

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:  055064	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED  09/26/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER  Cottonwood Canyon Healthcare Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE  1391 Madison Avenue El Cajon, CA 92021	

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<p>F 0656</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Develop and implement a complete care plan that meets all the resident's needs, with timetables and actions that can be measured.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</b> 39220</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to develop a person-centered comprehensive care plan related to refusal of care, for one of two residents (Resident 1) who repeatedly refused to ingest the prescribed medications, reviewed for Quality of Care.</p> <p>The failure had the potential for medical complications and a decline in health status.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>Resident 1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE], with diagnoses which included metabolic encephalopathy (a brain disorder), per the facility ' s Admission Record.</p> <p>On 9/17/24, Resident 1 ' s clinical record was reviewed. According to the facility ' s census dated 9/17/24, , Resident 1 was no longer at the facility.</p> <p>The annual Minimum Data Set (MDS-a clinical assessment tool), dated 6/23/24, listed a cognitive score of 3, indicting cognition was severely impaired.</p> <p>According to the physician orders, dated 1/11/24, Sertraline (used for major depression) 25 milligrams (mg) Give one tablet by mouth one time a day for depression, Carvedilol (used to treat high blood pressure) 3.125 mg give one tablet by mouth two times a day for hypertension, Sacubitril-Valsartan (used to treat chronic heart failure) 24-26 mg, give one tablet by mouth two times a day for hypertension, Ranolazine ER (used to treat chronic chest pain) 500 mg, give one tablet by mouth two times a day.</p> <p>According to the physician orders, dated 3/12/24, Depakote Sprinkles (used to treat seizure disorder) 125 mg, give six tablets by mouth three times a day for seizures, Levetiracetam (used to treat seizures) 100 mg per milliliter (ml), give 12 ml by mouth two times a day for seizures, and Notify MD if blood sugar is less then 70 mg/deciliter (dl) and/or greater the 250 mg/dl. Check blood sugar two times a day for glucose (blood sugar level) monitoring.</p> <p>The Medication Administration Record (MAR) was reviewed from 8/1/24 through 8/15/24.</p> <p>The medication Sertraline for depression was refused and not administered for 4 out of 15 opportunities.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>

Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (\*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined that other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (See instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable 90 days following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosable 14 days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE
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