



Member/Resident Interview #2

1a. Do you participate in community groups or other events in your community? Who usually goes with you?

Participant Response:

Yes, participates in pinochle at the Senior Center on Thursdays and Fridays.

Thursdays: He gets a ride from ALF staff.

Fridays: Somebody from pinochle group picks him up and different lady drives home.

1b. Do you have the opportunity to visit friends who do not live or participate here? If yes, how often do you visit them?

Participant Response: No local friends or family to visit.

2. Are you able to go out and do the things you like to do, as often as you'd like?

Participant Response: No. He would like to play bingo at the senior center on Fridays but I don't have a ride. There is a bus that comes here but hasn't used it. He always has a ride provided.

3. How are options of things to do presented to you?

Participant Response: There is an activities calendar. He has a choice what activities wants to do. There is arts and crafts available once a week and Bingo once a week.

4. Do you have a way to get places when you want to do something outside your home?

Participant Response:

Friends from pinochle group. He used to go shopping with the "lady that would get a shopping list of what we all wanted here picked up". "Transportation is not readily available."

5. How often did you go out for fun in the past month?

Participant Response:

Twice a week for pinochle at the Senior Center.

6. Do community groups come to your home for entertainment or social gatherings?

Participant Response:

"A school came and sang Christmas songs." That was only event he could remember.

7. Do you have a paid job? Do you volunteer?

Participant Response:

No

8. Who chose the place you work?

Participant Response:

NA

9. Do you have a way to get places you work?

Participant Response:

NA

10. Do you take classes, training, or do something to help you get a job or a better job?

Participant Response:

NA

11. Have you voted? (In a local, state, or federal election?) If not, would you like to?

Participant Response:

Yes, I do in all elections.

12. Can you see and/or talk to your family or friends at any time you choose?

Participant Response:

Yes. He can use the resident phone whenever he wants. His cousin that 2-3 times a year.

13. Who decides your daily schedule?

Participant Response:

“Eating times pretty set.” Decides his schedule during the day. “There aren’t many things to do.” He mostly watches television in his room. Enjoys watching the price is right.

14. If you leave to do something fun or go to work or an appointment, do you have to return by a certain time?

Participant Response:

“No time requirement.”

15. What happens if you choose not to leave your home during the day to attend work or other planned activities, or are otherwise unable to do so?

Participant Response:

Nothing. He can do what he wants.

16. Who chose the place where you live?

Participant Response:

Ex-wife chose for him to live here.

17.Do you like where you live?

Participant Response:

“Yes, for what it is. Above average. Meals are on time and wholesome.”

18.Do you know who to ask if you want to live somewhere else?

Participant Response:

Yes, can ask ALF social workers. “She makes the arrangements if need to go somewhere else.”

19.Are you able to decorate your room? Did you choose the decorations in your room?

Participant Response:

Yes

20.Do you choose what to buy with your money?

Participant Response:

Yes

21.Can you get food at any time of the day, whenever you are hungry?

Participant Response:

No. No snacks out.