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# Policy: Reproductive Health

#### **POLICY:**

- 1. Forks Community Hospital provides emergency contraception to victims of sexual assault only. Victims of sexual assault are given information pertaining to emergency contraception and, if requested, administration of the oral contraceptive Levonorgestrel.
- 2. Emergency Contraception:
  - a. Victims of sexual assault are provided medically accurate and unbiased written and verbal information about emergency contraception.
  - b. Victims of sexual assault are informed of the option to have emergency contraception. If not medically contraindicated and if requested by the victim, the oral contraceptive Levonorgestrel will be administered.

#### PURPOSE:

None listed.

#### **DEFINITIONS:**

WAC - Washington Administative Code

## **EQUIPMENT/SOFTWARE:**

None listed.

## PROCEDURE:

None listed.

### REFERENCES:

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