

Discrimination is Against the Law

Valley Children's Healthcare complies with applicable Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Valley Children's Healthcare does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

Valley Children's Healthcare:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - o Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages
- If you need these services, contact Interpreter Services 559-353-5250

If you believe that Valley Children's Healthcare has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with: Patient Representatives, 9300 Valley Children's Place, Madera, CA 93636, Phone: 559-353-5425, Fax: 559-353-5286. You can file a grievance in person, by mail or fax. If you need help filing a grievance, Patient Representatives are available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services 200 Independence Avenue, SW Room 509F, HHH Building Washington, D.C. 20201 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

Complaint forms are available at http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html