

# North Sound Mental Health Administration

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From: Chuck Benjamin, Executive Director

Subject: Revised/new policy/document

***Policy 1532.00 – Residential Placement***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1542.00 – Evaluation and Treatment Facilities (E&T) Admission Medical Clearance Criteria***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1543.00 – Nursing Assessment for Consumers at Evaluation and Treatment Facilities***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1550.00 – Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) Services***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1557.00 – Safety Policy***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1563.00 – Program of Assertive Community Treatment (PACT)***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10. Attachment 1563.01 is included for your convenience.

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***Policy 1567.00 – Early Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP) for Adults***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1577.00 – Evaluation and Treatment Facilities Refusal and Review Process***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10.

***Policy 1716.00 – Accessing Developmental Disability (DD)/Mental Health (MH) Crisis Support Services***

This **revised** policy has been through the complete approval process, was signed and approved by Board of Directors designee and is effective 6/17/10. Attachments 1716.01 and 1716.02 are included for your convenience.

This revised/new policy/document will be available on the NSMHA website at [www.nsmha.org](http://www.nsmha.org) for your future reference.

Please ensure this revised/new policy/document is implemented at your agency within 60 days.

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