



Visiting Palliative Care

At Providence Healthcare, we recognize that family and friends play an important role in the lives of our patients. We welcome family and friends 24/7 according to the wishes of our patients.

Please respect the following guidelines when visiting a patient:

- The number of people welcomed at any one time is best decided in agreement with the patient and the healthcare team as well as with other patients in a shared room.
- The size of the room may limit the number of family and friends who can visit at one time. Speak with staff about alternate visiting locations.
- We may need to limit visits or ask you to leave the room for a short period of time to protect the safety, privacy or rights of other patients.
- Children must be supervised by an adult other than the patient.
- Quiet Time is between 8:30 p.m. and 7 a.m. Please keep your voices low to respect the needs of patients trying to rest.
- Visitors arriving during Quiet Time are asked to sign our Visitor Log Book and obtain a visitor sticker from the nursing station.
- Family and friends who arrive at our Palliative Care entrance after 11:30 p.m. will need to ring the buzzer to open the door. You will be asked to identify yourself and the patient you will be visiting.
- Visitors are cautioned not to visit if you have symptoms of a cold or flu-like illness, undiagnosed skin rashes, nausea, vomiting and/or diarrhea.