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| **Question: True or False?** | **Answer** |
| 1. The room change notice is only given to resident’s representatives. | **False** – the room change notice is required to be provided in written format when to the resident AND their representative prior to the room change. |
| 1. The resident only has a right to refuse a room change in or out of a Medicare or Medicaid certified bed if it for staff convenience. | **True -** there are no other regulations for resident refusal of room change. |
| 1. The facility is in compliance with the regulation by writing a note in the resident’s record prior to assigning a new roommate. | **False** – a written notice must be provide to the resident and representative before the arrival of the new roommate. |
| 1. Room changes never have a negative effect on residents. | **False**-changes of any kind can have a negative effect on residents if they experience strong emotion and try to adjust to the change. |
| 1. Residents’ families can require a room change for their loved one. | **False -** the facility will try to accommodate residents’ and families preferences for room selection. |
| 1. Room change notices are only required for Medicaid residents. | **False** – the room change policy applies to all residents regardless of pay source. |
| 1. 7. If the resident lives in a bed in a composite distinct part, they can only be requested to move by the facility within the same building unless they volunteer to move to another distinct part location. | **True**- resident can volunteer to move to another area of the facility’s composite distinct part. |
| 1. The facility can give verbal notice of a new roommate to the resident and representative. | **False**-a written notice is required. |
| 1. The facility must allow three days after a resident passes from a semi-private room before admitting another resident into the room. | **False**-the facility should allow as much time as possible for the remaining resident to adjust to the loss of their roommate before admitted a new roommate. There are no required time frames. |
| 1. The facility can place residents together according to their pay source and offer a lower level of care and services based on how much the facility is paid. | **False**-The facility must provide the care and services needed by the resident regardless of pay source. |