



## **LIVE-IN HOME ASSESSMENT POLICY**

Once Live-In is determined to be the best choice of care for a client, The Senior Company requires that the home be inspected prior to the first day of care to ensure the environment is appropriate for a caregiver to live and provide care safely & effectively.

This assessment shall be performed by a member of The Senior Company staff, generally the care manager. Items to be assessed are, but are not limited to:

- Caregiver living space and accommodations
- Cleanliness and spatial organization
- Potential hazards and safety recommendations
- Kitchen appliances and bathroom functionality

If a home assessment prior to care is not possible, the client must sign the following waiver acknowledging that if the environment is not suitable for Live-In care as determined by The Senior Company nurse upon initial assessment or the caregiver at time or arrival, hourly care must be substituted. This substitution may be temporary (until any issues are resolved) or permanent if the resolutions proposed are not possible.

In the event that Hourly Care is substituted, the client shall be responsible for all services provided at the hourly rate.

I, as the client or client representative, understand the above policy and agree to its conditions. It was explained to me in a clear and easy to understand manner and I was given the opportunity to ask any questions I had prior to signing this document.

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Client or Client Representative Signature

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Date