

Intern Rights and Responsibilities

Interns have the right to:

- Receive quality services in a respectful manner without discrimination;
- Make an informed choice of services;
- Know the qualifications of staff that will provide them with services;
- Receive and understand information and instructions about their service needs;
- Consent to or refuse services before they are provided;
- Know the nature and purpose of services;
- Refuse services with the receipt of information and the consequences of refusal;
- Be informed prior to any transfer or discharge from services;
- Expect confidentiality of information;
- Receive timely response to their needs along with reasonable continuity and coordination of services;
- Know about charges for services;
- Know how to voice any grievance about their services;
- Receive services based on an individual service plan;
- Be part of the process of updating the service plan when his needs change; and
- Receive all services at LSRR or be referred to another agency.

Interns have the responsibility to:

- Give accurate information about their mental health, substance use, and domestic violence issues as well as other circumstances which might impact their care;
- Assist by making and keeping a safe environment;
- Notify management if scheduled appointments need to be changed;
- Work with staff in planning, reviewing and changing their individual service plans; and
- Inform staff immediately if they have any concerns or problems with the service they are receiving.

Yes ___ No ___ I understand my rights and responsibilities.

Yes ___ No ___ I have been informed that my individual service plan will be developed.

Intern Signature

Date

Printed Name