

**PROTOCOL FOR: DVD, VCR, TV and Portable Stereo System Use**

- POLICY:**
1. Nursing staff will be responsible for supervising and monitoring use of DVD, VCR, and TV. Viewing is generally allowed between the hours of 11pm and 4pm.
  2. Viewing materials may not include explicit sexual activity or violence.
  3. Patients and family members / friends may bring in suitable materials.
  4. Video equipment and viewing materials will be secured when not in use.

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