



SUGGESTED FIRST AID SUPPLIES RESIDENTIAL CARE

COMMUNITY CARE FACILITIES LICENSING PROGRAM

Section 43 of the Residential Care Regulation states:

- (2) A licensee must have first aid supplies that are readily accessible to all employees, including while care is provided off the community care facility premises.

First aid supplies kept at a residential facility should include, at a minimum, the items listed below. The quantity of each item should reflect the size of the facility and the access to medical assistance. Some facilities may wish to include additional items.

Equipment

- Disposable gloves
- Band Aids (various sizes)
- Gauze roll
- Adhesive tape (non-allergic)
- Elastic tensor bandages
- First aid manual
- Pocket mask with one-way valve
- Sterile gauze pads (various sizes)
- Non-adherent dressings
- Triangular bandages
- Antiseptic swabs or wipes
- Pen/pencil and notepad

Instruments

- Bandage scissors
- Safety pins
- Tweezers or splinter forceps

Emergency Phone Numbers

Keep in the first aid kit on a laminated/waterproof card.

Emergency: 911

Ambulance: _____ check local listings

Fire: _____ check local listings

Police: _____ check local listings

Poison Control: 1.800.567.8911 (province wide)

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