

# NORTH COUNTRY COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH

## RECIPIENT RIGHTS TEST

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

(PLEASE CIRCLE THE CORRECT ANSWER)

1. In addition to the rights, benefits, and privileges guaranteed by other provisions of law, the state constitution of 1963, and the Constitution of the United States, a recipient of mental health services shall have the rights guaranteed unless otherwise restricted by law.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

2. The Mental Health Code gives the Office of Recipient Rights UNIMPEEDED ACCESS to ALL staff, service sites, recipients, and evidence necessary to conduct an investigation or to monitor services.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

3. Staff are eligible to file an appeal unless they were the complainant.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

4. Anonymous reporters receive a summary report.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

5. It is acceptable to place any recipient in a restraint if a provider is contracted with North Country Community Mental Health.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

6. Protecting the recipient is your primary responsibility. The failure to report abuse or neglect will result in YOU BEING CHARGED with neglect as well.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

7. A recipient cannot simply agree to have information about him or her released.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

8. A recipient has the right to refuse treatment unless it is court ordered.

**TRUE**      **FALSE**

