

BUDDYING PROGRAM WORKBOOK – NON-CLINICAL				
Employee's name				
Buddy Program Leader:				
Start Date of Buddy Program				
Finish Date of Buddy Program				
Employees Position /	□ Assistant Nurse (AIN)			
Department	Lifestyle Support Assistant (LSA)			
	\Box Leisure and Lifestyle (L&L)			
	Cook			
	\Box Hospitality – Kitchen / Laundry / Cleaning (HOSP)			
	□ Administration (AD)			
Location of Work	□ Garden City Aged Care Services			
/Facility	Rosalie Nursing Care Centre			
	Windsor Aged Care Services			
referred to herein. I am aware of m	book has been completed and I am familiar with all aspects y responsibilities as an employee of Alzheimer's Association of e to comply with expressed conditions to the best of my ability.			
Employee's Signature:	Date: / /			
	book has been fully completed by the employee and I reviewed am satisfied with all answers provided by the employee.			
Buddy Program Leader Signature:	Date: / /			
Approver's Comment / Notes:				

TOUR OF THE CENTRE				
Objective: Ensuring staff are able to locate areas and items within the facility and understand their function				
□ Staff Parking / Access to Facility	🗆 Wi-Fi Password			
COVID-19 Check-in Point	Emergency Evacuation Manual			
PPE Donning and Doffing Stations	Facility Team Contact List			
Resident Living Areas	Director of Care Office			
Resident Rooms	\Box Kitchen and Dining Area			
Resident Gardens	🗆 Laundry			
Resident Smoking Area	Chemical Storeroom			
Leisure and Lifestyle Activity Space	Maintenance Shed			
Staff and Visitor Amenities	Electrical Safety/Fuse Box/Safety Switch			
 Manual Handling Equipment Wheelchairs Slings Hoists Slide Sheets Regency Chair Spare Walking Aids Staff Room Appliances – toaster, fridge, microwave Staff Lockers 	 Early Fire Detection System Fire Indicator Panel Sub Fire Panel Evacuation Diagrams Assembly Points Smoke Alarms Fire Fighting Equipment Manual Call Point Albac Mats 			
 Administration / Reception Sign-in books - visitor/contractor/resident Door Security Alarm / Information Phone system Contacts Folder Transport Folder Photocopier / Fax / Stationary Cupboard Key Cupboard Access to required databases (Administration) 	 Computer login Safety Data Sheet Folder Fire Equipment maintenance logbooks Asbestos Register Activity Notice Board Visitor Notice Board Laundry and Waste Skips Mail suggestion box Stationary cupboard 			
 Able to locate the following Oxygen cylinders full/empty Oxygen/suction equipment Sphygmomanometer Glucometer 	 Thermometer Pulse Oximeter Dressings PPE supplies Outbreak kit 			

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TOUR OF THE CENTRE			
 Nurses Station Resident Management System Resident Files Resident Care Plans Allied Health Folder Keypad code / keys Appointment Diary Communication diary 	 Call Bell System Staff Contact Folder Process Folder Resource Material Referral Folder MIMS and login Handover process 		
 Message boards/white boards Continence Aid Pad room Spare pad box and signing sheet. 	 Communication equipment Pad bags Pad allocation system 		
POLICIES AND PROCEDURES Objective: To ensure the staff member is demonstrates competence in the practical performance and theoretical			
understanding of the below policies Response to Falls Policy Infection Control Policy			
<u>Restrictive Practices (Restraint Management)</u> <u>Serious Incident Response Scheme (SIRS) Pressure (SIRS)</u>			

FALLS MANAGEMENT

Objective: To ensure the staff member is demonstrates competence in the practical performance and theoretical understanding of the observed tasks listed below.

Competency	AIN	LSA	L&L	HOS	ADM
\Box Able to explain Response to Fall Policy and demonstrate below steps	\checkmark	~	\checkmark	~	~
□ Intervention post fall	~	~			
□ Able to report incident	✓	✓	\checkmark	✓	✓

CARE MANAGER/SARAH TRAINING CHECKLIST

Objective: To ensure the staff member is demonstrates competence in the practical performance and theoretical understanding of the observed tasks listed below.

