

310:675-1-2. Definitions

"Allied health professional" means one of the following persons: physician assistant, physical, speech, or occupational therapist, occupational therapy assistant, physical therapy assistant, or qualified social worker.

"Licensed health professional" means one of the following: a physician; dentist, podiatrist, chiropractor, physician assistant, nurse practitioner; pharmacist; physical, speech, or occupational therapist; registered nurse, licensed practical nurse; licensed or certified social worker; or licensed/registered dietician.

310:675-7-9.1. Written administrative policies and procedures

(m) The facility shall adopt policies and procedures for the administration of social services, activities, dietary, housekeeping, maintenance and personnel.

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310:675-9-11.1. Social services

(a) Service. The facility shall provide medically related social services to identify and meet the resident's social and emotional needs, and assist each resident and family in adjusting to the effects of the illness, treatment, and stay in the facility.

(b) Director. There shall be a designated staff member, qualified by training or experience, responsible for directing and supervising the social services. The social services director shall develop appropriate social services for each resident with identified needs.

(c) Clinical record. The social services rendered shall be recorded in the resident's record. Progress notes shall be written at least monthly, or when a significant change in a resident's condition occurs.

(d) Program requirements.

(1) Assist the resident in identifying issues and conditions related to admission to the facility.

(2) Assist the resident in obtaining needed services within the facility or the community.

(3) Assist the resident in obtaining needed transportation.

(4) Assist the resident in maintaining and developing relationships with family and other significant persons.

(5) Assist the staff in understanding the resident's actions and behavior.

(6) Assist the staff in treating the residents with respect, and promote resident independence.

(7) Counsel with the resident and his family in securing and enhancing participation in the resident's care.

(8) Engage in related activities as determined by the resident's individual needs.

(9) Encourage the resident to express his/her rights as United States citizens.

[Source: Added at 9 Ok Reg 3163, eff 7-1-92 (emergency); Added at 10 Ok Reg 1639, eff 6-1-93]

310:675-13-9. Social services personnel

(a) The facility shall provide sufficient, trained social services staff to meet the residents needs. There shall be at least thirty minutes per resident a week of designated social service staff based on the daily census. The facility shall have at least twenty hours per week, of designated social service staff, regardless of the number of residents.

(b) The social services director shall be qualified by training, or experience, under one of the following:

(1) A baccalaureate, from an accredited college or university, in social work or in a human services field including, but not limited to, sociology, special education, rehabilitation, counseling or psychology.

(2) Successful completion of the Department approved training course.

(3) One year experience in social work or long term care environment, and is enrolled within 180 days of employment, in a course approved by the Department.

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310:675-9-1.1. Nursing and personal care services

(c) The facility shall assist the resident in securing other services recommended by a physician such as, but not limited to, optometry or ophthalmology, audiology or otology, podiatry, laboratory, radiology or hospital services. The administration shall, through social services or other means, assist each resident desiring or needing medical related services.

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