

# Deer Lodge Medical Center

## Temporary Visitation Restrictions

The well-being of our patients and caregivers is our top priority, especially during this time. With COVID-19 circulating in our communities, Deer Lodge Medical Center is taking steps to ensure the safety of our patients and our facility as we provide care to our patients.

The following visitor restrictions will apply beginning Tuesday, February 2, 2021. Please follow posted signage and directives from on-site Deer Lodge Medical Center employees.

### **Inpatient:**

Acute and Transitional Care Unit patients will be allowed to name up to three people they would like to have as visitors during their hospital stay. These people will be documented on the patient's "Visitor List". All visitor lists will be kept on the back of the screening questionnaire clipboard by the ED entrance. There are no restrictions on who can be on the list, it is up to the patient.

All visitors will be screened upon entry. If negative they will be required to wear a surgical mask and must remain in the patient's room at all times. If positive they will not be allowed as visitor but will be offered to be seen as a patient.

Visiting hours will be from 1200 to 1900 every day of the week. Only one visitor will be allowed at a time. An exception to this is if the visitors live in the same household then they can come in at the same time.

### **Emergency Department:**

Patients may have one of the following essential visitors at the discretion of the Hospitalist: Power of Attorney, Spouse, Guardian, Parent, Adult Child, or Primary Caregiver.

### **Outpatient Clinics: (including Surgery, Physical Therapy, Cardiac Rehab, DL Clinic)**

Patients may have one of the following essential visitors at the discretion of the patient care team: Power of Attorney, Spouse, Guardian, Parent, Adult Child, or Primary Caregiver.