

Clients Rights and Responsibilities  
White Earth Tribal Mental Health Program  
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Every client has the following rights when receiving services through the White Earth Tribal Mental Health Program:

Client:

1. Has the right to considerate and respectful service.
2. Can expect to receive from this Counselor, complete and current information pertaining to his/her case, diagnosis, and treatment, in a language that is reasonable. Information may also be provided to parent or guardian in cases where appropriate.
3. Has the right to know the name and specialty of the Counselor.
4. Has the right to consideration and inclusion of his/her cultural, religious, and social traditions.
5. Has the right to privacy and respect as it relates to their treatment plan. Case discussions, consultation, examination, and treatment are extremely confidential and will be dealt with as such.
6. Has the right to have his/her questions answered.
7. Has the right to be informed, through the signing of the Release of Information, of all outside contact made pertaining to the client.
8. Has the right to expect continuity of care.
9. Shall be encouraged and assisted in understanding and exercising Client Rights. Clients are encouraged to voice grievances and recommendations for changes.
10. Is assured of confidentiality in treatment of records and information shared during sessions. All employees at White Earth Tribal Mental Health are Mandated Reporters, and are by law required to report all instances of child abuse and neglect to the appropriate County or Tribal Agencies. All other information provided by the client will not be shared without the client's written or witnessed approval.

WETMHP Goal: The WETMHP seeks to provide culturally appropriate Mental Health Services to people of the White Earth Reservation and surrounding communities.

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Signature of Client or Parent/Guardian

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Date