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B.2.27 History of Domestic Violence

RMHC of Greater Chattanooga strives to offer families a safe, secure and welcoming environment and will not knowingly admit any guest or permit onsite any staff, weekend manager, Board Member or individual who is contracted to regularly perform work within the House who has been convicted of domestic assault or any other crime involving domestic violence, or who is the subject of a pending criminal charge of domestic assault or any other crime involving domestic violence. Senior RMHC leadership may assess situations and make an exception in cases in which a conviction occurred more than five years in the past.

In cases in which there is an order of protection against a guest, staff will determine whether it is appropriate for the individual to obtain services from RMHC.

Failure for a guest to disclose domestic violence and related convictions or pending charges may result in immediate eviction of the offending party from the House.

See Also:

- B.2.2 Liability
- B.2.24 Criminal Background Check
- B.2.26 History of Child Abuse
- B.2.40 Violence
- B.2.41 Child Abuse and Corporal Punishment
- B.2.57 Disruptive or Challenging Families