

BLUE PEAKS DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.

RESIDENTIAL POLICIES

SECTION R
POLICY 14.9

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TITLE: RIGHTS OF PERSONS
 RECEIVING SERVICES

NEW OR REVISED: Revised
EFFECTIVE DATE: Oct 2016

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POLICY:

STANDARDS:

Residential Services must ensure that persons receiving services are assured the following rights:

1. The right to access medical services and medication administration consistent with state law and regulation.
2. The right to service and support environments with documented monitoring that prohibits abuse, neglect, exploitation and mistreatment.
3. The right to practice a religious belief, be afforded the opportunity for religious worship and not to be required to perform any act which is contrary to religious belief.
4. The right to communicate freely with persons of their own choosing and meet with visitors at any time.
5. The right to receive and send unopened correspondence.
6. The right to choose where they live.
7. The right to choose who they live with.
8. The right to lock their bedroom door.
9. The right to live in a setting that optimizes independence, choice and initiative.
10. The right to sexual interaction based on individual choice and mutual consent.
11. The right to voluntarily agree to perform labor.
12. The right to vote.
13. The right to have and manage personal possessions including personal funds.
14. The right to be afforded opportunities to interact with other persons and the community at large.
15. The right to resident notice at least 15 days prior to the effective date when there is a decision to terminate services or transfer the resident.

All employees and contractors will be advised of these rights through the training process.
Residents will be advised of their rights during the IP and IDT process.

BOARD APPROVED: October 12, 2016