CareMate Home Health Care, Inc.

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Fire / Disaster Plan

Policy

The home of each client admitted for CareMate Home Health Care, Inc. service will be assessed for adequate safety in the event of a fire, flood, or tornado in order to provide the greatest degree of protection possible.

Procedure

During the initial assessment, the RN will note:

- 1. entrances / exits to the client's home
- 2. presence of a basement / cellar
- 3. most protected room
- 4. presence of smoke alarms
- 5. presence of carbon monoxide detectors
- 6. presence of sprinklers / fire extinguisher
- 7. presence of fire escape or nearest stair case
- 8. other features important to the safety of the client.
- 9. presence of pets
- 10. instruct client how to dial 911 or use of lifeline to active EMS.