

DESCRIPTION OF LEVELS OF CARE

Basic Services Rate This is a residential living setting for senior adults (60+) in a community that provide 24 hour room and board with hospitality services, entertainment activities, outings, access to transportation, laundry & food service, dining, and medication monitoring. Under this living arrangement, the senior adult leads an independent lifestyle that requires minimal or no extra housing in market rate rooms where residents usually have complete choice in whether to participate in the community's services or programs with the ability to leave the premises without assistance or monitoring.

Level 1 - Residents requiring Basic Services as listed above, is not totally independent, yet ambulatory, continent, alert, non-combative, coherent, free of dementia, and have all meals with the other residents. Monitoring & management of medications is provided. Transportation to medical visits is available in our van and may result in an extra transportation charge.

Level 2 - Residents requiring additional supervision or minimal assistance in some areas of personal care and activities of daily living. Dependent on staff, ambulatory, maybe incontinent but able to change and dispose of supplies alert, non-combative, coherent and free of dementia. Is occasionally in need of assistance such as: bathing, standing during showers, help dressing, a "meal reminder," but has meals in the dining room. Monitoring & administration of medications is provided. Transportation to medical visits is available in our van and may incur an extra transportation charge.

Level 3 - Residents requiring moderate to maximum assistance in some areas of personal care and activities of daily living. Ambulatory, mild confusion, and may be incontinent but needs help changing & disposing of supplies. Needs assistance with bathing, standing during showers, help dressing and assistance with transferring. Meal reminders but has meals in the dining room, may be forgetful or has evidence of mild dementia. Needs help getting to and from toilet. Monitoring & administration of medication is provided. Transportation to medical visits is available in our van and may result in an extra transportation charge.

Level 4 - Requiring a higher level of care for a temporary illness which persists for 14 days or less. Non-ambulatory, possible combative, needs help dressing, likely incontinent needing help changing and disposing of supplies. May need assistance getting in and out of bed. Needs help getting to and from toilet and needs help with meals. Often with this level care dementia issues are present and/or needs a higher care plan management (i.e. hospice), along with daily documentation. The level of care is within licensing capabilities under a hospice waiver. Staff is providing 24 hour monitoring & administration of the hospice care plan including pain management medications. Transportation to medical visits is available in our van and may incur an extra transportation charges. Non-hospice residents may require needs assessment for transfer to higher level of care (skilled nursing) or hospital.

Applicant/Responsible Person: _____

(Signature)

Date: _____