CHARLIE BRERETON DIRECTOR

HS-05 Staff Interview #2

1. How frequently did individuals go out for entertainment in the past month?

Staff Response: I would say at least 50% of residents went out for entertainment at least 3 times weekly in the past month.

2. What types of community groups or other activities in the community do individuals engage in? Who do individuals usually go with? How do individuals get there?

Staff Response: Bowling, COR Enterprises, shopping, dinner, and just outings in general. Residents usually go with family, close friends, and other relatives. Residents usually get out into the community by using their own transportation, MET transit, friends and family/relatives, or the ALF transportation bus.

3.Do individuals have any activities they are required to attend?

Staff Response: They are encouraged to attend activities however are never required to attend any activities.

4. How do individuals see or make plans with their friends when they wish?

Staff Response: They make plans by writing letters, using their personal cell phones, using phones in their rooms or a facility phone. If assistance is needed supervisors or the social workers in the facility can assist as well.

5. How frequently can individuals see and/or communicate with their families.

Staff Response: Anytime.

6. How do individuals get places when they want to do something outside of the home?

Staff Response: Own transportation, public bus, friends/family and relatives or the facility bus.

7.Do any individuals have a competitive, integrated, paid job or volunteer in the community.

Staff Response: At this time only one resident does, however they can and are encouraged to if that is something they are interested in.

8.Do individuals vote in local, state or federal elections?

Staff Response: Yes, most do.

9. What happens if individuals choose not to leave their home to attend planned activities or are otherwise unable to do so?

Staff Response: They are encouraged to, but it is always up to the resident if they would like to.

10. How do individuals choose what to buy with their money and how do they go out and spend it?

Staff Response: By their own preferences and needs. They can walk to shopping and dining from the facility if able, as distance is very close. They can go out with family, friends, relatives etc. to spend their own money. If are unable to get out and have preferences or needs, supervisors from the facility can take their money and purchase what is needed for them.

11. How do individuals dictate their daily schedule?

Staff Response: Mealtimes are set, and optional activities are offered daily for the resident to chose if they would like to participate. We encourage participation in activities, dining, and socialization; however, they can stay in their room if they would like to. If a resident has assistance needs with daily cares, they can make preferences in their schedule known to staff.