



Policy: The Non-Compliant Bariatric Resident

Bariatric-08

Purpose: To clarify the resident's rights regarding non-participation in the Bariatric Program

Policy: The bariatric resident may choose to be a non-participant or may select a portion of the program.

Procedure:

1. The bariatric resident (non-participant) may:
 - a. Refuse the diet or dietary restriction order of the Bariatric Program or of their physician
 - b. Refuse psychological services
 - c. Refuse medical treatment
 - d. Refuse rehabilitation services
2. The non-participant may select a portion of the program and participate.

Note: *A non-participant will remain a non-participant until he/she participates in all aspects of the program.*
3. A non-participant may become an active participant of the program at any time.