Visiting Regulations - Phase 4

Facility: JRCC and JRMU
Effective Date: March 14, 2022

VISITATION PURPOSE AND SCOPE
The James River Correctional Center (JRCC and JRMU) encourages visitation by family, friends, and community groups to maintain the morale of the population and to continue pro-social relationships.

As part of the institution’s continued mitigation efforts during the global pandemic:

The following protocols will be required during phase 4:

- Visitors are no longer required to preschedule their visits and may present themselves for visitation at the designated visiting times. (JRCC)
- Visitation will be held inside the visiting room; there is no restriction on the number of visitors and children other than the max capacity of the room.
- Visitors must have a photo identification with them to visit.
- Persons who are not on the resident’s visiting list may not visit. A visiting application must be filled out and approved through proper channels prior to visiting.
- Food and drink will be allowed for purchasing; vending machines are available in the visiting room.
- Testing - Visitors will complete a BinaxNOW test prior to entry into the facility; this includes minors 6 years and older.
- Masking- Must wear a mask pending a negative test result; upon notification of negative test, follow facility masking protocols.

Each Wednesday the Warden will review the facility mitigation protocol for entrance into the facility based on the following guidelines:

- Statewide COVID Hospital Bed Utilization is below 75
- Facility Positivity Rate
- County Positivity Rate (14 day rolling average)

The masking mandate is subject to change based off review of the guidelines above. JRCC will post the facility COVID status signs at each entrance into the facility buildings.
James River Correctional Center (JRCC) Visiting Schedule (per JRCC Addendum page 6):
Tuesday, Thursday* and Friday: 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm
*Thursday: Adults Only visitation
Weekends and Holidays:
08:30 am – 10:30 am (*Adults Only visitation)
10:30 am – 3:00 pm  (No visitors will be processed after 2pm for count. Visitors in the visiting room after count starts will remain in visiting until count is clear)
- Residents with the last name starting with A-L will be allowed to visit on Saturdays
- Residents with the last name starting with M-Z will be allowed to visit on Sundays.

*Adults Only Visitation means no one under the age of 18 can visit during this time.

James River Minimum Unit Visiting Schedule (JRMU) (per JRMU Addendum page 3):
Wednesday and Thursdays – 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm
Sundays – 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm

In order to receive a visit, a request slip (located in the sergeant’s office) must be turned in to the resident’s Case Manager by Monday evening,

Visitors must report to the JRCC Main Gate for BinaxNOW testing prior to visiting at JRMU for their visit.