

St. Joseph's Home for the Elderly
Little Sisters of the Poor
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Dear Families and Friends of our Residents,

After another round of testing last Tuesday, our results are still very good for the Residents; all are negative. One additional staff member has tested positive and is remaining at home in quarantine.

We are happy to say that we can now invite you to sign up for visits! We are proceeding with caution and according to the IDPH guidelines. Starting this Friday, you will be able to have a 45-minute visit with your loved one, but the guidelines are stringent:

- Visits are by appointment only
- Limited to two people per Resident at a time
- Visits are to be held outside the home, on the patio or near the front entrance. You will be instructed as to which area to use.
- Visitors must be screened by telephone the day before the visit and again upon arrival.
- The duration of the visit is 45 minutes.
- Social distancing rules must be adhered to.
- Masks must be worn at all times. Gloves will be provided.
- Carol Broderick, a volunteer, will schedule the visits. Please email her at rawsonb@aol.com
Important: Please put the words **Visit St Joseph's Home** in the subject line. Give her your **name, phone number, the person you are visiting and the day and time you would like**. She will email you to confirm your reservation. (it is on a first come, first serve basis) she will also call you the day before your visit to ask a few routine screening questions. Unless you hear from her, your visit is not confirmed.

The Schedule for each day will be as follows:

9:00 am
10:00 am
11:00 am- except on Sundays
1:15 pm
2:15 pm
3:15 pm
4:15 pm
6:15 pm

We look forward to seeing you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you for your understanding and patience during these challenging times. God bless you.

Mother Margaret Charles, Isp
Administrator