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(a)

Areas in the home that include, but are not limited to, bedrooms, bathrooms, toilets, dining areas, passageways, and recreational spaces used by a "child with special health care needs" shall be large enough to accommodate any medical equipment that a "child" needs. (1) A bedroom that is occupied by a "child with special health care needs" shall be large enough to allow storage of each child's personal items and any required medical equipment or assistive devices, including wheelchairs, adjacent to a child's bed. (A) The bedroom shall be large enough to permit unobstructed bedside assistance with medical procedures and medications.

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(b)

Notwithstanding Section 89387, subsection (a)(1), a bedroom used by a "child with special health care needs" shall not be shared with another child who resides in the home if a child's need for medical services or a child's medical condition would be incompatible with each child's use and enjoyment of the bedroom.

(c)

When required by the individualized health care plan for a "child," the caregiver(s) or other adult caring for a "child" shall sleep in a bedroom adjacent or in close proximity to the child's room or use a monitoring device to alert the caregiver.