

Transfers for Essential Medical Appointments

Resident with serious medical condition. Serious Illness & Goals of Care Conversation with *MRP,
Resident & Family

Resident to continue with essential medical appointment (e.g. renal dialysis)

Use FH COVID-19 Screening Process for LTC, MHSU, AL & Other Residential Settings.
Confirm medical appointment/ transportation

Confirm medical appointment/ transportation with receiving institution & ensure all aware if resident is symptomatic.

Refer to Clinical Protocol: Essential Off-Site Medical Appointments – During COVID-19 Pandemic in Long-Term Care and Assisted Living

Prepare resident for transfer. Apply medical mask on the resident if tolerated

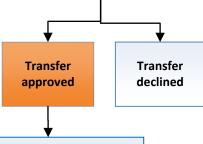
* MRP also refers to On-Call Designate ** Notify MRP if resident becomes symptomatic/ symptoms worsen

LONG-TERM CARE - Transfers of Residents during COVID-19

Urgent Transfers to Emergency Department and Return

Resident has an acute event (e.g. fracture). Serious Illness & Goals of Care Conversation with *MRP,
Resident & Family

MRP* determines that acute care is required & contacts receiving ED physician. Sending & receiving physicians discuss transfer of resident



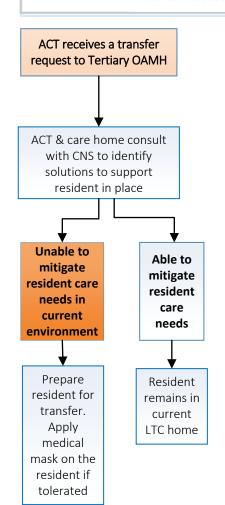
Inform ED of transfer prior to resident's arrival. Ensure
Ambulance Services & receiving institution are aware if resident is symptomatic

Prepare resident for transfer. Apply medical mask on the resident if tolerated

Residents not admitted to ED, who screened as symptomatic, can return on Droplet Precautions/Isolation with a COVID-19 swab pending

** Upon resident return or arrival to care home, screen using COVID-19
Screening Process for LTC, MHSU, AL & other Residential Settings

Inter-Facility Transfers



ACT receives an Inter-Facility transfer request (LTC, CV, AL, BSTN, Vent Unit)

ACT follows Fraser Health Guidelines: Admissions to LTC/AL/ CV from Community and LTC, CV, AL Inter-Facility Transfers COVID-19

Transfer site follows usual processes & prepares resident for transfer. Apply medical mask on the resident if tolerated

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