

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 056084	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 01/27/2025
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<p>F 0583</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Keep residents' personal and medical records private and confidential.</p> <p>43878</p> <p>Based on observation, interview and record review, facility failed to maintain privacy of confidential information when Licensed Vocational Nurse 2 (LVN 2) left electronic health record (EHR- a digital version of a patient's paper chart) opened, unattended and out of view for one of three sampled residents (Resident 1).</p> <p>This deficient practice violated Resident 1 ' s right to privacy and confidentiality of their medical records.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>During a review of Resident 1 ' s Face Sheet (a document that summarizes a patient's personal information and health status) indicated the facility admitted Resident 1 on 10/12/2024 and readmitted the resident on 1/13/2025 with diagnoses including liver cell carcinoma (a type of cancer that develops when liver cells grow into a tumor [an abnormal mass of tissue that grows when cells divide too much or do not die when they should]), type 2 diabetes mellitus (DM-a disorder characterized by difficulty in blood sugar control and poor wound healing), peripheral angiopathy (a term that may refer to peripheral artery disease (PAD), which is a blood circulation disorder that occurs when blood vessels narrow or become blocked).</p> <p>During a review of Resident 1 ' s Minimum Data Set (MDS - a resident assessment tool), dated 12/20/2024, indicated Resident 1 had the ability to understand and be understood. The MDS indicated Resident 1 was dependent (helper does all the effort) with toileting, showering, upper body dressing, lower body dressing, and putting on and taking off footwear, and required partial (helper does less than half the effort) assistance with oral hygiene.</p> <p>During a concurrent observation and interview on 1/27/2025 at 11:21 a.m., outside of Resident 1 ' s room observed EHR opened to Resident 1's chart and LVN 2 in Resident 1 ' s room with curtain closed and computer out of sight. LVN 2 stated left the computer and out of sight while administering Resident 1 ' s medications. LVN 2 stated leaving the computer opened and out of sight can be a risk for someone who should not have access to the residents ' records to access the residents ' records, it is a risk for Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPPA- establishes federal standards protecting sensitive health information from disclosure without patient's consent).</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.

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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide appropriate pressure ulcer care and prevent new ulcers from developing.</p> <p>43878</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to provide the necessary treatment and services for one of three residents (Resident 2) at risk for developing pressure ulcer (a localized injury to the skin and/or underlying tissue usually over a bony prominence as a result of pressure, or pressure in combination with shear) received the necessary care and services to prevent pressure ulcers from developing, by failing to follow the manufacturer's guideline for low air loss mattress (LAL- a mattress that uses air to help prevent and treat pressure wounds and maintain a comfortable temperature and moisture level for the patient).</p> <p>This deficient practice had the potential for Resident 2's wounds to worsen.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2's Face Sheet (Admission Record) indicated the facility admitted Resident 2 on 12/5/2024 with diagnoses including bilateral (having or involving two sides) stage unspecified, contusion (a bruise) of right hip, and acute respiratory failure (ARF- occurs when your lungs can't remove carbon dioxide or release enough oxygen into your blood).</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2's Physician Order Sheet January 2025, dated 12/6/2024 indicated LAL mattress, low air loss mattress monitor setting, placement and functioning per shift daily.</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2's Minimum Data Set (MDS - a resident assessment tool), dated 12/11/2024 indicated Resident 2 ability to understand and be understood. The MDS indicated Resident 2 was dependent (helper does all the effort) with toileting, showering, lower body dressing, putting on and taking off footwear, and personal hygiene, and required substantial (helper does more than half the effort) with upper body dressing.</p> <p>During a review of the facilities Monthly and Weekly vitals indicated on 1/20/2025 Resident 2 weighed 138 pounds (lbs.- a unit of measurement).</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2s Situational, Background, Assessment, and Recommendation (SBAR) Communication tool, dated 1/21/2025, indicated coccyx area with wound. Notes indicated coccyx area 2 centimeters (cm- unit of measurement) by 2 cm in size.</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2's Weekly Progress Report, dated 1/21/2025, indicated coccyx area wound 2 cm by 2 cm.</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2's Physician Order Sheet January 2025, dated 1/24/2025 indicated:</p> <p>- Coccyx (small bone at the bottom of the spine) area with pressure injury: cleanse with normal saline (NS- a sterile, non-toxic solution of salt and water that's used to clean wounds) pat dry apply medihoney (is a medical-grade honey dressing that helps wounds heal by reducing inflammation, removing dead tissue, and keeping the wound moist), gel cover with foam dressing daily for 30 days then re-evaluate.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0695</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide safe and appropriate respiratory care for a resident when needed.</p> <p>43878</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to provide care that was consistent with professional standards of care for one of three residents (Resident 2) when humidifier bottle (a medical device used to humidify oxygen which in turn increases the moisture) was observed with no water.</p> <p>This deficient practice had the potential for Resident 2 to be uncomfortable and a risk for bleeding due to the nasal passage and throat becoming dried out due to the use of pure oxygen.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2 ' s Face Sheet (a document that summarizes a patient's personal information and health status) indicated the facility admitted Resident 2 on 12/5/2024 with diagnoses including bilateral (having or involving two sides) stage unspecified, contusion (a bruise) of right hip, and acute respiratory failure (ARF- occurs when your lungs can't remove carbon dioxide or release enough oxygen into your blood).</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2 ' s Physician Order Sheet January 2025, dated 12/5/2024 indicated oxygen (O2) at 2 liters per minute (L/min- a unit of measurement) per nasal cannula (a small plastic tube, which fits into the person ' s nostrils for providing supplemental oxygen).</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2 ' s Minimum Data Set (MDS - a resident assessment tool), dated 12/11/2024 indicated Resident 2 had the ability to understand and be understood. The MDS indicated Resident 2 was dependent (helper does all the effort) with toileting, showering, lower body dressing, putting on and taking off footwear, and personal hygiene, and required substantial (helper does more than half the effort) with upper body dressing.</p> <p>During a review of Resident 2 ' s Care Plan, created on 12/20/2024, for cardiovascular system with interventions that included administer medications as ordered and supplemental oxygen (O2) as ordered.</p> <p>During an observation on 1/27/2025 at 10:33 a.m. of Resident 2 ' s oxygen concentrator observed humidifier bottle with a date of 1/20/2025, the humidifier bottle was empty.</p> <p>During a concurrent observation and interview on 1/27/2025 at 10:58 a.m. with Licensed Vocational Nurse 1 (LVN 1) stated humidifier is empty. LVN 1 stated a humidifier is used to prevent dryness. The LVN 1 stated humidifier should have water because it can cause Resident 2 ' s nasal passageway to become dry and cause Resident 2 to be uncomfortable.</p> <p>During an interview on 1/27/2025 at 4:41 p.m. with the Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON), the ADON stated humidifier should have water in them. The ADON stated oxygen will not function well without the humidifier. The ADON stated the humidifier humidifies the nasal passageway of the resident if there is no water nasal passageway it can become dry, the oxygen distribution will not be effective, and can be a risk for bleeding due to dryness.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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