



Protocol For Community Access and Travel for Individuals Receiving Services

Horizons is taking active measures to assure the health and safety of individuals receiving services and the staff who support them. Individuals receiving services have the right to access their community and Horizons has a responsibility to maintain the health, safety, and welfare of their housemates and staff persons. In order to balance these needs and support individuals to access activities of their choosing in their community, Horizons will follow the procedure listed below and implement safety measures, up to and including quarantine, based on individually assessed risk factors, including vaccination status.

Horizons encourages individuals and their families to practice the Seven Commitments to Containment when accessing their community or spending time with their family members.

1. Maintain social distancing of 6 feet or more
2. Wash hands often
3. Cover your face in public
4. Stay at home if at risk or when sick
5. Seek testing immediately if you develop symptoms
6. Avoid large gatherings (10+ people)
7. Get Vaccinated

Community Access and Visiting with Friends and Family

Day Visits

- Fully vaccinated¹ individuals will not be required to quarantine following day-to-day community access but must wash their hands upon returning to the facility and don a surgical mask when outside of their bedroom for the following 14 days.
- Non-vaccinated or partially vaccinated² individuals will be evaluated for risk upon their return to the facility and may be required to quarantine following high-risk activities. Factors involved in determining risk will include degree of community spread, the participation in large group activities, travel, and failure of the individual to follow recommended precautions.

Overnight visits

- Fully vaccinated¹ individuals will not be required to quarantine must wash their hands upon returning to the facility and don a surgical mask when outside of their bedroom for the following 14 days.
- Non-vaccinated or partially vaccinated² individuals will be required to quarantine for 14 days to monitor for symptoms of covid-19. During this time the individual person must monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, cough, respiratory distress, sore throat, muscle aches, chills, new loss of taste or smell, headache) and notify their supervisor if they experience any symptoms.⁴

Travel³

Fully vaccinated¹ individuals now have increased flexibility regarding travel.

Fully vaccinated¹ individuals traveling domestically:

- Fully vaccinated individuals do not need to get tested before or after travel unless their destination requires it.
- Fully vaccinated individuals do not need to self-quarantine upon return.

- Individuals must participate in daily symptom screening for symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, cough, respiratory distress, sore throat, muscle aches, chills, new loss of taste or smell, headache)⁴.
- Individuals must participate in surveillance testing each week as required by CDPHE.

Fully vaccinated¹ individuals traveling internationally:

- The individual must quarantine for 5 days before receiving a COVID-19 test. All staff working with them must wear full PPE (as discussed in the Procedure for Donning and Doffing PPE) and the individual must wear a surgical mask whenever they are outside of their bedroom for 14 days.
- If the results of the test are negative then the individual can leave quarantine but must monitor for symptoms³ and wear a surgical mask whenever they are outside of their bedroom for 14 days (since date of return).
- The individual person must be re-tested in 5 days.

For non-vaccinated individuals who travel² and are determined to be at high risk of COVID-19 exposure they must quarantine for 14 days while monitoring for symptoms. All staff working with them must wear full PPE (as discussed in the Procedure for Donning and Doffing PPE) and the individual must wear a surgical mask whenever they are outside of their bedroom.

- Individuals must participate in symptom screening 2x per day for symptoms of COVID-19 (fever, cough, respiratory distress, sore throat, muscle aches, chills, new loss of taste or smell, headache)⁴.
- If they do not experience any symptoms the individual can end their quarantine starting the first day after the 14 day quarantine period is complete.
- There is no test-based system to shorten quarantine for individual who have not been vaccinated.

Known Contact with COVID-19

If at any point, an individual is notified that during their community access or home visit they have had close contact with someone who is positive for covid-19 they will be required to quarantine for 14 days, regardless of vaccination status.

1. Fully vaccinated means that it is ≥ 2 weeks after someone received their second dose of a FDA approved 2-dose series vaccine (i.e. Pfizer or Moderna) or ≥ 2 weeks after someone received their single-dose of a FDA approved single-dose vaccine (i.e. Johnson & Johnson's Janssen vaccine).
2. Partially vaccinated means that someone has received 1 dose of a FDA approved 2-dose series vaccine (i.e. Pfizer or Moderna).
3. The definition of travel will change based on current guidance by the previously listed entities. This procedure will be followed based on current definitions at the time of travel.
4. If individuals are experiencing symptoms staff must follow the *Procedure for Monitoring Individuals Receiving Services for COVID-19* including isolating the individual, donning appropriate ppe, notifying the nurse or program coordinator, and seeking testing.