TBGHealth

1008 Clemmers Mill Rd., Schwenksville, PA 19473

JOB DESCRIPTION: Resident Care Aide

EXEMPT/NON-EXEMPT: Non-Exempt

SUPERVISOR'S TITLE: Program Supervisor or Executive Director

WORK SCHEDULE: varies by assigned shift

SUMMARY OF POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Resident Care Aide provides support and care to adults living with acquired or traumatic brain injury in the residential setting.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES:

- 1. Provide assistance and modeling to residents with completing ADLs (activities of daily living) showering/bathing, toileting, dressing, personal hygiene/grooming.
- 2. Provide assistance and modeling to residents in the completion of IADLs (instrumental activities of daily living) using the telephone, shopping, food preparation, housekeeping, laundry.
- 3. Works directly with the resident and provides minimum to maximum assistance and/or supervision to promote the resident's success in daily living tasks, recreational activities.
- 4. Provides transportation in company vehicles and accompanies resident to medical appointments, personal and group recreational activities, shopping.
- 5. Adheres to scheduled activities and completes ongoing/routine assignments with residents, as assigned.
- 6. Supports residents in difficult situations.
- 7. Identifies changes in residents' behavioral, medical, emotional, cognitive and physical condition and alerts applicable clinical members for appropriate care as needed.
- 8. Implements the resident's rehabilitation, treatment and/or support plans.
- 9. Assists with medication management after training.
- 10. Displays flexibility and willingness to respond to changes in operations or program needs by changing program assignments when necessary or assuming other duties as assigned.
- 11. Completes all appropriate and required documentation and recordkeeping (eg logs, observation forms, notes, incident reports, behavior reports, fire drill forms, etc).
- 12. Completes all required trainings and in-services.
- 13. Observes resident confidentiality at all times.
- 14. Works directly with the clinical team and program managers, as well as other team members, to understand, implement, monitor and provide feedback on the effectiveness of residential/rehabilitation plans systems or strategies necessary to support the resident's rehabilitation/habilitation program.
- 15. Communicates all necessary information to the designated team members as appropriate.
- 16. Maintains a professional attitude with resident, family members, clinical staff, management and visitors.
- 17. Demonstrates positive resident interaction skills.

POSITIONS SUPERVISED: None

LEVEL OF EDUCATION/TRAINING/QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. Must be at least 21 years of age.
- 2. Proof of High School Diploma or GED required.
- 3. Must have a minimum of 6 months experience providing care for persons with disabilities in a paid, volunteer or family care capacity.
- 4. Must be able to read, write, speak and understand the English language.
- 5. Good verbal and written communication skills.
- 6. Good time management skills.
- 7. Valid driver's license with clear driving record.

REQUIRED CERTIFICATION/LICENSE: None.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS: Regularly walk, stand, stoop, sit, kneel, bend, lift, carry, push, pull or otherwise move objects weighing up to 50 pounds; and occasionally drive a motor vehicle.

WORKING CONDITIONS: Work is performed in a residential, home-like setting; Work exposes staff to contagious or infectious diseases; Work may expose incumbent to dangerous and volatile situations; which could result in bodily injury.

Employee Signature	Date
(I certify that I have received a copy of my job description.)	

Dates of annual review of job description and updates, if necessary, and authorized signature of approval		
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