

## **VISITOR POLICY**

Effective Monday, August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 OakBend Medical Center will implement a modification to our Visitor Policy to allow **one visitor per patient per day.** This decision comes as a result of weeks of research, executive team meetings, and assessment of the impact of COVID-19 hospital wide as well as across the Greater Houston and Fort Bend communities. The executive team has taken all of these factors into consideration in order to ensure that we can continue to provide a healthy and safe working environment for not only our OakBend patients, but our staff and physicians.

Please review the details of our modified Visitor Policy and exclusions:

- One visitor per patient per day
- Visiting hours are 9:00 AM 8:00 PM
- No visitors under the age of 18 allowed
- No visitors allowed on the COVID-19 unit as well as isolation patients until further notice
- No visitors allowed in Skilled Nursing Facility
- The main lobby doors will remain closed after 5:00 PM. The Emergency Room entrance will remain open 24/7.
- Cloth masks are not allowed at OakBend facilities. Patients and visitors will be provided a surgical mask upon entry to facility.