



TO: All Patients, Visitors and Hospital Staff

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SUBJECT: **Children's Hospital: 201 Michael J. Smith Lane**
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SUBJECT: **Holiday Visitation**

Christmas Eve-12/24/18

- Extended visitation for all children & adolescent units will begin after the assigned meal times.
- Visitation ends at 3:00PM. There will be no other visitation on this day.

Christmas Day-12/25/18

- Extended visitation for all children & adolescent units will begin at the already assigned meal times.
- Patients are invited to have up to 2 family members join them free of charge for the lunchtime meal. Complimentary meal tickets are obtained from the receptionist staff, and must be presented to the food service staff at the serving line.
- Family members attending lunch should arrive at the scheduled mealtime or later for visitation only.
- At the end of their meal-time, patients and visitors will be escorted to the gym for the remainder of the visitation time, which ends at 3:00PM. There will be no other visitation on this day.
- Due to the large number of visitors on holidays, please plan to arrive 15 minutes early to check-in with the receptionist.
- Visitation schedules will return to normal the day after Christmas (Wednesday, 12/26/18).
- **Visitors are limited to 2 wrapped gifts that need to be brought back to the unit by staff and opened at the nursing station. Anything considered contraband will be sent back with the visitor or logged onto the belongings list and placed in storage until discharge.**

New Year's Eve & New Year's Day

- Normal visitation hours.

Unit	Lunch	Visitation
1 West A	12:00pm-12:30pm	12:30pm-3:00pm Outpatient Group Room
1 North	12:30pm-1:00 pm	12:30pm-3:00pm 1 West B Day Room
1 South	1:00p-1:30p	1:00pm-3:00pm Remain in Dining Room