102 ASSESSMENT AND INDIVIDUAL CARE PLANS [Alzheimer's Disease/Dementia Care Unit]

...102.03 Family Involvement. Whenever possible and appropriate, the family shall be involved in the development of a resident's care plan. The family shall be provided with information regarding social services, such as support groups for families and friends. A designated family member shall be notified in a timely manner of care plan sessions. Documentation of such notification shall be kept by the licensed facility.

116.02 Residents' Rights.

The residents' rights policies and procedures ensure that each resident admitted to the facility:

...3. is assured of adequate and appropriate medical care, is fully informed by a physician or nurse practitioner of his medical conditions unless medically contraindicated (as documented by a physician or nurse practitioner in his medical record), is afforded the opportunity to participate in the planning of his medical treatment, to refuse to participate in experimental research, and to refuse medication and treatment after fully informed of and understanding the consequences of such action;

...5. is encouraged and assisted, throughout his period of stay, to exercise his rights as a resident and as a citizen, and to this end may voice grievances, has a right of action for damages or other relief for deprivations or infringements of his right to adequate and proper treatment and care established by an applicable statute, rule, regulation or contract, and to recommend changes in policies and services to facility staff and/or to outside representatives of his choice, free from restraint, interference, coercion, discrimination, or reprisal;

...10. is treated with consideration, respect, and full recognition of his dignity and individuality, including privacy in treatment and in care for his personal needs;

...12. may associate and communicate privately with persons of his choice, may join with other residents or individuals within or outside of the facility to work for improvements in resident care, and send and receive his personal mail unopened, unless medically contraindicated (as documented by his physician or nurse practitioner in his medical record);

13. may meet with, and participate in activities of, social, religious and community groups at his discretion, unless medically contraindicated (as documented by his physician or nurse practitioner in his medical record);
...15. if married, is assured privacy for visits by his/her spouse; if both are inpatients in the facility, they are permitted to share a room, unless medically contraindicated (as documented by the attending physician or nurse practitioner in the medical record); and

16. is assured of exercising his civil and religious liberties including the right to independent personal decisions and knowledge of available choice. The facility shall encourage and assist in the fullest exercise of these rights.

**Note:** All rights and responsibilities specified in paragraph (1) through (16) of Section 116.02, as they pertain to (1) a resident adjudicated incompetent in accordance with State law, (2) a resident who is found by his physician or nurse practitioner to be medically incapable of understanding these rights, or (3) a resident who exhibits a communication barrier, devolve to and shall be exercised by the resident's guardian, next of kin, sponsoring agencies, or representative payee (except when the facility is representative payee).

118 PHYSICAL FACILITIES

118.02 Bedrooms.

...3. Provisions for Privacy.

a. Existing Facilities. Cubicle curtains, screening, or other suitable provisions for privacy shall be provided in multi-bed resident bedrooms.

b. Initial Licensure, New Construction, Additions and Renovations. Cubicle curtains, screening, or other suitable provisions for privacy shall be provided in multi-bed resident bedrooms. Cubicle curtains shall completely enclose the bed from three (3) sides.