

Illinois NHA Exam

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1. The Uniform Conviction Information Act says that a facility must run a background check on all new residents if one has not been run already. In what time before or after admittance must this background check be run?
 - a. Within the first 30 days after admission.
 - b. Within 1 week after admission.
 - c. Within 72 hours after admission.
 - d. Within 24 hours after admission.

2. The ceilings in the corridors, storage rooms, and toilet rooms can be no less than _____.
 - a. 7 feet 8 inches.
 - b. 7 feet 6 inches.
 - c. 7 feet 4 inches.
 - d. 7 feet.

3. Bridgeport SNF has started using new devices attached to residents clothing that will sound an alarm if that resident leaves their bedroom. The nurse aide can then locate the resident and bring them back to their room. Is this a form of restraint?
- a. No it is not.
 - b. Yes it is.



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1. Answer is: D - Within 24 hours after admission.

Ill. Admin. Code tit. 77, §§Section 300.615 Determination of Need Screening and Request for Resident Criminal History Record Information

In addition to the screening required by Section 2-201.5(a) of the Act and this Section, a facility shall, within 24 hours after admission of a resident, request a criminal history background check pursuant to the Uniform Conviction Information Act for all persons 18 or older seeking admission to the facility, unless a background check was initiated by a hospital pursuant to the Hospital Licensing Act.

2. Answer is: A - 7 feet 8 inches.

Ill. Admin. Code tit. 77, §§Section 300.2900 General Building Requirements

Ceiling Heights

- 1) All rooms occupied or used by residents shall have ceilings not less than eight feet.
- 2) Corridors, storage rooms, toilet rooms and other minor rooms shall have ceilings not less than seven feet, eight inches.

3. Answer is: A - No it is not.

III. Admin. Code tit. 77, §§Section 300.680 Restraints

(a)Adaptive equipment is not considered a physical restraint. Wrist bands or devices on clothing that trigger electronic alarms to warn staff that a resident is leaving a room do not, in and of themselves, restrict freedom of movement and should not be considered as physical restraints.