

## Obstetrics Department Visiting Guide

- Visiting Hours are 11:00am - 8:00pm daily.
- Visitors over age 15 are welcome.
- Fathers and siblings are always permitted in private rooms.
- If new mothers or babies require rest or privacy during regular visitation hours, visitors may be asked to wait in the waiting room.
- While Mom is in labor, friends and family may visit two at a time.
- Two people, chosen by Mom, may be present at delivery.
- There are times when very private questions are being asked and examinations and sterile procedures are being done when visitors may be asked to wait in the waiting area.
- The first hour following delivery is a crucial time for Mom & baby to bond and for breastfeeding to be established, if chosen. New mothers may choose to limit visitors at this time.

The staff of the Harrison County Hospital Obstetrics Department kindly suggests that expecting parents share our visiting guide with friends and family before coming to the Hospital so that they may plan their visits accordingly.

If you have any questions, please call (812) 738-7879.  
***We look forward to meeting your new bundle of joy!***