

New Hire Course Descriptions – State Registry Courses

Fire Safety (minimum 3.5 hours)

This standardized training material is the only material approved by the Department of Health Services to meet DHS 83 requirements, and includes: understand the nature of fire, recognize fire hazards, learn about early warning systems, understand the use of fire extinguishers, focus on the evacuation needs of residents, follow the CBRF emergency and disaster plan, and respond well in an emergency.

First Aid and Procedures to Alleviate Choking (minimum 4 hours)

This standardized training material is the only material approved by the Department of Health Services to meet DHS 83 requirements, and includes: know your role as an assisted living employee in an emergency, be able to provide basic first aid in emergencies until help arrives, understand how to and be able to alleviate choking, identify different types of emergencies and how to respond, and learn basic prevention methods to avoid emergency situations.

Medication Administration (minimum 14 hours)

This standardized training material is the only material approved by the Department of Health Services to meet DHS 83 requirements, and includes: resident rights, facility policies and procedures, delegated procedures, medication management, medical terms and abbreviations, medication packaging, labeling and storage, types of medications, and medication administration.

Standard Precautions (minimum 2 hours)

This standardized training material is the only material approved by the Department of Health Services to meet DHS 83 requirements, and includes: participants will understand how infectious agents are spread from person to person (chain of infection); participants will understand how standard precautions prevent the transmission of infectious agents; participants will know how to use standard precautions to break the chain of infection in a CBRF.