

**HACKETTSTOWN REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER
PASTORAL CARE POLICY MANUAL
CONFIDENTIALITY AND PROFESSIONAL ETHICS**

=====

Effective Date:	March, 1996	Policy No:	8670.007
Cross Referenced:	Addendum Code of Ethics	Origin:	Pastoral Care
Reviewed Date:	10/07, 2/16	Authority:	Pastoral Care Manager
Revised Date:		Page:	1 of 1

- Purpose:** To provide clear ethical standards regarding professional development, pastoral relationship and confidentiality.
- Policy:** The professional code of ethics that will be used by Pastoral Care Services at Hackettstown Regional Medical Center is the Code of Ethics of the Association of Professional Chaplains. (See Addendum: Code of Ethics)
- Procedure:** Each chaplain will sign a copy of the Code of Ethics signifying his or her acceptance of the Code.