

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 056259	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 12/05/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Northvine Postacute Care		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 446 Arrowood Dr Santa Rosa, CA 95407	

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<p>F 0609</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Timely report suspected abuse, neglect, or theft and report the results of the investigation to proper authorities.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 46132</p> <p>Based on interviews and record reviews, the facility failed to ensure an abuse allegation was reported to the appropriate agencies within 2 hours after an allegation was made for one out of two sampled residents (Resident 1). This failure could put the resident's safety at risk and potentially hinder the ability to properly investigate and protect the resident due to a lack of time to intervene effectively.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's face sheet (demographics) indicated he was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with a diagnoses of Muscle Weakness and Anxiety disorder (a group of mental health conditions that cause fear, dread and other symptoms that are out of proportion to the situation). Resident 1's Minimum Data Set (MDS, a standardized assessment tool that measures health status in nursing home residents) dated 10/7/24 indicated Resident 1 had intact cognition (memory). Resident 1's MDS also indicated he was dependent on staff with his care except for eating and oral hygiene on which needed substantial assistance from staff.</p> <p>A review of the facility initial report dated 11/14/24 indicated this verbal abuse allegation occurred on 11/12/24.</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's Progress note dated 11/12/24 at 8:00 p.m. indicated Resident 1's brother-in-law approached Licensed Staff D to complain about Unlicensed Staff B working with Resident 1 of using vulgar words.</p> <p>During an interview on 12/4/24 at 11:15 a.m., Unlicensed Staff A stated, using vulgar words on residents or telling resident to f--- off or f--- you was a verbal abuse and should have been reported right away. Unlicensed Staff A stated all abuse allegations had to be reported within 2 hours after learning about the allegation. Unlicensed Staff A stated not reporting abuse allegations timely could put the resident's safety at risk.</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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<p>F 0610</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Respond appropriately to all alleged violations.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40214</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to protect the resident when a staff member (Unlicensed Staff C) was allowed to continue working on her shift while the investigation for the abuse allegation was in progress.</p> <p>This failure reduced the facility ' s potential to protect Resident 1 from further abuse while the alleged abuse investigation was in progress.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>A review of Resident 1 ' s face sheet (demographics) indicated he was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with a diagnoses of Muscle Weakness and Anxiety disorder (a group of mental health conditions that cause fear, dread and other symptoms that are out of proportion to the situation). Resident 1 ' s Minimum Data Set (MDS, a standardized assessment tool that measures health status in nursing home residents) dated 10/7/24 indicated Resident 1 had intact cognition (memory). Resident 1 ' s MDS also indicated he was dependent on staff with his care except for eating and oral hygiene on which needed substantial assistance from staff.</p> <p>A review of the facility initial report dated 11/14/24 indicated this verbal abuse allegation occurred on 11/12/24.</p> <p>A review of Progress note dated 11/12/24 at 8:00 p.m. indicated the alleged staff (Unlicensed Staff C) working with Resident 1 during the incident was not suspended immediately after an abuse allegation was made against her and was only reassigned to another room.</p> <p>During a concurrent interview and abuse policy and procedure record review on 12/4/24 at 12:15 p.m., the Administrator (ADM) verified the facility did not suspend Unlicensed Staff C immediately after Resident 1 accused her of verbal abuse per facility policy. The ADM stated not putting the alleged staff on suspension immediately after an abuse allegation was made against her might taint the investigation and could influence staff or residents judgement so there could be a risk of not getting an impartial investigation.</p> <p>During a concurrent interview and abuse policy and procedure record review on 12/4/24 at 12:45 p.m., the Director of Nursing (DON) verified the alleged staff (Unlicensed Staff C) was not immediately suspended after Resident 1 made the abuse allegation against her per facility policy. The DON stated not suspending Unlicensed Staff C immediately after an abuse allegation was made against her could put residents safety at risk and could compromise the investigation.</p> <p>A review of the facility ' s policy and procedure (P&P) titled Abuse Investigation and Reporting, updated 2/2024, the P&P indicated, .the administrator will suspend immediately any employee who has been accused of resident abuse pending outcome of the investigation .</p>		