



Minden Family Care Center

A Professional Medical Corporation

PATIENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Minden Family Care Center is dedicated to providing services to patients that respect, protect, and promotes patient rights.

You Have the Right:

- To be treated with consideration, respect, and dignity
- To have the confidentiality of your medical information protected, to have privacy act regulations enforced, and to have these areas of confidentiality explained to you in language you can understand.
- To have privacy during case discussion, counseling, and treatment.
- To personally review your medical records in the presence of a healthcare professional.
- To know the name and qualifications of staff providing your care.
- To know your diagnosis, health problems, test results, the potential advantages and risks of treatment or procedures in language you can understand.
- To expect that all services, treatment, and counseling techniques will take place with your informed consent.
- To participate in referral planning.
- To have access to the patient comment procedure.
- To refuse to participate in research.
- To have another individual present in the exam room with you, if you so desire.
- To be treated with quality in a welcoming manner that is free from discrimination based on age, color, creed, race, ethnicity, religion, national origin, marital status, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or expression, disability, veteran or military status, or any other basis prohibited by federal, state, or local law.
- To file a complaint if you believe that you have been subjected to discrimination which is not permitted by this Policy, you may file a complaint with the Office Manager.
- To be free from retaliation against any person who opposes, complains about, or reports discrimination, files a complaint, or cooperates in a investigation of discrimination or other proceeding under federal, state, or local anti-discrimination law.

Printed Patient Name

Patient Signature and Date

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