



## **Residential Program Visitation Guidelines**

**6/19/2020**

**\*No visitation will be allowed in homes where there is a suspected or positive case of Covid-19**

**\*A maximum of 2 people will be permitted for each visit. Visitors must be 18 years of age or older.**

### **Scheduling**

- Visitors must call the Manager to schedule a ***half hour*** visit with their loved one. This will allow for each families visitation requests to be accommodated on any given day.
- Visits must be scheduled at least 24 hours in advance with house management.
- Manager will maintain a Master schedule of all visitation to ensure no overlapping of visits, and enough time between visits to sanitize all surfaces.
- Visitation hours will be between the hours of 2-7 pm on Monday through Friday and 10-6pm on weekends and holidays.

### **Screening**

- Staff (to the extent possible Management, Nursing and/or AMAP staff) will utilize the Screening checklist and ensure both temperature, symptom checks, and required screening questions are completed prior to entrance into house.
- All visitors must present with no symptoms and a temperature below 99.9 in order for the visit to proceed.
- Documentation of required screening is to be kept on the Visitor Log.
- The visitor(s) is required to wear face covering. If they do not have an appropriate face covering, a surgical mask will be supplied for the visit.
- Once screened, visitor will be required to wash hands in the designated bathroom or use appropriate hand sanitizer.
- The manager will designate a bathroom for use throughout the visit.
- Staff will disinfect the bathroom after each use.

### **Visit**

- As much as possible staff must ensure visits take place outdoors with proper social distancing, or in bedrooms if individuals have a single bedroom. Homes can designate a space in the home for private visitation, if available. Examples include recreation rooms, offices, extra den. The use of other people's bedrooms or common space in the house is not permitted.
- Dining during the visit is not permitted.
- All visits must occur onsite at the house. No offsite visits are permitted at this time.
- Privacy should be provided to the extent possible during all visits. Visitors should follow all safety precautions and protocols.
- Visitors need to be mindful of the visitation time frames to ensure that all people supported have the ability to spend time with their loved ones.

**\*As of the date of this document, there has been no change to the  
OPWDD restriction on community outings or home visit**

**\*\*Subject to change based on further guidance from DOH, OPWDD or CDC**