

MHS Inpatient unit Family Visiting Rooms World Wide Categories of Accreditation Guidelines.

Categories

1. Family Visiting Rooms with a Jacks' toy box. The Family Visiting Room must be specifically designed comfortable (family friendly private) and appropriately furnished and available to families at all times. The room must be designated and sign posted (with the white and yellow laminated signs provided).
NNAAMI sponsor information is displayed on toy boxes and Jacks' toy box folder available in the room at all times. Jacks' Toy Box maintained by mental health service / unit manager.

1. (a) For units with a Jacks' toy box, where the unit does not have a room specially designed as a Family Visiting Room but can demonstrate the availability of another suitable room families can access.
The room must be designated and sign posted (with the white and yellow laminated signs provided) available as a Family Visiting Room (multi purpose), that will provide families privacy while visiting till a specially designed family visiting room is incorporated into the MHS unit.
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Other additional categories

AA. Good Standard Best Practice

ie all above in categories 1 or 1(a), and many have better quality comfortable furnishing including TV, board games or educational games for all ages / appropriate computer games available, drinking water, Electric Kettle & Coffee & Tea Making Jug & Cups etc.

AAA. High Standard, Best Practice, Family Visiting Room.

ie all above in categories 1 or 1(a) and AA, and may have good reading material or reading lighting or a computer available for young people, student desk, & radio TV, VHS, CD, DVD player, and drinking water, a microwave *for families to heat up a meal or snack while visiting.*

Gold Medal Certificate AAA

Exceptionally High Standard, Best Practice, Family Visiting Room.
Reserved for exceptional effort,
in furniture appointments design and layout of a room meeting all or most of the other categories requirements above while catering for all ages.

NNAAMI WAYMI reserves the right to make above determinations make changes to above, publicly publicise above accreditation decisions and to terminate any family room / units accreditation at any time.

A basic WAYMI Vision for MH units Worldwide.

We hope all MH units everywhere will have a homely and practical private family visiting room for all Families and Visitors, set aside and separate from treatment rooms, exclusively for family time.

- **For Family Visiting Rooms of Mental Health Units
Australia World Wide**
- **If your hospital would like to participate in this program or**
- **You feel a hospital unit Family Visiting Room may reach a greater standard or category above,**
It would help us if you can, Send us a photo of your hospital family visiting room with a detailed description of its contents to help us display your hospitals work.

Please give us a call, or contact nnaami, by email via this site.

& Please advise nnaami if a hospital family visiting room no longer reaches its standard.

***A big thank you
to our
Participating Services.***