

Visitation Rules for Clients & Visitors

Please do not have private conversations while the group is going on. It is distracting and disrespectful. Group participation is expected by the clients. Please use appropriate language.

Family group is not the appropriate place to complain about things that you are not happy about while you are at CATS. Please speak to your counselor or client's rights officer about those things.

Group is one and a half hours. Visitation is for one hour following the group. All visitors must be able to remain for the entire group. Two visitors are permitted weekly. All visitors must be approved by your PO. All visitors must have a valid picture ID. Visitors leaving during group will not be permitted to visit the following week.

There are no drop offs for clients on the weekends unless the person is coming from out of county. A valid ID must be presented at that time. That also includes money. Visitors are not permitted to give you anything during group or visitation. No exceptions.

Visitors must be signed in and seated in the group room at the time the group begins. If visitors arrive late they will be turned away and you will not receive a visit that day. Please ask your visitors to arrive early so that they can be checked in at the front desk and be in the group room when group begins. If your group begins at 9:30 am, check-in begins at 9 am. If your group starts at 1pm, check-in begins at 12:30 pm. Please arrive early.

Visitors are not permitted to leave the building once they have been checked in. If they do leave the building, they will not be permitted to come back in. Clients are not permitted to go to the dorm for any reason during group or the visitation.

If you or your visitors are loud or disrespectful, your visit will be terminated. Please be respectful to your visitors.

You are permitted a brief hug and kiss hello and goodbye. Other than that there should be no physical contact during group or your visit.

NO purses or cell phones are permitted in family group or visitation. No open containers. No exceptions. Use of the vending machine during group or visitation is not permitted.

Violation of any of the above rules could result in the loss of your visitations.

Thank you for your understanding and co-operation.