



Hospice Wellington Residential Visitor Policy

Consultation

This policy is established in consultation with the Hospice Wellington Medical Advisor

As of **Thursday, June 18th 2020** Hospice Wellington's Residential Visitor Policy will be as follows:

Residential In-Door Visits:

- Visitors to Residents in-doors and in rooms will be limited to two (2) rotating visitors
- No more than 2 visitors will be allowed in a room at the same time
- Visitor rotation and entry to facility will be monitored by Hospice staff
- Requirements will include:
 - Screening prior to entering facility
 - Completion of Screening Tool and Temperature upon Entry and Exit each day
 - Masks must be worn at all times
 - Hand sanitizing

Overnight Visits:

- Overnight visitors will be limited to one (1) only

Outdoor Porch Visits

- Only one (1) Resident bed permitted on porch at one time
- Porch visit limited to two (2) rotating visitors at one time
- Patio doors will be locked at 8pm every evening, with no porch visits arranged after that time
- Visitors must wear masks at all times
- Hand sanitizing

Indoor Window Visits

- One (1) Resident bed permitted at window at one time
- Window visit limited to a maximum of five (5) people outside of window at one time
- Visitors must wear masks at all times
- Hand sanitizing

Honouring Ceremonies

Policy for Honouring Ceremonies will remain as current and take place outside the front door of the Residence
A maximum of ten (10) visitors will be allowed to attend

Visitors must wear masks at all times

Monitoring

All Porch and Window visits will be dependent upon clinical staff availability and ability to facilitate.

Evaluation

Ongoing evaluation by Medical Advisor, Director of Care and Executive Director, to determine revisions if needed.