Safety Is No Joking Matter

The safety
of patients, families,
friends, and
staff members is
very important to us.

All comments and actions are taken seriously.

Even if you say something because you're angry or you think it's funny, your comment could be perceived as a threat.

What does this mean?

If you threaten to harm others:

- You could be asked to leave the dialysis clinic.
- Law enforcement could be called.
- You could be involuntary discharged from the dialysis clinic.

Many patients who have been involuntarily discharged have a difficult time finding a new dialysis facility.

If you are angry, **stay calm and talk to your clinic manager or social worker.** You can also call the ESRD Network at **800.826.3773**.

We can work together to resolve any issue.

To file a grievance, contact your Network:

Network 7: Florida T: 800.826.3773

Network 13: Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma T: 800.472.8664 Network 15: Arizona, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico, Utah, Wyoming T: 800.783.8818 Network 17: American Samoa, Guam, Hawaii, Northern California, Northern Mariana Islands T: 800.232.3773

Network 18: Southern California T: 800.637.4767

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