Additional requirements to the General Section that are specific to accommodation

All other requirements contained within the General Section apply equally to accommodation and communal facilities (e.g. emergency management, building and electrical safety).
Children are protected and opportunities for work, learning and family life are promoted.
RESIDENTS’ RIGHTS

MUST

A 7.1 Workers are not required to live in designated accommodation.

A 7.2 Residents have the right to leave the accommodation at any time.

BASIC

A 7.3 Residents understand their rights and obligations and are provided with a copy of accommodation rules.

A 7.4 Residents receive a breakdown of all accommodation costs incurred as well as evidence of payments they have made.

A 7.5 Accommodation costs do not exceed average market rates.

ADVANCED

A 7.6 Access to amenities, such as banking services, shopping services or health care, is facilitated.

ACCOMMODATION

BASIC

A 7.7 Accommodation is of solid construction and has natural and artificial light, an uninterrupted power supply, water supply, protection against weather conditions, ventilation and, when necessary, heating.

A 7.8 Accommodation is not located in a building where high-risk operations take place. Accommodation is located away from loud sources of noise.
PERSONAL LIVING SPACE

**BASIC**

A 7.9 If accommodation is provided for men and women in the same building, separate rooms are provided for each gender, unless residents choose to share a double room.

A 7.10 Each room is at least 3.8 m² multiplied by the number of residents. The ceiling height is at least 2.1m. In case rooms are shared, the maximum occupancy is 8 persons regardless of space available.

A 7.11 Each resident is provided with his/her own bed and mattress or sleeping mat, an individual, lockable storage space for valuables, individual storage space for other personal items and a key or equivalent to their room. Each room can be locked from both the inside and the outside.

**ADVANCED**

A 7.12 For shared rooms, measures are implemented to improve the privacy of residents.

A 7.13 Individual rooms are available for workers.

COMMUNAL FACILITIES

**BASIC**

A 7.14 Accommodation has designated areas for cooking that are clean and in working order. Cooking is only conducted in designated areas. Cooking areas can be replaced by catering or equivalent.

A 7.15 Accommodation includes shower and toilet facilities, separated by gender and proportional to the number of residents. Shower facilities have hot water.

**ADVANCED**

A 7.16 Recreational facilities are provided.

A 7.17 There are suitable facilities for sick residents for optimal rest and isolation from others.
## Glossary

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