

Pennwood Village Pennwood Home Care

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Hi everyone,

Great news! As at 12.01am 14th December 2020 the Aged Care Directions in place have been updated <https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/emergency-declarations/aged-care>

There are now no restrictions on the number of relatives and friends that can visit a resident of Pennwood Aged Care.

To be permitted to visit, you must:

- Wear a mask (covering nose and mouth) at all times when in the physical presence of other people. Residents and children under 12 are exempt. **This requirement will be removed on the 23rd December 2020.**
- Provide documentation of your flu vaccination (babies under 6 months old are exempt). Please contact us directly if you are unable to provide this.
- Have no symptoms of illness for the proceeding 72 hours – you will need to be temperature checked and sign in (for contact tracing purposes).
- You will also still need to sign a declaration that you haven't recently arrived in South Australia from anywhere outside South Australia that was not a low community transmission zone.
- Confirm that you are not currently awaiting the results of a COVID test. Please remember, it is illegal to enter the premises if you have had a COVID test and are awaiting the result

We are still required to maintain social distancing and visitors are still required to stay out of communal areas where other residents reside. Please stay only in the resident's room.

Because we still need to ensure staff are available to screen visitors as they come in, we ask (where possible) you visit between 7.30am and 5.00pm Monday to Friday, and between 1pm – 4pm Saturdays and Sundays. You no longer need to make appointments to come in, however, if you need to visit outside of these hours we ask that you do book so we can ensure staff are aware and can ensure they are available to conduct the temperature screening when you arrive. As we still need to adhere to SA Health's requirement of social distancing in communal areas, it may be that you will be required to wait outside the front door if there is another family being temperature screened on arrival. This is to ensure the administration area does not go over the maximum number of people. This won't take long and we thank you in advance for your understanding with this.

Please let me know if you need any clarification on this, and please pass on this information to any family or friends who visit Pennwood.

Again, I would like to thank you all for your understanding during this difficult year, and we are all so pleased to see a 'light at the end of the tunnel'.

Take care, and we look forward to seeing you soon.





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