

COVID-19 Visitation Plan

Commencing 2nd June to 6th July 2020

This week, regional travel and re-opening of cafes, pubs and restaurants has seen our wider community further return to Pre-COVID-19 activities.

It is important that older Australians and in particular those who live in Aged Care Facilities such as Mareeba, continue to maintain caution over the coming months.

We will continue to work together with residents and their visitors to find the right balance between protecting residents from COVID-19 and providing vital social connections and support.

If you **feel you need to visit** your loved one at Mareeba Aged Care, the following will apply:

- **Face to Face** visiting days will change to Monday-PM, Wednesday- AM and Friday- AM as of the 15th June and remain unchanged for the month up to 6th July.
- **Video calls** via ZOOM- will be available Tuesdays and Thursdays
Please call the Admin Team between 8am and 4pm to schedule a time.
- Current booking system remains unchanged
- Maximum 1 hr duration of visit & occur in private rooms or outdoor veranda areas.
- Number of visitors per hour will be regulated to 1 visitor per wing
- Hand hygiene, social distancing and respiratory etiquette remain mandatory.
- Health check on entry
- Residents will be permitted 2 time allocations per week for alternate family members.
- Special requirements for visitors who reside outside the Local Health District- as per flyer.
- All visitors must show proof of a current Flu Vaccination as of 1 May 2020
- Entry to Mareeba on compassionate grounds for unwell or palliative residents has remain unchanged and is reviewed case-by-case..

If you have any concerns or questions please contact us to discuss. You can also keep up to date with information via our Facebook page and website:

<https://www.mareebaagedcare.com.au>



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