

Broad Top Area Medical Center Inc.

Patient Rights and Responsibilities:

As a patient, you have the right to:

- É take part in your health care and treatment
- É know the names of the people caring for you
- É be treated with respect and dignity in a safe and private setting
- É be informed about your illness and treatment, including options for your care
- É change medical providers at Broad Top Area Medical Center Inc.
- É get another opinion about your illness or treatment
- É privacy of your health records
- É talk with the clinic manager about any questions or problems with your care
- É know about services available through Broad Top Area Medical Center Inc.
- É respect for your cultural, social, spiritual and personal values and beliefs
- É know about legal reporting requirements
- É ask for special arrangements if you have a disability
- É ask for help with a living will or durable power of attorney for health care
- É refuse treatment, care and services as allowed by law
- É know the cost of your care and ways you may pay for your care
- É refuse to be included in any research program without limiting medical care or treatment

As a patient, you have the responsibility to:

- É tell your medical provider about your illness or problems
- É ask questions about your illness or care
- É show respect to both care givers and other patients
- É cancel or reschedule appointments so that another person may have that time slot
- É pay your bills on time
- É use medications or medical devices for yourself only
- É inform the medical provider if you become worse or you have an unexpected reaction to a medication give written permission to release your other health records to Broad Top Area Medical Center Inc. when necessary
- É provide Broad Top Area Medical Center Inc. a copy of your living will or durable power of attorney for healthcare matters

If you have any questions, please tell your medical provider or the clinic manager.