

Abilene State Supported Living Center

OUR MISSION:

To empower people to make choices that result in a life of dignity and increased independence.

AbSSLC News

Abilene SSLC

Week of August 8th, 2022

COVID19 Testing

Round 1 - Tuesday, August 9th

Round 2 - Thursday, August 11th

AbSSLC News @ Home!

Can't **wait** till Monday to read the AbSSLC Weekly newsletter? Sign-up to get it in your Email at home! Click the link below!

http://www.absslc.org/news/absslc-news-email-list-sign-up/

When do I call 4444?

• Call 4444 when an emergency medical situation occurs with a person who lives at AbSSLC or after you have called 911 for a an employee, volunteer or visitor.

Have as much information available as possible concerning the situation including **Location of Emergency**, **Name of Person**, **Age of Person**, **Type of Emergency**

Example:

This is Ima Staff at Home/Building/Department. I have a 32 year old male named John Doe with severe bleeding from a head injury. He is alert right now.

• Call 4444 when help is needed for a Behavior Crisis. You will need to tell the Operator who is involved, where the Behavior Crisis is occuring and any details you can.

When Do I Call 911?

- Call **911** when an emergency medical situation occurs with an employee, volunteer or visitor. Don't forget to call **4444** to let them know you have called **911**.
- Call 911 if CPR has been started on anyone (Individual or Employee/Volunteer/Visitor)

Have as much information available if possible concerning the situation:

Location of Emergency, Name of Person, Age of Person, Type of Emergency, Health conditions if you know of any, Medications the person taking if you know or can ask, Type of accident

Example:

This is Ima Staff at AbSSLC at Home/Building/Department. I have a 26 year old female named Jane Doe experiencing chest pains, she is sweating profusely, clammy to the touch and pale with labored breathing. She has a history of heart problems and is currently taking XYZ medication.

Remember to call 4444 if you have not already done so and stay on the line until they instruct you to hang up. If you are the only person that is responding let them know so they will get off the phone as soon as they can.

Shout Outs!

Thank YOU, **Vicky** (Housekeeper for Chapel), for ALL your help and hard work during the cookout and the party! We appreciate you, your hard/fast paced work, your positive attitude, and willingness to help with everything! YOU are AWESOME!



AbSSLC was named a finalist for the 2022

Big Country Best Workplace in the

Large Business Category!

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Staff surprised Director Linda Hinshaw with a party celebrating her 50 years of service. Lufkin Director Gale Wasson and Denton Director Nancy Condon traveled to Abilene for the festivities. Pictured from left are Hinshaw, Wasson and Condon.

AbSSLC made the Friday Photos from State Office!fa

Shout Out!

Have you seen someone do the above & beyond or just want to recognize great work?

It's easy to do a Shout Out!

- "Reply" to any of the update texts you receive through the AskAdmin Text Group
- Email Jeff Goza with their name and your comments
- Text their name and your comments to 325.370.4525

Let's **Shout Out** and recognize others!