

## Subsection 5.6 — Strangers & Visitors Protocol

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If any of the following occur, end the interaction, withdraw behind secure barriers, and alert the family according to protocol.

#### Examples of Triggers

Trigger	Action
Visitor attempts to bypass gate or approach home uninvited.	Issue clear verbal boundary; activate Code: Echo if needed.
Visitor becomes angry, demanding, or insulting.	End conversation immediately; retreat and notify all adults.
Visitor lies about obvious facts (visible group size, direction of travel).	Increase distance, end interaction, log details.
Visitor repeatedly scans windows, doors, or stored supplies.	Treat as recon; withdraw and record encounter.
Weapons become visible or are handled.	Immediate withdrawal to secure interior and activation of alarm protocol.