Competency	AIN	LSA	L&L
Able to access Care Manager/SARAH	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
□ Able to locate a resident	✓	✓	~
□ Able to enter a progress note			~
\Box Able to enter an incident form	✓	\checkmark	✓
\Box Able to enter observations e.g.: weight, TPR	✓	✓	~
□ Able to access a care plan	✓	\checkmark	✓
□ Able to amend or change a care plan			~
\Box Able to follow the care plan review process and schedule			✓
□ Able to access Repositioning (Pressure Area Care)	✓	\checkmark	✓
□ Able to access Sleep chart	✓	\checkmark	✓
□ Able to access Pain chart	✓	✓	~
□ Able to make a Urine entry	✓	\checkmark	\checkmark
□ Able to make a Bowel entry	✓	\checkmark	\checkmark
□ Able to make an ADL entry	✓	✓	~
Able to log off Care Manager	✓	\checkmark	✓
□ Able to set up an ADL chart	✓	✓	
□ Able to set up a Bowel chart	✓	\checkmark	
□ Able to set up an Activities chart			✓
□ Able to access a Lifestyle assessment			\checkmark
□ Able to access a Birthdays list			\checkmark

ASSISTANT NURSE / LIFESTYLE SUPPORT ASSISTANT

CHECKLIST

Objective: To ensure the staff member is familiar with the procedures and responsibilities related to their role

WORK PROCESSES

□ Resident Processes

□ Resident Handbook

 $\hfill\square$ Communication and memo folder

HANDOVER FROM REGISTERED NURSE

□ Handover from Registered Nurses

 \Box Obtaining list of weights, ward tests to be done

□ Checking residents on assessments

ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING

 \Box Assisting residents in and out of bed and/or regency chair

 \Box Positioning / repositioning of residents in bed

 \Box Assisting resident with dressing / undressing

□ Resident personal hygiene (showering, toileting, oral hygiene, moisturising etc) – mobile and non-mobile residents

 \Box Ensure denture pots are renewed weekly, labelled with resident's name and date

□ Prepare residents for breakfast / morning tea / lunch / afternoon tea – ensure:

- Men are shaved daily;
- Make up is applied as requested;
- Glasses are cleaned;
- Safety clothing is worn as per care plan;
- Hearing aids are worn;
- Offer choice of clothing; and
- Clothing and footwear is appropriate for temperature and it is colour coordinated

 \Box Prompting and assisting residents as per their care plans

 \Box Applying continence aid

 $\hfill\square$ Assisting residents to get to common areas when required

 \Box Feeding residents or assist residents to eat and drink

Ensure resident is left clean, tidy and comfortable after each meal

 \Box Assisting with meals – taking trays to residents; returning trays to kitchen;

 \Box Assisting with supper and returning cup to kitchen (afternoon shift)

□ Pressure area care

 \Box Offering fluids to the residents throughout shift

□ Monitoring residents staying up in the evening (afternoon and night shift)

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 \Box Checking continence of residents

□ Attending to comfort/continence rounds (night shift)

TRANSFER AND MANUAL HANDLING

 $\hfill \Box$ Mobilising residents for showering / toileting etc.

 \Box Transferring from bed to chair / regency chair / wheelchair

ROOM ATTENDANCE / ENVIRONMENTAL EXPECTATIONS

 $\hfill\square$ Making beds immediately after providing personal care

 \Box Change beds as per weekly bed change list (and as required)

 $\hfill\square$ Tidying rooms, bathrooms and toilets

 \Box Taking dirty laundry and rubbish and dispose appropriately – linen skips to be taken to room

Emptying linen skips

 \Box Sorting clean laundry and put away folded clothing in residents' cupboard

 \Box Ensuring appropriate seasonal attire is placed in the cupboard

 $\hfill\square$ Tidying and rearrangement lounge rooms – ensuring it's clutter free

 \Box Wiping tables in lounge and dining ensuring no food on floor (afternoon shift)

□ Wiping down lounge furniture (night shift)

□ Filling additional pad box / cupboard and wardrobe bags with continence aids (afternoon shift)

 \Box Emptying pad bins and skips (afternoon shift)

Emptying linen skips and rubbish bins (night shift)

□ Replacing residents' water jugs (night shift)

 \Box Ensuring beds are positioned at lowest point and all bed rails are up for residents who require it, bed breaks are on, sensor mats and air mattresses are functioning (afternoon and night shift)

ADDITIONAL RESIDENT AND FACILITY NEEDS

 \Box Answering requests and call bells and sensor mat alarms promptly

 $\hfill\square$ Answering buzzers while other staff are on their break

 $\hfill\square$ Assisting lifestyle staff to take residents to their chosen activity

