

Skilled Care Center Resident Rights:

- 1. The right to be informed in writing of your rights and the policies and the procedures of the facility.
- 2. The right to know about services and charges.
- 3. The right to know about your medical condition.
- 4. The right to participate in your plan of care, including the right to refuse treatment.
- 5. The right to choose your own physician and to use the pharmacy of your choice.
- 6. The right to have your personal and medical records treated as confidential.
- 7. The right to manage your own personal finances.
- 8. The right to privacy and to be treated with dignity and respect.
- 9. The right to use your own clothing and possessions.
- 10. The right to be free from mental, physical and sexual abuse, exploitation, neglect, and involuntary seclusion.
- 11. The right to be free from restraints.
- 12. The right to voice a grievance without retaliation.
- 13. The right not to be transferred or discharged, except for medical reasons, your own welfare or that of another resident, non-payment, or if the home ceases to operate.
- 14. The right of access to nursing homes.