

COVID-19 Screening

Screening Questions and Temperature Guidelines

***If a visitor passes screening and would like to visit or accompany a patient, the department must be contacted for an exception to be made.**
(Approved visitors must be 18 and over. Young adults must show proof of age)

When screening please follow the instructions listed below:

1. Inquire why the guest is presenting themselves; patient or visitor.
2. Do temperature check.
 - a. **Patient:** If patient's temperature is 100.0F or over, move forward with remaining questions then call department to determine if appropriate for appointment. If temp is below 100, move forward with screening.
 - b. **Visitor:** If visitor's temperature is 100.0F or over, they do not meet criteria for a visitor exception. Screening does not need to continue. If temp is below 100, move forward with screening.

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<p>In the past two weeks, have you tested positive for COVID-19 or knowingly been exposed to anyone with COVID-19?</p> <p>Patient: If YES, contact department/provider for guidance</p> <p>Visitor: If YES, no entry allowed unless there is exception from departmental/clinical leadership.</p>
<p>Have you traveled outside of Connecticut, New York, or Rhode Island in the last 14 days? (If no, continue screening.) If yes, which state did you travel to?</p> <p>Current (as of July 7) Quarantine List: Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Idaho, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Nevada, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient: If YES to one of the states on the quarantine list, contact department/provider for guidance re. whether patient is appropriate for appointment or should be rescheduled or converted. Inform patient of decision. • Visitors: If YES to one of the states on the quarantine list, no entry allowed (must quarantine for 14 days from date of return).
<p>Do you have any of the following signs/symptoms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fever or chills • New cough • New shortness of breath or difficulty breathing • New sore throat • New loss of taste or smell • New congestion or runny nose • New vomiting or diarrhea <p>Patient: If YES, no entry allowed. Contact department/provider for guidance regarding rescheduling or converting. Inform patient of decision.</p> <p>Visitor: If YES, no entry allowed.</p>