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What are the policies/procedures/protocols for acute inpatient mental health units as they consider opening up visitation for inpatients in the midst of a Pandemic?

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|  | Is your acute inpatient mental health unit currently allowing visitors?  If no, is there a plan to begin opening up the unit to visitors?           If not, can you please explain why? |  Is there criteria that guides the team’s decision to allow for visitation? | Is there specific criteria that visitors have to meet before being allowed onto the floor?  | Where does visitation occur and is visitor time limit enforced? | After visitors leave, what is the cleaning process and who is responsible for completing? |
| ***Martina Nuttall***  ***RN BScN CPMHN(c)******Clinical Nurse Specialist******Mental Health Programs*****Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre**Phone: (807)684-6962Pager: (807)626-8924 | Now we are. Patients are allowed one "care partner" (must be the same person) that can visit between 1700-2000. Visits are limited to one per day. |  |  | In our dining room with one visit every other table to allow physical distancing (tables and chairs are wiped down after visits) | Nurses clean the tables and chairs with disinfecting wipes. |
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