

Daytime Outpatient Surgery Center

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PATIENT RIGHTS

- Patients shall be treated with respect, consideration and dignity.
- Patients shall be provided appropriate privacy.
- Patients' disclosures and records shall be treated confidentially and, except when authorized by law, patients shall be given the opportunity to approve or refuse their release.
- Patients shall be provided information concerning their diagnosis, treatment and prognosis. When it is medically inadvisable to give such information to a patient, the information shall be provided to a person designated by the patient or to a legally authorized person.
- Patients shall be given the opportunity to participate in decisions involving their health care, except when such participation is contraindicated for medical reasons.
- Expect personnel who care for the patient to be friendly, considerate, respectful and qualified through education and experience, as well as perform the services for which they are responsible with the highest quality of services
- Make informed decisions regarding his or her care.
- Every patient is encouraged to speak up, ask questions and be actively involved in their care while at the facility.

DISCLOSURE OF OWNERSHIP

Joseph Daniels, DO has an investment in Daytime Outpatient Surgery Center which enables him to have a voice in the administration of policies of our facility. This involvement helps to ensure the highest quality of surgical care for our patients. If you do not wish to have your procedure done at this facility please contact us.

Date /Initials if Informant if Verbally Informed

ADVANCE DIRECTIVE NOTIFICATION

In the State of Texas all patients have the right to participate in their own health care decisions and to make Advance Directives or to execute Powers of Attorney that authorize others to make decisions on their behalf based on the patient's expressed wishes when the patient is unable to make decisions or unable to communicate decisions.

However, unlike in an acute care hospital setting, Daytime Outpatient Surgery Center does not routinely perform "high risk" procedures. While no surgery is without risk, procedures performed in this facility are considered to be of minimal risk. You will discuss the specifics of your procedure with your physician who can answer your questions as to its risks, your expected recovery, and care after your surgery.

Therefore, we wish to notify you that Daytime Outpatient Surgery Center **does not** honor Advance Directives and will initiate resuscitative or other stabilizing measures and transfer you to an acute care hospital for further evaluation. At the acute care hospital, further treatments or withdrawal of treatment measures already begun will be ordered in accordance with your wishes or Advance Directive.

If you do not have an Advance Directive / Living Will / Healthcare Proxy and would like more information you may contact our office, visit www.caringinfo.org or call (800)685-8898. If you do not agree with this facility's policy, we will be pleased to assist you in rescheduling your procedure.

By signing this document, I acknowledge that I have read and understand its contents and received this information prior to the date of service:

Patient / Patient Representative Signature with relationship Date