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**POLICY**

Public Hospital District #1 of Snohomish County, d/b/a Valley General Hospital complies with the Reproductive Privacy Act, RCW 9.02, and the Washington State hospital licensing regulations regarding policies on reproductive health care.

The Reproductive Privacy Act requires a public hospital district that elects to provide maternity care benefits, services, or information through a program administered or funded by the public hospital district, to also provide substantially equivalent pregnancy termination benefits, services or information.

Public Hospital District #1 of Snohomish County, d/b/a Valley General Hospital does not provide maternity care benefits and services. The hospital does provide a residential chemical dependency treatment program and detox services for pregnant women, and may provide treatment for pregnant women for gestation of less than 20 weeks, in the event of an urgent or emergency spontaneous abortion.

**REFERENCE**

Revised Code of Washington 9.02

- ▶ Compliance Monitoring
- ▶ Process Cycle Information
- ▶ Logs