

Miranda North Photography

COVID-19 Procedures and Policies

1. Arriving

To protect all families coming into the studio extra precautions will be taken for your safety. I will be requiring temperature checks for all clients using a “non contact” thermometer before entry. Please arrive with your own masks to wear when we are not shooting - this includes toddlers and children. All strollers must be left outside the studio door in a safe designated area, and only two bags will be permitted inside. At the door, shoes will be required to be taken off - I will provide nylon socks to put over your feet. Upon entering the studio, hand sanitizer will be provided, followed by hand washing. Any family member or persons who is not Mom, Dad and immediate siblings, are not permitted inside of the studio (IE- grandparents, cousins, aunts, uncles, friends, etc). A consent form will be required upon entering.

2. During the session

For your protection, all garments and swaddles that are provided for the photoshoot are cleaned and sanitized prior to your selection and use. No garments or swaddles will be used without sanitation. During the session anyone who is not actively being posed in pictures will be asked to wait in our indoor or outdoor waiting area with a mask on (except for children 2 and under) During the photoshoot, there will be times my assistant or I will need to be closer than 6 feet to achieve pictures seen in my portfolio this will all be at your discretion and approval. I will be wearing a mask and gloves unless achieving smiles requires me to remove the mask for children or babies (3 months and older)- this again at your discretion.

3. After the session

After each session my assistant and I will be thoroughly cleaning the studio with clorox or lysol. A full sanitation process for my studio means : cleaning the bathroom, wiping down all surfaces, freshly cleaning floors, door knobs and all furniture. Again, all garments are sanitized prior to any use. My assistant and I will be using new gloves for every client. All cleaning supplies are the recommended CDC/EPA sanitizing methods. All procedures and protocol taken has been personally advised from clients who are NICU and ER physicians.

4. Extra Precautions

My assistant and I will be conducting temperature checks and daily self screenings, as well as our family members to ensure we are not bringing anything into the studio. Besides the screenings, our families are still and will continue to follow all recommendations by the state of California for social distancing. I have chosen to limit clients strictly to those who are local that do not require extensive travel methods (IE no planes or out of state travel). If you or anyone you have been in contact with has displayed a fever, cough, body aches, runny nose loss of taste or smell, sneezing, or persistent headache within the last 14 days, I require for the up-most transparency of my clients in letting me know so we can reschedule. If any symptoms of a cough, runny nose, continual and on-going sneezing or symptoms of being unwell is displayed during our time together, the session will be stopped with no retainer refunded. If you or anyone you have been close to within the last 3 weeks has tested positive for COVID19, full disclosure is required.

Thank you for your cooperation in keeping us all safe! I look forward to capturing you!!