



WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Governor Tony Evers / Secretary Kevin A. Carr

Black River Correctional Center

June 1, 2023

THIS NOTICE SUPERCEDES ALL PRIOR VISITING MEMOS

Black River Correctional Center (BRCC) will allow up to two face-to-face visiting periods each week, with the week restarting on Monday for each person in our care (PIOC).

Procedure

1. Visitors must have previously completed a Visitor Questionnaire (DOC-21AA) and are required to be on the PIOC's approved visit list.
2. Visits will be up to three-hour blocks, maximum of one block per day.
An additional hour may be added with incentive points based on availability for a total of four hours.
3. Visiting schedule is as follows:

Saturday and Sunday:	8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Holidays:	8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Specific guidelines for in person visits include:

- Up to six approved visitors will be allowed for a specific visit with a PIOC. We may be able to accommodate more visitors upon request.
- A brief embrace is allowed at the beginning and end of a visit. Hand holding and sitting on laps is not allowed.
- Sergeants have discretion to address how young children and infants can interact with PIOC.
- All chairs and tables will be sanitized between visits.
- Outside visiting remains open based on weather and sergeant discretion from Memorial Day to Labor Day.
- No food or drink may be brought into the facility effective June 5, 2023.
- New vending machines are operational. \$40 max cash is allowed per visit. Vending machines take credit/debit cards. One credit/debit card may be brought into the facility for vending use.
- Drinks cannot be shared amongst visitors and the PIOC. No vending products may be taken back into the facility or PIOC rooms.

Contraband such as firearms, ammunition, knives, alcohol, drugs, tobacco, medications (excluding personal inhaler and nitroglycerin), cell phones, and other electronic equipment are not permitted at the center. State Statute 302.095 prohibits the introduction of tobacco, drugs, alcohol, weapons, or contraband into the center, making it a felony offense to do so. Black River Correctional Center is a tobacco free facility, including the parking lot and driveway.

In addition to these guidelines, the General Visiting Rules will be enforced. You can find those rules and more information about visitation on our visiting information page.

Reminder: If the center has an outbreak of COVID-19, in-person visits may be temporarily suspended.

Should you have any questions about Black River Correctional Center rules, regulations, or guidelines you are encouraged to call the center prior to your visit for clarification.

Phone number: 1-715-333-5681 or you may email: DOCWCCSBRCCZoomVisits@Wisconsin.gov