

SOUTH CAROLINA

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SECTION 1400 - MEAL SERVICE

1404. Meals and Services (II)

...C. A minimum of three (3) nutritionally-adequate meals in each twenty-four-hour (24-hour) period shall be provided for each resident unless otherwise directed by the resident's physician or other legally authorized healthcare provider.

D. Not more than fourteen (14) hours shall elapse between the scheduled serving of the evening meal and breakfast the following day. As an exception, there may be up to sixteen (16) hours between the scheduled serving of the evening meal and breakfast the following day if approved by the resident's attending physician and the resident, and if a nourishing snack is provided after the evening meal.

...H. Food and snacks shall be available and offered between meals at no additional cost to the residents. Individual resident food and snack preferences shall be honored when reasonable.

1408. Ice and Drinking Water (II)

...B. Potable drinking water shall be available and accessible to residents at all times.

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