



Memo

From : Dr Anthony Lee
Chief Hospital Manager & Medical Director

Our Ref : ICC/IM005/23

To : All doctors, patients & visitors

Date : 4th September 2023

Re : **Union Hospital's COVID-19 Screening Policy Update for Admission, Out-patient Consultation and Visitors**

In the light of the full resumption of various activities in the community, the HKSAR Government announced that COVID-19 is now being managed as an upper respiratory tract illness. With effect from 4th September 2023, the Union Hospital (UH) has updated the screening policy for admission, out-patient consultation and visitors as below:

I) Screening Policy for Patients

1. Patients with COVID-like illness are required to receive COVID-19 rapid antigen tests (RAT) before admissions/unmask procedures.
2. For those patients with RAT positive results, admission might be arranged subject to specific hospital/relevant facilities availability.
3. Subject to specific hospital/relevant facilities availability, our Hospital reserves the right to impose any additional measures for cases or request a COVID-19 RAT/PCR test for any patient based on clinical risk assessments.

II) Screening Policy for Visitors

1. Visitors who have symptoms such as fever, Upper Respiratory Tract Infection (URTI) or diarrhea are not allowed for visits and are advised to seek medical consultations.

In addition to the above screening measures, patients who will receive aerosol-generating procedures, including nebulizing inhalation, BiPAP and CPAP are required to possess negative COVID-19 PCR test results within 7 days or negative COVID-19 RAT test results within 24 hours. Those patients can be arranged to stay in single room with negative pressure/IQ Air system.

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致醫生、客人及訪客:

仁安醫院對於入院客人、門診診症及訪客的2019新型冠狀病毒病(COVID-19)篩查政策更新

隨着社會全面復常，香港特別行政區政府宣布2019新型冠狀病毒病(COVID-19)現被視為上呼吸道疾病進行管理。由2023年9月4日起，仁安醫院更新了對於入院客人、門診診症及訪客的篩查政策，詳情如下：

I) 客人的篩查政策

1. 客人若出現類似2019新型冠狀病毒病的病徵，必須在入院或進行需要除下口罩的醫療程序前先進行COVID-19快速抗原測試(RAT)。
2. 若客人的COVID-19快速抗原測試(RAT)結果為陽性，本院可能會因應實際情況（如當時床位或相關設施之可用性）而作出適當的入院安排。
3. 因應醫院的實際情況（如當時床位或相關設施之可用性），本院會根據臨床風險評估，保留權利要求個別人士在入院或訪院前採取任何額外措施或進行快速抗原測試(RAT)/核酸測試(PCR)。

II) 訪客的篩查政策

1. 訪客若有發燒、上呼吸道感染徵狀或腹瀉，均不得進入病房探訪並建議前往求醫。

除上述之篩查措施外，客人於接受霧化程序前（包括nebulizing inhalation、BiPAP及CPAP），均需出示於7天內取得的COVID-19核酸測試(PCR)或24小時內取得的COVID-19快速抗原測試(RAT)的陰性結果證明。而客人亦會被安排於獨立的負壓/設有IQ Air系統的房間內進行治療。

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李繼堯醫生
院長及醫務總監

二零二三年九月四日

致医生、客人及访客:

仁安医院对于入院客人、门诊诊症及访客的2019新型冠状病毒病(COVID-19)筛查政策更新

随着社会全面复常，香港特别行政区政府宣布2019新型冠状病毒病(COVID-19)现被视为上呼吸道疾病进行管理。由2023年9月4日起，仁安医院更新了对于入院客人、门诊诊症及访客的筛查政策，详情如下：

I) 客人的筛查政策

1. 客人若出现类似2019新型冠状病毒病的病征，必须在入院或进行需要除下口罩的医疗程序前先进行COVID-19快速抗原测试(RAT)。
2. 若客人的COVID-19快速抗原测试(RAT)结果为阳性，本院可能会因应实际情况（如当时床位或相关设施之可用性）而作出适当的入院安排。
3. 因应医院的实际情况（如当时床位或相关设施之可用性），本院会根据临床风险评估，保留权利要求个别人士在入院或访院前采取任何额外措施或进行快速抗原测试(RAT)/核酸检测(PCR)。

II) 访客的筛查政策

1. 访客若有发烧、上呼吸道感染征状或腹泻，均不得进入病房探访并建议前往求医。

除上述之筛查措施外，客人于接受雾化程序前（包括nebulizing inhalation、BiPAP及CPAP），均需出示于7天内取得的COVID-19核酸检测(PCR)或24小时内取得的COVID-19快速抗原测试(RAT)的阴性结果证明。而客人亦会被安排于独立的负压/设有IQ Air系统的房间内进行治疗。

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院长及医务总监

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