 $\hfill\square$ Assisting Registered Nurse on duty as required

 \Box Assisting other staff as required

Ensuring hoist / standing machine / recliner chair batteries are on charge (night shift)

DOCUMENTATION / REPORTING

 \Box Completing required documentation – Care Manager/SARAH and AIN folder

 \Box Recording any resident observations

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 $\hfill\square$ Reporting any concerns or changes to Registered Nurse on duty

□ Completing `pads not used audit (night shift)

 \Box Daily messages

□ Monthly toiletry audits

 \Box 3 monthly wardrobe audits

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 \Box Checking for limb protectors, finger separators, compression stocking, tubigrip and washing on delicate (afternoon shift)

 \Box Setting up trolleys for folding and hanging clothes and sort clothes

 \Box Labelling clothing

□ Tidying multipurpose room

LEISURE AND LIFESTYLE CHECKLIST			
Objective: To ensure the staff member is familiar with the procedures and responsibilities related to their role			
WORK PROCESSES			
Resident Processes			
Resident Handbook			
Communication and memo folder			
HANDOVER FROM REGISTERED NURSE			
□ Handover from Registered Nurses including Resident of the Day, Birthdays, outings			
ACTIVITIES			
Ensuring residents have choice of activities			
Arranging morning / afternoon activities			
Facilitating activities as planned for the day			
Putting items on tables for residents – washing to fold, magazines, newspapers etc			
Pre-arranging money from office and completing activity planned			
□ Facilitating church services as arranged with visiting religious representatives			
Ensuring activity plans are reviewed as per Resident of the day			
ADDITIONAL RESIDENT AND FACILITY NEEDS			
□ Assisting residents at all times as necessary			
□ Assisting with meals and feeding residents that needs assistance			
\Box Attending individual needs of residents when possible (e.g. letter writing, outings, special needs)			
Attending monthly Leisure and Lifestyle meetings			
RELATIONSHIP AND FAMILIES			
□ Liaising with families and order aromatherapy as required			
Developing Activity timetable in consultation with residents / relatives			
Attending monthly Residents / Relative meeting			
\Box Liaising with outside agencies / parties about activities and culturally appropriate activities			
\Box Liaising with families upon death of resident regarding funeral attendance and carers support			
REPORTING AND DOCUMENTATION			
Completing required documentation			
Recording any resident observations			
Creating care plan for new residents			
□ Assisting and update resident care plan on ROTD			
\Box Reporting problems and observations to Registered Nurses			

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СООК
Objective: To ensure the staff member is familiar with the procedures and responsibilities related to their role
WORK PROCESSES
Resident Processes
Resident Handbook
Communication and memo folder
FOOD PREPARATION AND COOKING
Preparing all main meals as per menu
\Box Preparing sweets, jellies, custards as required
Preparing fruit platters for breakfast
\Box Preparing food during the week for weekend meals – chilled, tagged and ready for the weekend staff to preheat
Preparing and sending food trolleys
🗆 4 weekly rotation menu – winter / summer menu alternating
\Box Checking if any cake / sandwiches are required for meetings / bus trips / birthdays etc
Checking new resident's dietary requirements
Monitoring change of dietary requirements for current residents
□ Preparing appropriate celebratory confections for residents' special days (e.g. birthdays, wedding anniversaries) in conjunction with Leisure and Lifestyle and Director of Care
DOCUMENTATION AND REPORTING
\Box Completing temperature monitoring charts for cold-room, freezer and refrigerator
\Box Completing change of menu form and attaching to menu forms in case of a shortage of supply
Complete monthly calibrations as per calibration checklist
\Box Monitoring and recording temperature of all cook food, vitamised and/or soft/normal – indicating whether freshly cooked or reheated
\Box Completing inspection, temperatures for frozen cold deliveries
\Box Taking sample of foods prepared for lunch, label with date and meal type and store on freezer for 72 hours
Completing monthly food safety audit
ENVIRONMENTAL EXPECTATIONS
Writing up menu board(s) daily as per menu
\Box Unpacking any deliveries and documenting as per sign-off book
Cleaning work area
\Box Ensure kitchen and dining areas is in a clean and tidy condition
Completing daily and weekly cleaning duties
\Box Ensuring daily kitchen cleaning schedule is completed and signed off as per documentation
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HOSPITALITY ASSISTANT
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WORK PROCESSES
Resident Processes
Resident Handbook
Communication and memo folder
FOOD PREPARATION AND COOKING
□ Checking modified diets and fluids list daily for any changes to residents' dietary needs
□ Making / preparing sandwiches, toasts, salad/vegetables, meals, thickened fluid, supper etc.
Fortifying yoghurt and custard
Making thickened tea for assisted feed residents
Wrapping and labelling individual serves of fruit / meals etc.
\Box Ensuring all food brought in from outside visitors are labelled with date/time sticker
Preparing trays for residents eating in bed
Swapping water jugs
Setting up and serving meals - breakfast / lunch / dinner
□ Setting up tea/coffee, food trolley and scraping trolleys
\Box Serving and delivering tea/coffee and food to residents in dining room
□ Assisting to clear tables
\Box Collecting dirty dishes and assisting washing up
Putting through dishes through the dishwasher
Cleaning the dishwasher out properly
Returning dishes to servery when clean and putting away
Checking combi-oven and hosing out as necessary
Wiping and cleaning kitchen appliances, work station / bench and trolleys
□ Mopping kitchen/servery floor and spot mopping dining room where needed; sweeping up dropped food
Emptying bins and wiping bins inside and out
\Box Wiping and setting up tables for next meals
\Box Making up list for stock required
Collecting stock and replenishing stores

