



### **HCBS RULE 3 ACCESS TO PERSONAL BELONGINGS**

It is the facility's policy to label all the residents' personal property for their protection. It will be recommended that all clothing be labeled with permanent laundry markers prior to admission by the family or responsible party to clearly identify which resident they belong to. Second, all personal belongings that can be marked with permanent pen will be marked in discreet locations. In cases where the item or items cannot be safely labeled with non-erasable markers, an electric pencil will be used to engrave the resident's name in a discreet place on the items if the resident agrees.