

Leamington Mennonite Home
Long Term Care

POLICY AND PROCEDURE

CATEGORY: Resident Care	SUBJECT: Resident Rights	SECTION: R POLICY: 9
DATE: September 2004	Administrator: <u>J. M.!</u>	
REVISION DATE: June 2015	Director of Care: <u>Cheryl Alieck</u>	

RESIDENT RIGHTS

POLICY:

The Leamington Mennonite Home shall respect, promote, and uphold Resident rights as outlined in, but not limited to, the following:

- Long Term Care Statute Law Amendment Act
- Ontario Resident Bill of Rights
- Leamington Mennonite Home: Theology of Care

PROCEDURE:

- Residents and their representatives shall receive a copy of the Bill of Rights and Leamington Mennonite Home: Theology of Care upon admission. French speaking residents shall receive a copy in French language if requested.
- Residents shall be informed of advocacy/support agencies available to them which can assist them in promoting their rights. These agencies include, but are not limited to:
 - Citizen Advocacy
495 Glengarry Windsor, ON
519-966-5010
 - South Essex Community Council
215 Talbot Street East Leamington, ON
519-326-8629
 - Canadian Mental Health Association, Elder & Bereavement Counselling
1400 Windsor Avenue Windsor, ON
519-255-7440
- Residents shall be assisted in accessing these advocacy and support agencies according to their request(s) by the Director of Nursing and Personal Care and for the Director of Social-Recreational activities.
- All LMH staff shall receive education/information regarding Resident Rights and the Leamington Mennonite Home Theology of Care, at least once a year at the Annual

Mandatory Staff Educational Inservices.

- All Leamington Mennonite Home Volunteers shall receive the Resident Bill of Rights and LMH: Theology of Care in their Orientation Package(s) with sign off that they have read and understood its contents.