

## ENHANCED HOSPITAL ENTRY SCREENINGS

As promised, Wayne Memorial Hospital is instituting enhanced **pre-screening of all patients and visitors** outside of the Main Entrance and the Emergency Department. This is a COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) safety precaution for our patients, visitors and you, our staff.

**As of Tuesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>, at 6am**, all patients & visitors will be asked if they have any COVID-19 SYMPTOMS or have been exposed to someone with the disease or under investigation for the disease or if they traveled in an affected area.

Patients who are given a **yellow sticker** indicates they answered yes to questions and must be masked at the entryway. Registration & destination department (Lab, X-ray, etc) will be notified.

A **white sticker** indicates they answered no to all questions.

Visitors will be given a **visitor badge** if their answers permit this.

**All badges and stickers will have dates and hospital destination on them.**

**Temperatures will also be taken. A fever of 100.5 or greater is considered a symptom.**

**Patients will still go through the Registration process inside.**

*This is a rapidly evolving situation and the screening protocol may be subject to change.*