

**Health Planning Council of Southwest Florida, Ryan White Part B
Exceptions Policy**

Effective: 3/1/10

The Southwest Florida Regional HIV/AIDS Council (RHAC) and the Health Planning Council of Southwest Florida (HPC) recognize that not all situations will be within the policies set by the RHAC and HPC. The following are the guidelines HPC will use to consider exceptions to established policies:

- Only services or assistance that fall within the definition of the funded services under the Ryan White CARE Act will be considered for exception. HPC will not pay for service such as inpatient medical care or appliance repair.
- Eligibility policies are set by the State of Florida and HPC will not grant exceptions that are in conflict with those policies.
- Exceptions will be considered if funding is available
- Exceptions must be based on documented health-related need

I, (print client name) _____, have read and understand the above policy. I understand my responsibilities to seek other sources of reimbursement or coverage, and seek reimbursement back to the RWII program where applicable. I understand I must be compliant with the requirements for assistance outlined above or I risk being ineligible for further assistance.

Client Signature: _____

Date: _____

Case Manager: _____

Date: _____