



May 14, 2021 - COVID / Visitation Update

Greetings from Midway Nursing Home!

Midway Nursing Home remains **COVID free** with no new COVID positive cases for residents and staff! Ongoing weekly testing of residents and twice weekly testing of staff continues.

Resident visits are in full swing and our residents are enjoying the love they have been receiving from their family and friends!

Visits are outside, weather permitting. Visiting sessions are for 1 hour and are 10:30 AM to 11:30 AM and 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM on the scheduled day for the unit. Visit reservations are on a first come first serve basis as space is limited to allow for privacy, social distancing and maintaining appropriate infection control measures during and between visit sessions. If for some reason, you are not able to keep your scheduled visit, please advise us as soon as possible so that another resident can use your time slot. To schedule your visit, please call Connie Leone on x307.

All visitors must be 18 years or older and will be screened and offered a rapid COVID test upon arrival which is highly recommended by the DOH & CDC. Please be sure to arrive 20 minutes prior to your scheduled visit to allow time for screening and testing so that you can start your visit session promptly. Masks must always be worn while on Midway's premises regardless of vaccination status. All visitors are asked to present a photo ID and proof of COVID vaccination, if fully vaccinated. A copy of both will be taken as part of contact tracing and our reporting requirements to NYSDOH.

We are currently securing COVID vaccination proof from visitors so that we can soon coordinate fully vaccinated visitors and fully vaccinated residents in a designated area where barriers will be removed, and visits can be more intimate. For visits where any visitor or resident is not fully vaccinated, barriers and social distancing will remain in place. Please call the facility and ask for the confidential fax number or email address to send your vaccination proof or bring it with you to your next visit.

Virtual/Facetime visits are available daily. Please speak to someone in Recreation or Social Services to schedule a virtual/Facetime visit.

We look forward to seeing you soon!