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Making list of thickened fluid required for lunch
Completing daily cleaning duties and sign off on all completed duties in daily cleaning records
Completing and documenting temperature checks
Completing all documentation as required
Cleaning fridge as scheduled
Checking weekly cleaning sheet and completing listed duties
Handover to RN before going off duty
CLEANING
\Box Cleaning and restocking the coffee / tea / cups and cleaning milk fridge inside and out
\Box Cleaning the Reception area / main entrance and staff room(s) and toilet(s)
Replenishing hand wash, paper towel and toilet paper dispenser
□ Restocking staff room's handtowel, coffee, sugar and milk
Checking fridge and throwing away any old / expired food
\Box Emptying rubbish bags in the office every day
\Box Ensuring weekly cleaning schedule for the reception area is completed and signing off on sheets
□ Returning any extra trolleys to the storage bay or laundry
□ Making sure the dining area and outdoor seating areas are looking tidy for meals
\Box Collecting rubbish from PPE stations, hand washing stations, nurses' station, residents' bedrooms etc and taking them downstairs to the green rubbish skip
Cleaning trolleys
Cleaning doors with stainless steel cleaner
Changing clothing protectors (brown linen bag)
Wiping dining room tables
□ Sweeping and spot mopping dining room and lounge areas
□ Sweeping and mopping floors
□ Cleaning and mopping nurses' station, PPE and handwashing stations and medication cupboard
□ Cleaning residents' bathrooms daily – handwash basin, mirror, handrails, walls all over, toilet, floor, toilet brush and container
Cleaning pan room
Wiping down handrails in dining room and lounge areas
\Box Ensuring cleaners rooms are tidy and floor is mopped
Checking stock level and replenish as needed
□ Cleaning a group of residents' room daily as per weekly bedroom schedule
\Box Dusting bedside tables, windowsills, inside window screen and skirting boards
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 \Box Clearing fridge, rotating stock and checking expiry dates

□ Completing a full room clean – wiping bedside tables; wiping up splatters on walls, cupboards ar floor; high dusting; old magazines, flowers etc are disposed; cleaning ceiling fans fortnightly; wipir bedframes weekly etc.	
Returning chairs to correct areas in bedrooms	
\Box Completing maintenance entry if any chemical dispensers need to be replenished	
Mopping residents' rooms	
\Box Wiping down room tables after each meal and checking chairs for spills, spot cleaning as necessar	ry
\Box Wiping over portable tables in the living area	
\Box Restocking hand towels, gloves, toilet paper and soap dispensers in all residents' rooms	
\Box Tidying store room, replenishing stock for the next day and ensuring the corridors are uncluttere at all times	əd
\Box Doing a second rubbish run - checking only the nurses' station, PPE and handwashing station ar pan room	٦d
\Box Taking full bag of continence waste and placing into large waste bin	
\Box Cleaning continence waste bin with disinfectant and replacing with a clean liner	
Leaving cleaners room tidy	
\Box Completing sign off sheets and providing handover if any task is not completed	
\Box In case of outbreaks, the infected rooms are cleaned last	
LAUNDRY	
Unloading washing machine and putting washed linen into dryers	
Reloading and setting washing machine	
\Box Ensuring the washing machines are always loaded and running	
Washing hands after loading soiled washing into machines	
\Box Wearing gloves and using caution when opening linen bags – reporting any foreign object found	1
\Box Planning all wash loads in order of priority, based upon stocks of linen held – wherever possib give priority to residents' personal clothing	le
Ensuring all residents' clothing is labelled	
\Box Ensuring unlabelled clothing is removed from circulation, placed in basket and arrangement mac for relabelling	de
\Box Ensuring that vinyl covered pillows are not going into wash	
\Box Hip protectors pants are to be sorted from dirty linen and washed separately on a delicate was cycle	sh
Woollen items are to be laundered by resident's families	
\Box Ensuring anything not suitable for the dryer is removed (e.g. plastics, slings, woollens etc.) ar going on the clothes lines	٦d
Ensuring dryers are not left unattended (e.g. overnight or end-of-shift loads are not permitted)	
Folding clothing protectors	

