

*(Effective until July 1, 2023)*

**WAC 51-54A-0403 Emergency preparedness requirements.**

**403.3.1 Fire evacuation plan.** The fire safety and evacuation plan required by Section 404 shall include a description of special staff actions. This shall include a description for stabilizing patients in a staged evacuation or full evacuation in conjunction with the entire building, if part of a multitenant facility.

**403.5.4 Assembly points and fire operations.** Assembly points shall not be in areas likely to be utilized for fire service operations.

**403.10.2 Group R-2 occupancies.** Group R-2 occupancies shall comply with Sections 403.10.2.1 through 403.10.2.4.

**403.10.2.4 Group R-2 assisted living and residential care facilities.** Assisted living and residential care facilities licensed by the state of Washington shall comply with Section 403.8.1 as required for Group I-1 Condition 2 occupancies.

**403.10.3 Group R-4 occupancies.** This section not adopted.

**403.12.3 Crowd managers for gatherings exceeding 1,000 people.** Where facilities or events involve a gathering of more than 1,000 people, or as required by the fire code official, crowd managers shall be provided in accordance with Sections 403.12.3.1 through 403.12.3.3.

[Statutory Authority: RCW 19.27.031 and 19.27.074. WSR 16-03-055, § 51-54A-0403, filed 1/16/16, effective 7/1/16.]

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**403.4.3 Assembly points and fire operations.** Assembly points shall not be in areas likely to be utilized for fire service operations.

**403.9.2 Group R-2 occupancies.** Group R-2 occupancies shall comply with Sections 403.9.2.1 through 403.9.2.4.

**403.9.2.4 Group R-2 assisted living and residential care facilities.** Assisted living and residential care facilities licensed by the state of Washington shall comply with Section 403.7.1 as required for Group I-1 Condition 2 occupancies.

**403.9.3 Group R-4 occupancies.** This section not adopted.

**403.10.6 Buildings with lithium-ion or lithium metal battery storage.** An approved fire safety plan in accordance with Section 404 shall be prepared and maintained for buildings with lithium-ion or lithium metal battery storage.

**403.11.3 Crowd managers for gatherings exceeding 1,000 people.** Where facilities or events involve a gathering of more than 1,000 people, or as required by the fire code official, crowd managers shall be provided in accordance with Sections 403.11.3.1 through 403.11.3.3.

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