



IN-PERSON VISITATION: SAFETY PROTOCOLS / RESTRICTIONS – BEGINS DEC. 4, 2021

- Adherence to CDC/ADPH guidelines regarding social distancing, masks, and sanitation will be required while the visitor is inside of the facility.
- Sanitation of the visitation area and all equipment will be accomplished before visitation begins, between each visitation session, and after visitation concludes at the end of the day.
- Inmates will be provided a mask upon entry to the visitation yard and will be expected to dispose of the mask when departing visitation.
- Visitors waiting in line to be screened for entry will be required to stand six (6) feet apart and will be expected to wear a disposable mask.
- After screening, the visitor will discard the mask they are wearing and will be provided a new disposable mask to wear during the visit and until they depart the facility.
- All visitors will be screened at entry (temperature check, questions regarding exposure to COVID-19, etc.).
- Visits will be limited to one (1) hour.
- No food or drinks will be allowed or made available during visitation.
- No touching will be allowed between inmates and visitors.
- Limit of two (2) visitors per inmate, this includes children. Only two visitors, total, per inmate.
- Visitors and inmate will be seated six (6) feet apart, with plexiglass barrier between the inmate and visitors.
- Scheduling of visits will be accomplished at the facility level.
- Frequency of one (1)-hour visits will be determined facility-by-facility, depending on the availability of visitation yards, staffing, and the number of inmates who qualify for a visit.
- A random selection of ten percent (10%) of participating inmates will be rapid-tested for COVID-19 weekly.

** Visitors should plan to arrive one full hour before their scheduled visit to ensure their visit starts on time. The one (1)-hour visit will not be considered to have “started” until the inmate and their visitor(s) are together.*

WORK RELEASE/WORK CENTER PROGRAMS: SAFETY PROTOCOLS / RESTRICTIONS – BEGINS DEC. 4, 2021

- Employers will ensure transportation and work sites are sanitized before inmates arrive, during their workday, and after inmates' departure.
- Inmates and their employer will wear masks during transport to/from the facility.
- Inmates are encouraged to wear masks while at their work site but may follow the guidance of their employer during the workday.
- The employer will be required to report to the warden and/or facility head any known COVID-19 exposures at the workplace.
- A random selection of twenty percent (20%) of participating inmates will be rapid tested for COVID-19 monthly.

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The ADOC may pause visitation or job assignments at any given facility upon any extenuating circumstances to include: an increase in community infection rates with warning from the ADPH; an increase in inmate infection rates at a given facility; and, an increase in staff infection rates at a given facility.