



Resident Rights

In keeping with our mission and guiding principles to safeguard the rights of the clients we serve, it shall be the policy of Harvest Recovery Ranch to provide an environment where all clients are treated with dignity and respect. All persons receiving services at Harvest Recovery Ranch shall retain all rights, benefits and privileges guaranteed by the laws and Constitution of the State of Oklahoma and the United States of America (except those specifically lost through due process of law). We further believe that each of our clients have the right as an informed client to actively participate in their treatment process. The following is a synopsis of the Harvest Recovery Ranch Resident Bill of Rights:

Resident Bill of Rights

1. Each Resident shall retain all rights, benefits, and privileges guaranteed by law except those lost through due process of law.
2. Each Resident has the right to receive services suited to his condition in a safe, sanitary and humane treatment environment regardless of race, religion, gender, ethnicity, age, degree of disability, handicapping condition, or sexual orientation.
3. Each Resident has the right to contact their attorney, personal physician, or minister and shall not be limited by the facility.
4. No Resident shall be subject to maltreatment or otherwise abused by staff, visitors, or other residents.
5. Each Resident shall receive recovery services in the least restrictive environment and have the maximum freedom of movement consistent with his condition and legal status.
6. Each Resident may have his own clothing.
7. Each Resident legally entitled to vote shall be assisted to register and vote when they so request.
8. Each Resident shall be provided with prompt, competent, appropriate and individualized recovery plan. A Resident shall participate in his recovery programs and may consent or refuse to consent to the proposed recovery plan of action. Additionally, each Resident shall have the right to the following:
 - a. To be free from unnecessary, inappropriate, or excessive recovery plans of action;
 - b. To participate in Resident's own recovery planning;
 - c. To not be discharged for displaying symptoms of the Resident's disorder.

9. No Resident shall be required to participate in any research project or medical experiment without his informed consent as defined by law. Refusal to participate shall not affect the services available to the Resident.
10. Each Resident is responsible for personal housekeeping tasks and daily chores without compensation.
11. Each Resident shall have the right to assert grievances with respect to an alleged infringement on his rights.
12. Each Resident shall be permitted to establish and participate in a Resident Committee, Resident government by unit or by facility wide.
13. Each Resident being discharged shall have plans for continuing outpatient treatment, sufficient medication, suitable clothing for the season, housing information and referral, and if Resident permits, family involvement in the plan.
14. Each Resident has the right to request the opinion of an outside medical or psychiatric consultant at his own expense.
15. No Resident shall be retaliated against or subjected to any adverse change of conditions or treatment because the Resident asserted his rights.
16. Most rights may be limited by the recovery team for therapeutic reasons, including safety of the Resident or other residents or staff in the facility. These limitations must be documented in the clinical record, reviewed frequently, and shall not be limited for purposes of punishment, staff convenience, or in retaliation for a Resident exercising any of his rights.

As a client of Harvest Recovery Ranch, you retain the right of confidential communications with the Program Director

Final determination of any grievances filed by the Resident will be provided to the Resident by the Program Director