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19-13-D8t. Chronic and convalescent nursing homes and rest homes with nursing supervision

(d) General Conditions.

...(2) Visiting hours shall be as liberal as is consistent with good patient care but shall in no event be less than eight hours per day.

(e) Governing body.

...(2) Specific responsibilities of the governing body necessary to carry out its general responsibilities shall include, but not necessarily be limited to, the following:

... (H) adoption of written policies assuring the protection of patients' rights and patient grievance procedures, a description of which shall be posted conspicuously in the facility and distributed personally to each patient;

(f) Administrator.

...(3) The administrator shall be responsible for the overall management of the facility and shall have the following powers and responsibilities:

...(K) Establishment of procedures for notification of the patient, next of kin or sponsor in the event of a change in a patient's charges, billing status and other related matters.

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.. (5) Each facility shall develop and follow current written policies and procedures for the safe prescribing and administration of drugs.

...(B) Patients shall be permitted to self-administer medications on a specific written order from the physician. Self-administered medication shall be monitored and controlled in accordance with procedures established in the facility.