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CARE OF ACUTE PATIENTS TRANSFERRED FROM THE PRIVATE SECTOR

POLICY STATEMENT

It is the Bay of Plenty District Health Board’s (BOPDHB) policy that “private” patients being transferred to one of BOPDHB’s facilities (hospitals) from a private hospital may remain under the care of the “private” specialist provided that the specialist has clinical privileges at the Board’s facility. In situations where the “private” specialist does not have BOPDHB facility privileges, then the patient will be transferred to the care of the on-call duty specialist. The transferring specialist must discuss the case with the on call specialist at the BOPDHB’s facility.

PURPOSE

To ensure that the “private” patient’s care, when transferred to a Board facility, is maintained in an appropriate manner. This policy is to provide clarity in respect to the responsibility for that care.

EXCLUSIONS

This policy does not refer to health professionals other than specialist medical practitioners.

ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS

- Bay of Plenty District Health Board policy 6.1.3 protocol 1 Care of Acute Patients Transferred from Private Sector Standards
- Bay of Plenty District Health Board policy 6.1.1 Continuity of Care Management
- Bay of Plenty District Health Board policy 6.1.2 Medical Responsibility for Patient Care
- Bay of Plenty District Health Board policy 3.50.06 Credentialling of Senior Medical Staff
- Bay of Plenty District Health Board policy 3.2.3 Non-New Zealand Residents - Charging For Services Delivered By BOPDHB

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