Nurses' Station & Resident Call System

(f) Each facility shall provide:

2. A walker or a tripod cane to each resident who requires mechanical assistance to walk; and

3. A wheelchair to each resident who is not ambulatory.

8:39-46.3 Advisory environmental modification

(a) The program includes appropriate facility modifications to ensure a safe environment which allows each Alzheimer's/dementia resident to function with maximum independence and success.

(b) The facility has developed safety policies and procedures and a security monitoring system which are specific to the program, based upon the physical location of the program as well as the individual needs of the Alzheimer's/dementia residents.

(c) The facility provides indoor and outdoor arrangements that allow residents freedom to ambulate in a controlled setting.

(d) Doors are marked with items familiar to the individual resident, which enhance the resident’s ability to recognize his or her room, and bathrooms are specially marked and easily accessible.

Shower/Tub Room

New Construction: Nursing Unit

Summary: Walkers and Wheelchairs; Alzheimer's/Dementia Residents