

Top 10 questions to ask when looking for Long Term Care / Senior Care

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- 1. What is the staff-to-resident ratio, nurses, aides, care partners, during different shifts?
- 2. How are individual care plans developed and updated? Are residents and families involved in the planning process?
- 3. What medical services are available on-site, including physician visits, wound care, medication management, and therapy options?
- 4. What activities and social programs are offered to encourage resident engagement and well-being?
- 5. What safety measures are in place to prevent falls and accidents, including monitoring systems and emergency response procedures?

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- 6. How are dietary needs and preferences addressed, including special diets for medical conditions?
- 7. What are the monthly fees, and what payment options are accepted, including Medicare and Medicaid?
- 8. How can residents and families raise concerns or file complaints regarding care or facility conditions?
- 9. Is transportation available for medical appointments, community events, activities, and if so, what is the distance they are willing to travel?
- 10. Personal Belongings: What equipment and personal belongings are residents allowed to bring with them, and are they responsible for providing? (Walkers, TVs, recliners, phones, etc.)