
Tabor Manor Family Council



TABOR MANOR
serving seniors with excellence, love and dignity

Definition:

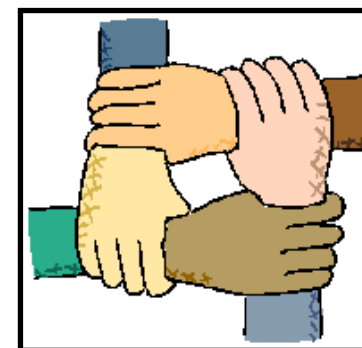
A Family Council is an organized, self-led, self-determining, democratic group composed of family of residents of a long term care home.

A Staff Liaison from the Home is usually appointed to support and facilitate the Council.

A Family Council provides mutual support, empowerment and advocacy to the residents and family of the residents of a long term care home. Although all Family Councils have this goal in common, each Council will be unique in meeting the needs of its members, the residents and the Home.



Family Council



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What Does a Family Council Do?

A Family Council:

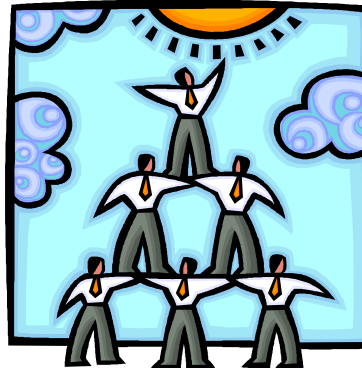
- Advises family members of their rights and responsibilities.
- Attempts to resolve and prevent issues within the home.
- Advises the Administration of any concerns or recommendations the Council has about the operation of the home.
- Provides advice and recommendations to the Administration regarding what the residents and family would like to see done to improve the quality of life in the home.
- Advocates locally and provincially
- Welcomes and supports residents and family
- Provides a channel through which family can express ideas and concerns about resident quality of life as well as the needs of the family

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What Are the Benefits of a Family Council?

A Family Council:

- Provides support and information for new residents and their family
- Ongoing mutual support and strength drawn from mutual experiences
- Education and information related to the long term care system
- A means to express concerns and solve problems



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The Future Direction of Tabor Manor's Family Council:

The Family Council would like to increase its membership in order to better serve the residents and family of the home.

Meetings are open to all family members. Meeting dates and times can be obtained by contacting the administration office at any time.

Previous minutes of all meetings are located in the information binder stored in the front foyer of Tabor Manor.

Please let us know your ideas, concerns and suggestions as our Family Council can only grow with your input.