

Prestwick Care

Visit types and requirements for safe visiting

(updated April 2023)

NB these notes do not relate to visitors to residents on EOL (end of life care) as there are no restrictions on these visits

Type of visit	Number of visitors	Pre visit requirements	PPE needed during visit
<p>Relatives visiting when the Home is not in midst of a Covid-19 outbreak</p>	<p>No restrictions, although the Home may request that groups of 3 or more check with the Home that the visit can be safely facilitated.</p> <p>Visitors should go directly to the Resident room or the designated visiting area and remain there for the full visit.</p> <p>Visits into communal areas will be kept to a minimum.</p> <p>If children are supervised there is no restriction on their visits.</p>	<p>There is currently no requirement for visitors to test for Covid-19.</p> <p>There is also no requirement to have temperature recorded prior to admission or to sign to say that they are well.</p> <p>We expect that visitors remain responsible and do not attend the Home if they are experiencing symptoms or have been in recent contact with Covid 19.</p>	<p>Visitors need to be encouraged to thoroughly wash hands prior to leaving the Resident's room.</p> <p>Visitors do not need to wear Masks, Gloves or Aprons</p>
<p>Relatives visiting when the Home is in midst of a Covid-19 outbreak.</p>	<p>There are no restrictions on the number of visitors for each Resident, however, these visitors must attend the Home one at a time i.e. one Resident can have for example four visitors in one day as long as they do not visit together.</p>	<p>As above</p>	<p>A fluid-resistant surgical mask (FRSM) must be worn throughout the visit in the Home.</p> <p>When in the Resident's room, an apron and gloves are to be worn although gloves can be removed for handholding as long as hands are washed prior to leaving the room.</p> <p>The apron and gloves are to be removed and disposed of prior to leaving the Resident's room.</p>