SHAYKH SAALIH AL-FAWZAAN ON VISITING SICK INNOVATORS¹

Question: Is visiting the people of desires and going to see them while they are sick a form of respect for them?

Answer: Visiting them in order to call them to Allaah and demand that they repent there is no harm in this; it is good. If the polytheists were visited upon their deathbeds; meaning, visiting the ill amongst them in order to call them, then there is no harm (in doing so). As for visiting them for other than calling them (to the correct path) then it is not permissible.

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Reference: http://www.sahab.net/forums/index.php?showtopic=157995

¹ Translators Note: This is not unrestricted and should be left to those qualified to do so.