33-07-03.2-19. Social services.

The governing body shall ensure social services are provided to ensure each resident attains and maintains their highest level of physical, mental, and psychosocial functioning.

1. The facility shall have one or more designated staff members trained in the assessment of residents’ psychosocial needs and in the provision of services to meet those needs. If a designee is not a qualified social worker as defined in North Dakota Century Code chapter 43-41, the designee shall receive onsite consultation from a qualified social worker on a quarterly basis.

2. If the facility does not provide social services directly, the facility must have a contract with an agency or individual qualified to provide such services.

3. The facility shall have policies and procedures for the delivery of social services.

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