccination Status of the Resident and Visitors play a role in what kind of visit may be allowed.
    - If the ***Resident and all Visitors are fully vaccinated***, the visit may take place without masks or social distancing.
    - If the ***Resident is fully vaccinated and any of the visitors are not***, the Resident may choose to have close contact (hand holding, hugging) during the visit. All individuals must remain masked.
    - If the ***Resident is not fully vaccinated***, then social distancing and masking for all individuals during the visit is required, regardless of visitor vaccination status.
- Masking and social distancing are still required when in common areas.
- Please notify the Director of Nursing via phone call if you experience any symptoms of COVID-19 within three days of your visit (fever, sore throat, new cough, body aches, diarrhea, chills, vomiting, new headache, loss of taste or smell, congestion/runny nose, new onset shortness of breath) or test positive for COVID-19.
- If these infection control guidelines are not followed by visitors and/or residents, staff reserve the right to end the visit.
- Thank You for Visiting! If you experience any symptoms of COVID-19 within 3 days after visiting, you must notify Encore Village immediately. Please contact Briarwood at 847 812-1022.

Come Again!

Visits must be scheduled at least 24 hours in advance. Please make a visit appointment directly online at: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D49ADA82FA0FCCF8-briarwood If you need assistance, please contact the Briarwood Life Enrichment Office at 847 884-5216