

## SALISH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES ORGANIZATION INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS

## You have the right to:

- 1. Receive information regarding your behavioral health status;
- 2. Receive all information regarding behavioral health treatment options including any alternative or self-administered treatment, in a culturally competent manner:
- 3. Receive information about the risks, benefits, and consequences of behavioral health treatment (including the option of no treatment).
- 4. Participate in decisions regarding your behavioral health care, including the right to refuse treatment and to express preferences about future treatment decisions;
- 5. Be treated with respect and with due consideration for your dignity and privacy.
- 6. Be free from any form of restraint or seclusion used as a means of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation;
- 7. Request and receive a copy of your medical records, and to request that they be amended or corrected, as specified in 45 C.F.R. Part 164;
- 8. Be free to exercise your rights and to ensure that to do so does not adversely affect the way you are treated;
- 9. Receive services without regard to race, creed, national origin, religion, gender, sexual orientation, age or disability;
- 10. Practice the religion of choice as long as the practice does not infringe on the rights and treatment of others or the treatment service. Individual participants have the right to refuse participation in any religious practice;
- 11. Be reasonably accommodated in case of sensory or physical disability, limited ability to communicate, limited-English proficiency, and cultural differences;
- 12. Be treated with respect, dignity and privacy, except that staff may conduct reasonable searches to detect and prevent possession or use of contraband on the premises;
- 13. Be free of any sexual harassment;
- 14. Be free of exploitation, including physical and financial exploitation;
- 15. Have all clinical and personal information treated in accord with state and federal confidentiality regulations;
- 16. Review your clinical record in the presence of the administrator or designee and be given an opportunity to request amendments or corrections;
- 17. Receive a copy of agency grievance system procedures according to WAC 182-538C-110 upon request and to file a grievance with the agency, or behavioral health administrative services organization (BH-ASO), if applicable, if you believe your rights have been violated; and
- 18. Submit a report to the department when you feel the agency has violated a WAC requirement regulating behavioral health agencies.

## **Assistance is Available:**

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