(A) Policy Statement

The Rehab Services Department will actively encourage reintegration into the community for our patients.

(B) Purpose of Policy

To provide an opportunity for patients to adapt to their strengths/weaknesses in a community setting.

To provide an opportunity for patients to integrate their skills into the community.

To provide education and resource information.

(C) Procedure

1. Community reintegration will be addressed for rehab patients and documented on treatment plans/plan of care and treatment notes as appropriate.

2. Community reintegration may be addressed via education by patients/families. Topics may include community resources, application legislation (i.e., Americans With Disabilities ACT (ADA), or Individuals With Disabilities Act (IDEA), etc.

3. Community reintegration may also involve evaluation and intervention in a community based setting to include job analysis, transitional work, pre-employment screenings. All outings will be coordinated with scheduling and other team members.