

Haverstraw Center Rules

1. At the Center, we treat one another well, as “family,” and this place as “home.” You are expected to treat the Center and everyone in it with respect, courtesy, and compassion at all times.
2. Coming to our Center and participating in our services is always voluntary.
3. The Center is a safe place, and it is up to all of us to keep it that way. Weapons are strictly forbidden. There is absolutely no physical violence of any kind nor threats of violence permitted.
4. We respect one another’s dignity and privacy both in and outside of the Center. No foul, offensive or abusive language or behavior will be allowed here. This includes any racial, sexual or prejudicial language.
5. You are expected to come to the Center free of alcohol or any other drug. No one under the influence of drugs or alcohol will be allowed.
6. Possession of drugs or alcohol is strictly forbidden at the Center, including paraphernalia.
7. Center staff must be respected and obeyed at all times. This means that you are expected to follow good, orderly direction during fire drills, other emergencies, and at all other times.
8. Everyone is expected to help keep our Center clean and beautiful, and to clean up after themselves. Gum chewing is never allowed.
9. The safety of everyone at the Center is our priority. Watch your actions and those of others, and speak up if you see others acting in a dangerous manner.
10. Center participants are expected to behave and dress in a respectful manner at all times.
11. The Center and our staff will not be responsible for your personal property, so please be careful with your belongings. You are also responsible for your own medications and medical needs. If you have a medical problem that we should know about, please tell us - we will keep it private!
12. If staff ask you to leave because of a rule infraction, or ask you to change your behavior, you are expected to do so right away. Failure to do so may result in your suspension from the Center for a period of time.

If you feel that you are being treated unfairly according to these rules, you can ask to speak with a supervisor, who will hear your concerns and try to resolve the problem.

Following these rules will make our Center a safe and fun place for everyone in our community!