



For the safety of our patients, staff, and community, the following visitation guidelines are in place to ensure the safety of your baby and our visitors.

What to Expect When You Arrive

- **Screening:** All visitors will be screened upon arrival. Please note that we cannot allow anyone with signs and symptoms of illness to visit patients in our hospital. This includes fever, vomiting, cough, congestion, and/or diarrhea.
- **Masks:** Based on CDC recommendations for the public, all visitors to Sinai Hospital are required to wear a mask. The mask should fit snugly over your nose and mouth. *It is important to wear your mask properly, covering both your mouth and nose, always.* Masks must be worn by parents and caregivers when in the hospital and in your patient's room.
- **Infection Prevention Practices:** Proper infection prevention practices, which includes masking, handwashing/sanitizing and social distancing, must be followed by all visitors and will be reinforced by staff throughout the hospital.

Visitation Guidelines

- Visiting parents/caregivers and other visitors must be healthy to help protect our patients and staff safe from exposure and illness. Those in quarantine and/or with pending COVID-19 test results and/or exposed to COVID-19 in the past 5 days and/or have symptoms of illness cannot be in the hospital.
- Parents may identify up to six support people (including siblings) who may visit their child. The following conditions apply. **Visitors must:**
 - always wear a surgical mask (surgical mask may be placed over your cloth mask) and comply with other visitation/infection prevention practices and guidelines.
 - siblings greater than 5 yrs. old may visit and must be supervised at all times
 - the support people **cannot** be changed for the duration of the child's hospitalization
 - no more than four people at the bedside at one time, to allow for social distancing.

For the protection of your child, we strongly encourage you and other caregivers in your family to get vaccinated. Please see the [Maryland.gov](https://www.maryland.gov) website to schedule an appointment to get your vaccine.