South Carolina Department of Disabilities & Special Needs Office of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Residential Services On-site Review Tool- July 2025 through June 2026

Observations and other discovery methods such as interactions with residents and staff members, and record reviews should be used to determine if, on the date and time of the review, the noted requirements were "Met" or "Not Met." Each section below should be reviewed with people who receive services and their staff. Reviewers should be as specific as possible but adjust their language as necessary to ensure the service recipients and staff understand the questions.

Date and Time of Review:

Reviewer:

Scoring: Questions are scored at 2 points each. Bold type questions are scored at 5 points each. Maximum score= 100 When multiple residents are interviewed in one home, their responses will be averaged.

Name of Location:

Time Spent On-site for Review:

Names of Staff Present:

How many Staff are Scheduled to Work this Shift?

How many Staff are Actually Working with People Living in this Home at the Time of the On-site Review? Names of People Supported in the Home and Present during the On-site Review:

Names of People Interviewed during the On-Site Review:

People receive assistance with acquisition, retention, or improvement in skills necessary to live in the community, consistent with assessed needs, interests/personal goals.

1. Staff can communicate effectively with each person (verbally or non-verbally, through gestures, visual indicators, signing, or through an alternative communication device).	Met	Not Met
2. The person's current Residential Support Plan is available for review within the home through paper or electronic representation.	Met	Not Met
3. People choose their goals.	Met	Not Met
4. People indicate what they are learning.	Met	Not Met
5. Staff can describe how they offer choice in services/supports.	Met	Not Met
6. Staff can describe how they provide training to each person to support their personal goals.	Met	Not Met
7. Staff can describe how they were trained to implement the Behavior Support Plan, if applicable.	Met	Not Met
People are provided the degree and type of SUPERVISION to keep them safe but not unnecessarily restricted.		
8. Each person has a plan of supervision. Supervision plans are individualized.	Met	Not Met
9. Staff can describe each person's supervision plan and their ability to manage their own behavior.	Met	Not Met
10. The Supervision Plan is implemented appropriately. For example, if staff tells you that the person must be visually checked on the hour, observe to see whether	Met	Not Met
that occurs and that it is documented as the plan specifies.		
People are treated with DIGNITY AND RESPECT.		
11. Staff speak to each person in a respectful, age-appropriate manner.	Met	Not Met
12. People are clean and well-groomed, and they dress and style their hair in the way they prefer.	Met	Not Met
13. Supports emphasize a person's abilities, rather than disabilities.	Met	Not Met
People exercise AUTONOMY and INDEPENDENCE.		
14. Each person has reasonable flexibility with wake-up times that ensure they are ready for scheduled activities (such as transportation to work).	Met	Not Met
15. Each person has the flexibility to remain at home during the day rather than be required to attend a day program or employment.	Met	Not Met
16. Each person makes decisions about what they do, when and where they go, and who they see.	Met	Not Met
17. Each person chooses what time they go to their rooms or to bed each evening. (No bedtimes.)	Met	Not Met
 Each person helps with meal planning plan, grocery shopping, and participates in meal preparation (breakfast, lunch, dinner) according to their individual abilities. 	Met	Not Met
19. Each person gets to choose where, when, and with whom they eat.	Met	Not Met
20. Each person participates in laundry, cleaning, and household chores, according to their individual abilities.	Met	Not Met
21. Staff provide supports only to the extent needed by each participant.	Met	Not Met

People participate in the greater Community.

22. Each person helps plan activities and decide what to do outside of their home.	Met	Not Me
23. Participants receive training on ways to be involved in the community and developing community connections.	Met	Not Me
24. Each person participates in individual errands, grocery shopping, and shopping for clothing, according to their abilities?	Met	Not Me
25. Participants spend time with people important to them outside of the home.	Met	Not Me
People have privacy.		
26. People have opportunities for privacy Can they spend time alone if they so desire?	Met	Not Me
27. People receive personal care/assistance in private (including medication administration).	Met	Not Me
28. There is private space available for people to visit with family and friends.	Met	Not Me
29. Staff can describe the agency's confidentiality policies and how they protect consumer information.	Met	Not M
Health status and personal care needs are known, and people are provided the CARE necessary to address n	eeds.	
30. Each person can describe how they were supported to choose their healthcare providers.	Met	Not Me
31. Staff can describe medical conditions/health risks as outlined in the support plan (self-injurious behavior, seizure activity, etc.)	Met	Not Me
32. Staff can describe the agency's system to address acute conditions/illness promptly and ensure appropriate follow up.	Met	Not Me
People are supported in Physically Accessible and Safe Environments.	<u> </u>	
33. Assistive devices (e.g. sight and hearing impairment devices) are available for people who require them to move or access the setting.	Met	Not Me
34. Staff can describe their responsibilities in responding to emergency situations.	Met	Not Me
35. Emergency numbers are readily available for staff and residents.	Met	Not Me
People are supported to learn about their RIGHTS and exercise the rights that are important to them.		1
36. Staff can describe how they are trained to respect people's individual rights.	Met	Not Me
37. Each person has access to all common areas of the house.	Met	Not Me
38. Residents can describe their rights.	Met	Not Me
39. Residents determine if there are to be house rules, and if so, what those rules are.	Met	Not Me
40. People know how to make a complaint, if needed.	Met	Not Me
41. People have keys to their room and house if they so desire.	Met	Not Me
Staff know the procedures for reporting allegations of ABUSE and people know what abuse is		_
and how and to whom to report it.	Met	Not Me
42. Staff can describe the procedures for reporting allegations of abuse, neglect, and exploitation.	Met	Not Me
43. People indicate they feel safe in the home.	Met	Not Me
44. People can describe what abuse is and how to report.		
Referral to SCBHDD-OIDD For Follow-up		
Follow-up related to Abuse/Neglect/Exploitation Referral to SLED Report initiated to SLED for allegation of ANE. Date and Time of Report to SLED:	Yes	No
Notification to Provider Management Staff: Name/Date/Time:		
Follow-up Needed due to Medical Concerns	Yes	No
Report initiated SCBHDD-OIDD: Notification to Provider Management Staff: Name/Date/Time:		
Follow-up Needed due to environmental Safety Concerns	Yes	No ⊠
Report initiated SCBHDD-OIDD: Notification to Provider Management Staff: Name/Date/Time:		

Safety concerns or allegations of Abuse, Neglect, of Exploitation must be immediately reported. The telephone number to report allegations of ANE is 1-866-200-6066.