



Policy: Bariatric Program Form

Bariatric-09

Purpose: To clarify at the time of admission whether the bariatric resident will be a participant or a non-participant in the program

Policy: At the time of admission, Social Services/Nurse will have the bariatric resident review the form and determine the resident's participation in the program.

Procedure:

1. Complete the *Bariatric Program Form* with the bariatric resident during the routine paperwork.
2. Review the form and determine the bariatric resident's participation status as either:
 - a. Active participant or
 - b. Non-participant
3. Ensure Health Care Workers are aware of the participation status of the bariatric resident.
4. Present a new Bariatric Program Form to the bariatric resident for completion when a request to change participation status occurs.
5. Place the completed form in the Admission section of the resident's medical record.
6. The Social Services Department should review the "non-participant" status monthly and encourage participation in the program.
7. Review guidelines with the bariatric resident if active participant has recurrent episodes of non-compliance. Consider either:
 - a. Program change of status or
 - b. Psychotherapy consultation

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