

ADMISSION POLICY TO THE HEALTH CARE CENTER

An admission to the Healthcare Center will be made to one of three distinct units of the Facility, based upon the need of the applicant and the specific services provided by the units, as follows:

1. Inpatient Rehabilitation Unit ó provides short-term care to individuals who require restorative rehabilitation services to recover from an acute illness or injury, in preparation to returning to their previous level of care, typically in the community. The Inpatient Rehabilitation Unit is comprised of 46 private rooms, housed in the Healthcare Center.
2. Long-Term Care Unit: provides long-term, residential care to individuals who require full time skilled nursing care. The Long-Term Care Unit is comprised of 110 private rooms, housed in nine individual houses on the Healthcare Center campus.
3. Neuro Care Unit: provides care to individuals as in #2 (above), who carry a diagnosis of Huntington's disease or Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis. The Neurocare Unit is comprised of 32 beds, including both private and semi-private rooms, housed in the Healthcare Center.

*Individuals choosing to remain LTC following rehab stay may be transitioned to LTC unit with agreement of resident/Dr. and facility.

Policy regarding admissions to all units of the Healthcare Center:

1. Individuals will be admitted to the Healthcare Center regardless of age, sex, race, creed, national origin, color, handicap, sexual orientation, source of payment or mental status.
2. As a condition of admission, the Healthcare Center will not request or require residents or potential residents to waive their rights as set forth in applicable federal, state or local licensing laws, including, but not limited to, their rights to Medicare or Medicaid.
3. The Healthcare Center will not request or require oral or written assurance that residents or potential residents are not eligible for, or will not apply for, Medicare or Medicaid benefits.
4. The Healthcare Center will not request or require that residents or potential residents to waive potential facility liability for losses of personal property.
5. The Healthcare Center will not request or require a third party guarantee of payment to the facility as a condition of admission or expedited admission, or continued stay in the facility. However, the Healthcare Center may request and require an individual who has legal access to a resident's income or resources available to pay for facility care, to sign a contract, without incurring personal financial liability, to provide facility payment from the resident's income or resources.
6. For each referral received and reviewed for potential admission to the Healthcare Center, any relevant limitations in available medical care will be shared with the referral source, prior to acceptance of the patient/resident for admission.

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