



## **SOCIAL SERVICES**

## **FAREWELL BRIEF**

Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

Date to DHQ: \_\_\_\_\_

Executive  
Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Date to THQ: \_\_\_\_\_

# FAREWELL BRIEF GUIDELINES

## ADMINISTRATORS

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### INTRODUCTION

#### PURPOSE OF THIS BRIEF

To provide information for newly appointed Social Services Executive Directors, and for those covering these administrative responsibilities in the event of an emergency.

**Notation:** This document will be made available on disk. The information contained is meant to be an ongoing compilation of data with revisions as necessary.

#### 1. Mission, Values and Vision Statement of the Facility

#### 2. Community Information

- 2.1 Facility Location/Map
  - Address/Quarters Location/Access Arrangements
- 2.2 Quarters Location/Map/Access Arrangements
- 2.3 Quarters Information
  - Furnishing/Inventory
  - Inspection Forms and Inventory Forms (Location)
  - Property Maintenance Account
  - Cable/Telephone and Long Distance Plans . status, reconnecting

#### 3. Communications/Media

- 3.1 Radio, Television and Newspapers
- 3.2 Internet Provider
- 3.3 Public Relations Office

#### 4. Contacts

##### A. *Salvation Army*

- 4a.1 Bank
- 4a.2 Corps
  - Helpful Contacts
- 4a.3 Divisional Headquarters
  - Helpful Contacts
- 4a.4 Mechanic/Automobile
  - e.g. Dealership for Officer Vehicle and Facility Vehicle(s)
- 4a.5 Unions
  - List Union Contact Persons

### **Contacts (cont'd)**

- 4a.6 Neighbourhood Services
  - Dentist
  - Doctors
  - Garbage Disposal/Recycle
  - Hospitals
  - School Boards

### **B. Community Contacts**

- 4b.1 Community Council/Board of Management
  - Contacts/Roster
  - Organizational Chart
- 4b.2 Emergency Services . i.e.
  - Police . Name of Chief
  - Fire . Local Fire Chief
- 4b.3 Emergency Maintenance Contracts
- 4b.4 Government Health/Social Service Agencies
  - List as applicable with contact names and telephone numbers
- 4b.5 Relevant Associations
  - Addictions
  - Services to Women
  - Faith Based/Affiliate Organizations
- 4b.6 Service Clubs . i.e. Rotary, Kiwanis
  - Membership (if applicable)

## **5. Administration**

- 5.1 Executive Director's Office Information
  - Computer/Computer Password and Voice Mail Code
  - Facility Security System
  - Insurance
  - Legal Service accessed in the past
  - List of Administration/General Personnel Files
- 5.2 Current Correspondence/Issues
  - Pending
  - Unresolved Issues (in full)
  - In Locked Files
- 5.3 Calendar of Events

**Notation:** This Calendar of Events should cover a 3-6 month projection at minimum, and be projected over 1 year if possible, and include:

  - Divisional
  - Facility
  - Involvement of Executive Director
- 5.4 Assistant Officer
  - Contact/Position Description
- 5.5 Administration Information
  - Organizational Chart
  - Latest Strategic Plan
  - Listing of Residents/Clients
  - Committees and Regular Meetings (Reference where File is located)

### **Administration (cont'd)**

- 5.6 Legislation/Provincial/Federal/Municipal Regulations
  - State where this Information is Located
- 5.7 Licensing
- 5.8 Salvation Army Social Services Accreditation
  - Date of Last Accreditation Review
  - Attach Action Plan
- 5.9 Attach Last Divisional Annual Review
- 5.10 Contracts with Service Providers

### **6. Finance**

- 6.1 Fiscal Management/Current Financial Statements
- 6.2 Funding Sources/Contracts/Budgets

### **7. Human Resources**

- 7.1 Personnel . Union/Non-Union Contract Employees
  - List and Refer to Files Containing Pertinent Information
- 7.2 Management Resources/Personnel/Legal/Other
- 7.3 Job Descriptions
- 7.4 Departments and Managers

### **8. Program**

- 8.1 List of Programs
- 8.2 Policies and Procedures
  - Brief Statement re: Status and Location of Binders
- 8.3 Fire/Safety/Disaster/Evacuation Plan
- 8.4 Support Services
  - Name of Volunteer Coordinator at Facility
  - Listing of Volunteer/Auxiliary
- 8.5 Christmas
  - Refer to File or Binder Describing Events

### **9. Chaplaincy**

- 9.1 Chaplaincy
  - Ecumenical and Ministerial Association Contract
  - Roster of Community Clergy, Rabbi and other Religious Advisors
  - Refer to Location of Manual where this Information is found.
- 9.2 Program Schedule

### **10. General Comments**