



ANDERSON

Regional Health System

COVID-19 Visitor Policy

Effective March 26, 2020

Under the guidance of protocols set forth by the Mississippi Department of Health and CDC to help decrease the spread of COVID-19, NO VISITORS are allowed until further notice, except under limited circumstances.

Only under the conditions listed below are visitors allowed to enter an Anderson facility:

- Laboring Moms — Spouse/partner (must remain with the patient from admit through discharge)
- Pediatric Hospital (including NICU), Emergency and Clinic patients — 1 parent/guardian per day; must be screened between 10 a.m.-5 p.m.
- End of Life situations — Spouse/significant other and immediate family (2 at a time)
- Patients undergoing emergency surgery — 1 support person
- Tom C. Maynor Rehab Center patients — 1 person for discharge training
- Clinic patients requiring assistance with entry into the clinic or ambulation inside the clinic will be assisted by a staff member

Other restrictions:

All patients/visitors must enter through a screening check point.

- Anderson - North:
 - North Lobby off parking garage (near museum/coffee shop)
 - Emergency Admissions entrance
- Anderson - South: Main Lobby and Annex (ground floor entrance from parking lot)
- Anderson Regional Cancer Center: Main Entrance
- Other Anderson Facilities/Clinics: Main Entrance
- **Children under the age of 18 will not be allowed** to enter the hospital; children cannot be left unattended while an adult visits a patient.
- Individuals who are not approved as a visitor must leave the facility.
- Visitors who are allowed in the facility **MUST** stay with the patient the **ENTIRE TIME** of the visit.

A visitor will only be allowed to enter the facility if he/she is found to be free of respiratory infection symptoms (fever, runny nose, cough, or shortness of breath).

During this time, our staff is placing a special emphasis on keeping the lines of communication open between hospital staff and families so they can stay up-to-date on their loved ones' care.

For more information, visit [AndersonRegional.org](https://www.AndersonRegional.org)