## VALLEY AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTER

## **Patient Complaint & Grievance Procedure**

Valley Ambulatory Surgery Center's patient representatives are:

Daniel C. Hauer, CASC – Administrator Joyce Masnyk, RN – Nurse Manager

Notify either of the patient representatives if you feel that any rights have been violated, or if you have a complaint, or suggestion for improvement. This can be accomplished by completing and returning your patient questionnaire or by direct contact:

Valley Ambulatory Surgery Center 2210 Dean Street Saint Charles, IL 60175 (630) 584-9800

Complaints or concerns may be given verbally or in writing at any time to any staff member, and will be submitted to one of the patient representatives by the next working day.

Complaints that cannot be resolved by the patient representatives shall be referred to the Privacy Officer no later than three (3) days after the receipt of the report of the patient representative to the patient.

The Privacy Officer shall make an additional investigation and provide results of their investigation to the complainant within seven (7) days.

If a concern has not been addressed to your satisfaction, the problem may be referred in writing to the:

Surgery Partners
Corporate Compliance Officer
40 Burton Hills Boulevard, Suite 500
Nashville, TN 37215

Compliance Hotline: (877) 363-3069

Illinois Department of Public Health
Office of Health Care Regulation
Central Complaint Registry
535 W. Jefferson Street
Springfield, IL 62761
http://www.idph.state.il.us

Tele: (217) 782-4977 TTY: (800) 547-0466

<u>Medicare Beneficiary Ombudsman</u> http://www.cms.hhs.gov/center/ombudsman.asp

If a concern has not been addressed to your satisfaction, excluding fee disputes, a complaint may be filed with the appropriate oversight board of the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation
Tele: (312) 814-6910
http://www.idfpr.com/admin/complaints.asp