CAREGIVER INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

Name_____ **Date** _____

Phone number_____

How long have you been caregiving?

What type of care do you have experience providing?

Have you worked with someone like _____**?**
(person in need of care)

Are there caregiving tasks you do not provide?

Are you CPR certified? Y / N

Day/s available **Sun** **Mon** **Tues** **Wed** **Thur** **Fri** **Sat**

Time/s available

How many hours can you commit to?

Compensation

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1. Experience & Background

- How long have you been providing care?
- What types of clients have you cared for?
- What types of care are you most experienced with?
- Do you have any relevant certifications or training?
- Can you provide references from previous clients or employers?

2. Safety & Emergencies

- Are you trained in CPR or first aid?
- Have you been responsible for giving medication reminders?
- Do you feel safe supporting a person who needs mobility assistance?
- Have you helped someone through a medical emergency in the past?

3. Boundaries & Expectations

- What days and hours are you available?
- Are you looking for part-time or full-time work?
- How much notice do you typically need for schedule changes?
- What happens if you are sick or unable to come to work?
- Are you willing to work weekends or overnight?
- Are you comfortable with occasional schedule changes or additional hours?
- Do you caregive for others and/or do other work? If so, what days?

4. Care Needs & Skills

Are you comfortable with:

- Bathing, dressing, toileting, and grooming? (ADL's)
- Assisting with transfers and walking?
- Preparing meals?
- Light housekeeping/laundry?
- Have you cared for someone with dementia or memory loss?
- Have you cared for someone who is recovering from surgery or an illness?
- Are you comfortable providing overnight or extended care, if needed?

5. Personality & Approach to Care

- What do you enjoy most about caregiving?
- What do you find most challenging?
- How do you handle a client who refuses to help?
- Are you comfortable managing difficult and/or emotional situations?
- How do you encourage independence while still keeping someone safe?

6. Reliability & Availability

- Are there tasks you do not provide?
- Are you comfortable with pets?
- Are you comfortable in a smoking home/other household conditions?
- Are you comfortable using your own car for transportation while working?
- Are you comfortable following the family's care plan and household preferences?

8. At The End of The Interview

- What questions do you have for us?
- Is there anything about this position that you would not be comfortable doing?
- Can you provide a caregiving reference/s?