

**46:04:01:18. Safety and sanitation.** The shared living home shall meet all of the following requirements:

- (1) The shared living home and premises shall be free of rodents and insects;
- (2) Bedrooms located in the basement must have at least one egress window, which meets code as outlined in the Life Safety Code in NFP A 101 Life Safety Code, 2012 edition;
- (3) Floors, walls, ceilings, and other surfaces shall be free of hazards;
- (4) A landline telephone shall be present in the home to access emergency services;
- (5) Participant bed linens, towels, washcloths, and clothing shall be kept clean;
- (6) Stairways, hall, doorways, and exits from rooms and from the home shall be unobstructed;
- (7) Food shall be protected from contamination while being stored and prepared;
- (8) Hazardous cleaning solutions, chemicals, and poisons shall be labeled and secured in an enclosed cabinet; and
- (9) Removal of any condition that may have the potential to cause injury or illness.

**Source:** 44 SDR 93, effective December 4, 2017.

**General Authority:** SDCL 27B-2-26(4)(5)(9)(10).

**Law Implemented:** SDCL 27B-2-26(9)(10).

**Reference:** NFPA 101 Life Safety Code, 2012 edition, National Fire Protection Association. Copies may be obtained from the National Fire Protection Association, P.O. Box 9101, Quincy, Massachusetts 02269-9101. Phone: 1-800-344-3555. Cost: \$101.00.