CONNECTICUT VALLEY HOSPITAL OPERATIONAL POLICY MANUAL

SECTION II: ORGANIZATION-FOCUSED FUNCTIONS

POLICY 10: Management of Information

POLICY 10.23: Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information

Without Authorization

Policy:

It is the policy of Connecticut Valley Hospital (CVH) that CVH may disclose Protected Health Information (PHI) without authorization for the following:

- 1. Public Health activities and purposes;
- 2. addressing concerns about victims of abuse or neglect;
- 3. health oversight activities;
- 4. judicial or administrative proceedings;
- 5. deceased individuals;
- 6. to avert a serious threat to health or safety of a person or the public;
- 7. specialized government functions;
- 8. shared government services; and
- 9. workforce member crime victims.

(See OP&P Procedure 10.23, Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information Without Authorization for details).