

## **PATIENT RESPONSIBILITIES**

*As a patient in our facility, you have certain responsibilities, which include:*

1. To work with your health care team and to follow all safety rules.
2. To show respect and consideration to our staff and to other patients and visitors.
3. To respect the privacy of other patients.
4. To give your health care team complete and correct information about your health.
5. To tell your doctor about any changes in your health after you leave our facility.
6. To keep, or cancel in a timely manner, your scheduled appointments for your health care.
7. To follow the directions given by your health care team after you have agreed to treatment in our facility.
8. To tell your health care team if you wish to change any of your decisions.
9. To ask for clarification if you do not understand any information or instructions given to you by your health care team.
10. To notify the facility if you have an Advanced Directive.

### **IF YOU HAVE CONCERNS:**

If you have any questions or concerns about your responsibilities, you can contact our Director of Nursing or Administrator.

For complaints or comments about your medical care, you may contact: the Office of the Medicare Beneficiary Ombudsman at: [www.cms.gov](http://www.cms.gov) or 1-800-medicare (633-4227)