

LAKE CHELAN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL & CLINICS

CoV-19 Hospital & Clinic Visitor Policy- version 3/18/2020

Mitigation strategies and include:

1. Funnel and limit hospital entrance access (including vendors)
2. Screen all persons upon entry
3. All visitors sign-in and receive a visitor badge.

Screening Tool:

- Age: No visitors under 18 years of age. [Exceptions for end-of-life care & no other guardian present.](#)
- Monitor temperature of anyone requesting entry. Ask for symptoms of fever, coughing, sneezing, sore throat, or trouble breathing.

If any of these conditions are present, the individual will not be allowed to enter the hospital as a visitor.

Visitors Allowed:

1. ALL patients on Medical Surgical Unit (MSU/OR) and Patients who are under the age of 18:
 - May have one (1) visitor or guardian per DAY.
 - Must stay in the room for the duration of the visit.
2. Obstetric Patients:
 - Laboring mothers may have one partner and one birth support person accompany them.
 - No visitors under the age of 18 years-old, including siblings.
3. Patients on End of Life Care:
 - May have only 2 visitors per Day.
 - Must stay in the room for the duration of the visit.
4. ER /Outpatient / Lake Chelan Clinic:
 - Patients who have an appointment at Lake Chelan Clinic, Laboratory, Radiology, Physical Therapy, or are visiting the Emergency Department may have 1 person with them.
5. Sanctuary:
 - No visitors.

No visitors will be allowed in rooms of Persons Under Investigation (PUIs) who are over the age of 18 years-old or COVID-19 positive patients (unless at end of life).

Visitors Must:

- Clean hands with sanitizer or soap / water upon entry/exit from hospital & patient room.
- Wear badge or label indicating that they have been approved for the visit.