

Topic:

- Bill Of Rights

Objective: To educate and ensure that all ADHC staff make every effort to ensure the safety of all registrants

Target: All Staff

Methodology: Lecture and Handout

Time Frame: 20 Minutes

Bill Of Rights of Adult Day Health Care Program Participants

Every registrant regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, sex, religion, handicap or payment source, should be treated with the same respect and consideration that we ourselves would like to receive. When a person becomes ill and requires institutional care, adjustments in his/her lifestyle must be made. As a healthcare employee, you should always be aware that every human being has:

- The right to be treated as an adult, with consideration, respect and dignity, including privacy in treatment and in care for personal needs.
- The right to participate in a program of services and activities designed to encourage independence, learning, growth and awareness of constructive ways to develop one's interests and talents.
- The right to self-determination within the day services setting, including the opportunity to:
 - A. participate in developing one's plan for services and any changes therein.
 - B. decide whether or not to participate in any given activity.
 - C. be involved, to the extent possible, in program planning and operation.
 - D. refuse treatment and be informed of the consequences of such refusal.
 - E. end participation in the adult day center at any time.
- The right to a thorough initial assessment, the development of a plan of care, and the determination of the Level of Care needed.
- The right to be cared for in an atmosphere of sincere interest and concern where support and services are provided.
- The rights to a safe, secure, and clean environment.
- The right to receive nourishment and assistance with meals as necessary to maximize functional abilities and quality of life.
- The right to confidentiality and required written consent for release of information to persons not authorized under law to receive it.

- The right to voice grievances without discrimination or reprisal with respect to care or treatment that is (or is not) provided.
- The right to be fully informed, as evidenced by the participant's written acknowledgement of these rights, of all rules and regulations regarding participant conduct and responsibilities.
- The right to be free from harm, including unnecessary physical or chemical restraint, isolation, excessive medication, abuse or neglect.
- The right to be fully informed, and the time of acceptance into the program, of services and activities available and related charges.
- The right to communicate with others and be understood by them to the extent of the participant's

It is your responsibility to continuously promote and protect the registrants' rights and to report all violation of such rights to your supervisor.

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I understand the above stated rights as they have been explained to me and are available in Spanish.

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