HALIFAX

Accessibility Committee

Voluntary Vulnerable Persons Registry

- Background
 - Jurisdictional Scan
 - Hurricane Fiona
 - Community input



Criteria

This registry would be available to any resident without 24hour support who experiences severe difficulty with any of the following:

- mobility;
- vision impairment;
- hearing impairment;
- developmental disabilities;
- cognitive impairment;
- mental health conditions; or
- any resident who requires electricity for life-sustaining equipment such as life support, oxygen, dialysis, etc.

Not eligible

- residents receiving 24-hour support from a caregiver or home care aide (exceptions may apply);
- residents receiving care or assistance from a long-term care home or supportive housing facility;
- residents under the age of 18 and receive parent/guardian support (exceptions may apply).
- However:
- Children with intensive needs or children that require electricity for life-sustaining equipment can be considered for eligibility.

Process

- Self registration
 - Online form
 - 311 or EM staff
- Screening by EM staff for eligibility
- Input into platform
- Sign up for hfxALERT
- Working with IES on itegration
- Categorized by risk for hazards

Process

- An event occurs or foreseen:
 - hfxALERT warning if possible
 - Phone calls if needed or door to door
- After event:
 - hfxALERT check in's
 - Prioritization check
 - Door to door as necessary
- Minimum biannual check in's/validation

Outreach

- PH
- Church's
- Councillor's
- Public messaging (suggestions)
- Deaf and hard of hearing
 - Best way to reach community?

What am I missing?