

## **W446**

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**(ii) Make special provisions for the evacuation of clients with physical disabilities;**

**Guidance §483.470(i)(2)(ii)**

Clients with physical or medical disabilities may require special procedures for evacuation, taking into account equipment or staff that must be maintained for the client's care at all times. The facility's evacuation plan should:

- identify such clients;
- clearly delineate any special evacuation procedures for those clients.

Staff should be familiar with the facility's special evacuation procedures when working with clients who are in need of unique provisions.