

**HACKETTSTOWN REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY MANUAL**

RESTRAINT POLICY

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SCOPE

All clinical departments within Hackettstown Regional Medical Center

PURPOSE

The appropriate and safe management of restraints for:

1. Acute medical surgical or nonviolent/non-self-destructive patients (prevent interference with medical treatment).
2. Behavioral health/violent self-destructive patient (preventing injury to self and/or others or the environment).

POLICY

HRMC follows the Adventist Health Care Policy

<http://intranet.adventisthealthcare.com/NewPolicy/docs/ahc%20cp%205.0.pdf>