

**Rehabilitation Hospital**POLICY SECTION: **Leadership**Effective Date: **1/9/2018**POLICY TITLE: **Reproductive Health**

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**POLICY**

It is the policy of CHI Franciscan Rehabilitation Hospital to comply with State requirements related to a patient's rights pertaining to reproductive health care. Formulation of policy and practice are consistent with the Franciscan Health System mission to protect human life and respect human dignity.

**PROCEDURE**

- I. If the patient seeks medical care not offered by CHI Franciscan Rehabilitation Hospital, the hospital will provide referral assistance to obtain the requested medical care.

**LEVEL OF UNDERSTANDING**

Information conveyed to the patient and/or family regarding the patient's care and treatment shall be at a level that can be comprehended by the patient and family.

**NECESSARY ACCOMMODATION WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE HOSPITAL STAFF TO BE ABLE TO EFFECTIVELY PROVIDE INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATE TO PATIENTS AND/OR FAMILIES WHO ARE VISUALLY OR COGNITIVELY IMPAIRED, OR HAVE LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY.**

REVIEW DATES:	APPROVED BY: Robert Dickens, RN, FACHE Chief Executive Officer	Steven Litsky, MD Medical Director
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