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## Staff Interview #1 – HS-2 FORM D

1. How frequently did individuals go out for entertainment in the past month? “More than half of our residents go out often with family. Some residents prefer not to leave the facility, especially in the colder weather.”
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? “Residents go out to church or family events, usually by way of friend or family.”
3. Do individuals have any activities they are required to attend? “Only activities of choice.”
4. How do individuals see or make plans with their friends when they wish? “All of our residents mainly do this by phone or in person being that many of them have friends within the facility and some even go out together for events.”
5. How frequently can individuals see and/or communicate with their families? “Anytime they would like.”
6. How do individuals get places when they want to do something outside of the home? “Company bus, company car, families, friends, staff.”
7. Do any individuals have a competitive, integrated, paid job or volunteer in the community? “No.”
8. Do individuals vote in the local, state or federal elections? “Yes.”
9. What happens in individuals choose not to leave their home to attend planned activities or are otherwise unable to do so? “We can find an activity that would suit them.”
10. How do individuals choose what to buy with their money and how do they go out and spend it? “By choice of what they want to buy.”
11. How do individuals dictate their daily schedule? “By choice”
12. How do individuals decide how they spend their free time? “By their personal choice.”
13. How do individuals access food at any time? “They have food in rooms as well as 24 hour access to our kitchen.”