**REVISIONS TO POLICY STATEMENT:** **YES**  **NO OTHER REVISIONS:**  **YES**  **NO**

**APPLIES TO**:

All Northpointe Behavioral Healthcare services.

**POLICY:**

It is the policy of Northpointe Behavioral Healthcare Systems that services shall be provided in the least restrictive setting that is appropriate and available.

**PURPOSE**:

To develop a policy to ensure that NBHS recipients are being served in the least restrictive setting.

**PROCEDURE:**

A review of the least restrictive setting will be conducted, at a minimum, as part of the annual person-centered planning meeting.