




# Restrictions on visiting Residential Aged Care Facilities

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## Who can visit?

 Family members and friends	 Health care professionals
 Residential aged care facility employees, contractors, and volunteers	 Legal practitioners and regulatory officials
 Emergency services and law enforcement	 People providing goods and services, including professional services such as hairdressers and advocates
 Prospective residents	 Children of all ages

## What do I need to do to visit?

 Flu vaccination required (excluding children under 6 months or if the flu vaccination is not reasonably available)	 No travel from Greater Sydney Region, NSW Central Coast, Wollongong or overseas (except New Zealand)
 Have no symptoms of illness (fever and chills, cough, loss of taste and smell, sore throat, runny nose, and shortness of breath)	 No contact with a confirmed case of COVID-19 in the past 14 days and not awaiting the results of a COVID-19 test

Follow the guidance of the facility about how and when visits can be undertaken.

Exceptions will be made for end of life support and care.

Please talk to your aged care facility about how they can accommodate these visits.