

**HACKETTSTOWN MEDICAL CENTER
PHYSICAL/OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PROCEDURE MANUAL
RELATIONSHIP OF REHABILITATION SERVICES TO OTHER HOSPITAL UNITS**

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PURPOSE

Rehabilitation Services is closely tied to all other medically oriented units in the hospital (i.e., ER, Pharmacy, X-ray, Laboratory, Nursing, and Respiratory Therapy) with the objectives of improving health, prolonging life, restoring function and preventing disability.

Physical and Occupational Therapy are dependent upon X-ray, Laboratory, Pharmacy, Respiratory Therapy and Nursing to assist in the in patient's preparation for treatment by Physical and Occupational Therapy. Rehabilitation Services works to supply the Emergency Room with appropriate equipment and service to patients on an outpatient basis.