

# Beaumont Hospital – Taylor

## Mental Health Elopement Policy Review Confirmation

This is to certify that you, as nursing faculty, have reviewed the elopement policy with your students and & will continue to do so as needed. Points that need to be highlighted are as follows:

- **Stairwells** – not to be used under any circumstance other than an emergency
- **Unit Door** - when entering and exiting the unit, the last person has to hold onto the door and ensure its closure and that there is not anyone else exiting behind that is not authorized to do so.
- **Patients are not** to be clustered around any doors as they are potential sources of exit when opened.
- **In the event of a missing patient**, all patients are to be directed into the dining room for a head count (if students want to get involved).

**Signature on this form acknowledges the above mentioned responsibilities and signifies acceptance of responsibility for the actions of the nursing students in your class while on the unit.**

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(Nursing Faculty Signature)

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(Date)