

DISCRIMINATION - - RIGHT TO BE FREE FROM

THE LAW

Each patient shall... "Have a right to a **humane psychological ... environment** within the hospital facilities..."

§ 51.61(1)(m), Wis. Stats. [Emphasis added.]

"**No...patient** or resident of an approved treatment facility **or consumer** of services provided under this chapter **may be discriminated against because of age, race, creed, color, sex or handicap.**"

§ 51.90, Wis. Stats. [Emphasis added.]

Each patient shall... "Have the right to be **treated with respect and recognition of the patient's dignity and individuality** by all employees of the treatment facility or community mental health program and by licensed, certified, registered or permitted providers of health care with whom the patient comes in contact."

§ 51.61(1)(x), Wis. Stats. [Emphasis added.]

"All patients shall be **treated as individuals** and **addressed with respect.**"

DHS 94.24(2)(b), Wis. Admin. Code [Emphasis added.]

DECISIONS

[None at this time.]

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