

# Visitor guidelines

H3 Family Centered Maternity Care



## Welcome and congratulations!

For the wellbeing and safety of our patients and staff, please see the following visitor guidelines:

- Each birthing patient is permitted one designated support person to stay with them, in their room, for the entire duration of their hospitalization, in addition to 1 credentialed doula.
- In addition to the designated support person and credentialed doula, each birthing patient may have up to two additional visitors in their room at any time during regular visiting hours, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. If a patient has more than two visitors, they may rotate visitors during this time to accommodate everyone.
- Visitors must get visitor passes from the unit clerk upon entering the unit and return passes before leaving the unit.
- Children of the birthing patient (any age) may visit during visiting hours. They must always have an adult other than the patient with them. Please note, children visitation may change during peak times of illness.
- Children over the age of 12 are allowed to visit but must have a visitor pass and be accompanied by an adult.
- Children/visitors may be asked to leave during time sensitive care/emergencies/or staff discretion.
- Patients under the age of 18 may only have a legal parent/guardian stay as a designated support person past visiting hours or overnight.
- Any aggressive (verbal or physical) visitor will be escorted off unit and not allowed to return.

Thank you.