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\Box Taking linen trolleys and parking in designated linen bays
Ensuring clean linen is not to touch or be left on the floor
\Box Ensuring personal baskets and hanging clothes are distributed
\Box Collecting overnight trolleys and returning these to clean linen area of the laundry for top up
\Box Ensuring personal clothing are folded neatly and turned the right side out and are place in the correct named baskets
\Box Ensuring washed linen bags are taken with linen to cleaners room
Returning aprons, oven mitts and dish cloths to kitchen
\Box Ensuring there is enough towels, washers etc.
\Box Covering all linen with trolley cover at all times when being transported and overnight
Clean lint filters of dryer(s)
Emptying bins
Sweeping and mopping floor including behind the machines
Cleaning ledges behind the machine
Ensuring there is adequate level of chemicals for the eco lab dispenser
Ensuring buckets under the chemical dispenser is emptied at the start and finish of shift
Ensuring weekly cleaning schedule is completed
□ Sign-off sheet is completed

ADMINISTRATION CHECKLIST
Objective: To ensure the staff member is familiar with the procedures and responsibilities related to their role
WORK PROCESSES
Resident Processes
Resident Handbook
Communication and memo folder
RECEPTION DUTIES
\Box Meeting and greeting visitors to the facility and responding to enquiries, providing directions etc.
\Box Answering incoming calls and forwarding calls to appropriate personnel
Escorting official visitors to their destination or appointment
$\hfill \square$ Maintaining and restocking a diverse range of brochures, publications specific to the operation of the facility
Offering tea/coffee and serving when offer accepted
Ensuring all visitors are complying COVID-19 restrictions (signing-in, vaccination, PPE etc.)
GENERAL OFFICE DUTIES
\Box Providing support to Director of Care or delegate and other officials of the organisation
Carrying out general administrative duties as required
 Updating and maintaining various databases including: Mirus Care Manager/SARAH for resident data base, admissions, scan documents etc. EnableHR system for employee details data base, new staff and training records, registrations, police checks, vaccination proof etc. Residents Waiting List Shared Outlook Calendar appointment system Room booking system Have Your Say Form system of recording complaints, compliments, concerns etc.
Collecting, sorting and distributing internal and external mail daily
Attending meeting for minute taking
Organising couriers as requested
Monitoring and ordering supplies / stock
\Box Ensuring all supply invoices match with delivery docket and marked off as receipted
☐ Monitoring the operation of equipment as under and liaising with suppliers regarding upkeep of consumable supplies and maintenance / repair – vending machine, multi-purpose machines, electronic door locking system
\square Maintaining general tidiness of the reception, common areas, meeting rooms
\Box Maintaining residents' records and archival filing system
\Box Assisting with rostering and staff replacements
□ Assisting with time keeping and timesheets ???? is this now Mirus???
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□ Managing petty cash

□ Maintaining resident photos and birthday lists

 \Box Logging wound photos to resident's wound assessment

□ Maintaining employee competency training schedule

 \Box Printing and distributing handover books at the end of month

□ Updating Fire list

 \Box Scheduling probation reviews appointments for new staff with Director of Care

□ Cull residents' folders monthly and file old paperwork

 $\hfill\square$ Maintain information, admission ensuring there are enough there for tours

 $\hfill\square$ Assisting with orientation of new staff members