

Ionia County Community Mental Health

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POLICY

1.0 Application

This policy shall apply to Ionia County Community Mental Health Authority (ICCMHA) and all services operated by or under contract with it.

2.0 Abuse and Neglect

To safeguard recipients of mental health services from abuse, neglect, or mistreatment, to promote the safety, security, and well-being of recipients, and to ensure protection of their person, rights, and properties, including freedom from financial or other exploitation, retaliation, and/or humiliation.

3.0 Responsibilities

The Recipient Rights Office is responsible for ensuring that procedures to implement the intent of this policy are developed, reviewed, and revised as necessary.

4.0 Monitoring and Review

This policy is reviewed by the Recipient Rights Office. It is monitored internally by the Recipient Rights Office and the Recipient Rights Advisory Committee. It is monitored externally by the Michigan Department of Community Health.

5.0 References:

Mental Health Code, 330.1748a. and 330.752
CARF Standards Manual Section, Rights of Persons Served

Nancy Patera, Board Chairperson	Date		

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