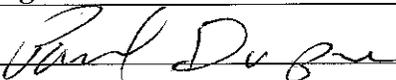


Vermont Psychiatric Care Hospital Policy	
Rehabilitation Services	
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All patients at the Vermont Psychiatric Care Hospital (VPCH) are eligible to receive ancillary rehabilitation services, and these services shall be provided for VPCH patients as clinically indicated.

The Governing Body has the responsibility for ensuring that these rehabilitation services, which are provided under contract, are furnished in compliance with Federal and State law and regulations, and applicable national standards. The Governing Body shall ensure that these services are provided in a safe and effective manner. In the event that the specific rehabilitation services a patient needs are not available at VPCH, the patient will be referred to a community provider.

A patient's attending physician is responsible for referring the patient for rehabilitation services as needed. The VPCH Consultation Procedure will be followed to ensure that all consultations are provided.

Approved by:	Signature:	Date:
Paul Dupre, Commissioner, DMH		4-7-14