

## **POLICY AND PROCEDURE**

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HOME:	Caressant Care Nursing	& Retirement Homes Ltd.	Policy ID:	LTC-ADMIN- S7-80.0
SUBJECT: RESIDENT RIGHTS PROCEDURE			ISSUING AUTHORITY:	
		SUPERCEDES: April 11, 2022	REVIEWED DATE: April 11, 2022	

## Purpose:

Caressant Care will actively respect, support and promote the rights of residents.

## **Steps in the Procedure:**

- 1. All residents will be treated with respect, dignity and courtesy as outlined in the Residents' Rights.
- 2. All employees will be aware of these rights and provide care accordingly.
- 3. New staff, contracted services and volunteers will be oriented to residents' rights prior to starting their roles in the homes.
- 4. Annual education will be provided to all staff on residents' rights.
- 5. Residents, families, Substitute Decision Makers, and people of importance to the resident, will be provided a copy of the Residents' Rights on a resident's admission to the home.
- 6. Ongoing efforts will be made to remind residents, families, and staff of the rights annually throughout the year for example, at Resident and Family Council Meetings and staff meetings.
- 7. A copy of these rights is to be posted in each home in both English and French (at least size 16 font) in a conspicuous location. Residents' Rights will be made available upon request to any interested parties.

## See Also:

Residents' Bill of Rights – English and French
Resident Information Package -Schedule A – Agreement
Employee Handbook
Volunteer Program Manual
Caressant Care Contractor Information Sheet
Fixing Long-Term Care Act, 2021 and ON Regulation 246/22