THEDACARE AT HOME POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

TITLE: COURTESY RENTAL WHEELCHAIR POLICY DIVISION: SENIOR SERVICES DEPARTMENT: HOME HEALTH NUMBER: REVIEWED DATE: 05-13 REVIEWED BY: PATRICIA HERRING, SUPV APPROVED BY: DIRECTOR

POLICY:

ThedaCare At Home has a courtesy rental wheelchair policy to support the community in a short term need on a no charge basis.

- 1. All courtesy rental wheelchairs and sizing needed will be based on availability only.
- 2. Reservations will be taken in advance up to 1 business days prior to date needed, again based on availability only. If they call earlier than one day they will be directed to call back
- 3. All courtesy rental wheelchairs must be picked up and dropped off at a retail location. No deliveries or pick-ups will be done by the service technicians.
- 4. A credit card/ check will be needed at time of pick-up to secure the rental.
- 5. All courtesy rental wheelchairs will be provided for up to 4 business days at no charge to the customer.
 - a. No proration can be done if longer than 4 business days.
 - b. If longer than 4 business days, a monthly fee will be assessed to the rental at the billing discounted rate.
 - c. This fee will be paid in full upon the return of the wheelchair.
 - d. If the chair is not returned in 4 days then a full monthly fee will be assessed and billed accordingly.
- 6. Courtesy rentals cannot be billed to insurance plans.
 - a. If insurance plans need to be billed, a prescription from the physician is needed, with the medical records to support the need and then will be billed on a monthly basis.
 - b. This can not be back dated. Will need to start a new rental with the Date of Service based on the Rx and medical record.

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