



Freedom Village at Brandywine

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Dear Residents,

A mobility aid such as a motorized wheelchair can be great tool to optimize independence. Residents in the community are allowed to use electric mobility vehicles.

All residents who utilize these vehicles are strongly encouraged to register with me so I can review the Electric Mobility Vehicles policy with you. The policy outlines:

- Specifications for the electric mobility vehicle
- Registration
- Operating the Cart
- Parking and Storage
- Safety
- Specific Areas of Operation
- Insurance
- Violation of Policy

A resident's use of an electric mobility vehicle may be restricted or prohibited if the use of the aid is creating a direct threat to the health or safety of the resident or others, or would result in substantial physical damage to the property of the community or others. I can help you understand the guidelines for safe use.

If you are interested in getting a motorized wheelchair or other type of electric mobility vehicle, I encourage you to let me know. This is especially important since there are some types of electric mobility vehicles that have certain restrictions for use on community transportation, and you want to be sure you are picking the right type that is best for your needs. I can even get a therapy referral started to help you choose the right vehicle and to train you to use your new mobility vehicle safely.

Thank you so much for your attention to this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions about electric mobility vehicles.

Sincerely,

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