NWF Health Network Policy & Procedure

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Policy

It is the policy of NWF Health Network (NWFHN), to ensure the health safety and welfare of all employees by providing each employee and family member with an Employee Assistance Program (EAP) benefit through a Third Party provider.

Procedure

- A. The EAP provides confidential assessment, referral, and short-term counseling for individuals twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven (7) days a week.
- B. Contact information for the EAP may be obtained by contacting Human Resources or through the benefits portal of the PEO Benefits provider.
- C. The use of the EAP may prevent personal problems and should not be used to deal with diminished work performances that are the result of work related issues.
- D. Referral to the EAP is not a substitute for normal performance management.
- E. EAP emphasizes that managers are not expected to deal with employees' personal problems; managers may suggest EAP if they feel the employee would benefit from professional counseling.
- F. The manager is responsible to address any work-related matters.