

# Healing

## in the Safety and Comfort of Home



When patients are recovering from illness or injury, there's truly no place like home. During virus and flu seasons, recovering at home brings added protections.

Here is what we're doing to protect our communities.

### How we're protecting patients:

- Patients are screened at admission based on CDC guidelines.
- If found to have a contagious illness, each patient is assessed on whether home recovery is appropriate or hospitalization is needed.
- Patients and caregivers are taught universal precautions and infection control.
- Our clinical team monitors vital signs and utilizes remote patient monitoring to identify warning signs and symptoms.

### How we're protecting employees:

- All staff have attended updated training on infection prevention.
- Healthcare providers who have signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection do not report to work.
- Employees wear appropriate protective equipment and follow standard precautions with patients confirmed or suspected of contagious disease.
- Weekly case conferences are now being performed by telephone and videoconferencing.
- Office surfaces and medical equipment are routinely cleaned.

### When we're visiting a facility:

- We understand and follow standard precautions.
- We are trained to avoid close exposure and use personal protective equipment as appropriate.
- We have been screened based on CDC criteria.
- We are required to self-isolate if developing signs and symptoms of any virus.
- We will work with you to develop the best ways to interact with your patients and employees to ensure safe continuity of care.

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