

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 056333	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 05/21/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Mountain View Conv Hosp		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 13333 Fenton Avenue Sylmar, CA 91342	

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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>42311</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure the resident received care consistent with professional standards of practice to prevent pressure ulcer (a localized injury to the skin and or underlying tissue usually over a bone prominence as a result of pressure or pressure in combination with shear [occur between the internal body structures and skin tissues typically moving in opposite directions and may lead to deep tissue injury]) for one of three sampled residents (Resident 1) by failing to ensure only one sheet of linen was placed over the low air loss mattress (LALM-a mattress designed to distribute the patient's body weight over a broad surface area to prevent skin breakdown and treat pressure ulcers) as indicated in the manufacturer's guidelines.</p> <p>This deficient practice had the potential for the development and worsening of pressure ulcers/injuries.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>A review of Resident 3's Admission Record indicated the facility admitted the resident on 4/5/2021 with diagnoses that included other sequelae (condition resulting from a prior disease, injury, or attack of) cerebral infarction (also known as a stroke- refers to damage to tissues in the brain due to a loss of oxygen to the area), type two diabetes mellitus (glucose [blood sugar] levels in the blood are higher than normal because the body does not make enough insulin [is a hormone our body makes to keep our blood glucose levels within the normal range]) and unstageable pressure ulcer (a type of bed sore that occurs due to prolonged pressure on a specific area of the skin, resulting in the lack of blood flow and oxygen to the tissue) of sacral region (lower back).</p> <p>A review of Resident 3's History and Physical, dated 3/30/2024, indicated the resident had the capacity to understand and make decisions.</p> <p>A review of Resident 3's Minimum Data Set (MDS - a standardized assessment and care-screening tool), dated 3/20/2024, indicated Resident 3 had intact cognition (mental action or process of acquiring knowledge and understanding). The MDS indicated Resident 3 is dependent to staff for toileting, showering, and transfers. The MDS indicated Resident 3 was always incontinent (unable to control) of bowel and bladder functions. The MDS indicated Resident 3 had one unstageable pressure ulcer present upon admission and the resident was on pressure reducing device for bed.</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>A review of Resident 3's Physician's Order, dated 3/15/2023, indicated an order for low air loss mattress (LALM- a mattress designed to distribute the patient's body weight over a broad surface area to prevent skin breakdown and treat pressure ulcers) for wound and skin management based on residents' comfort, weight.</p> <p>During a concurrent observation and interview on 5/21/2024 at 3:10 p.m., with Certified Nursing Assistant 1 (CNA 1), inside Resident 3's room. Observed resident laying on LALM. CNA 1 started counting layers of sheet on top of the LALM. CNA 1 stated Resident 3 had one linen, two disposable underpad and a sheet folded in two for a total of five layers. CNA 1 stated nurses were aware of the multiple layers. CNA 1 stated she was never inserviced on the use of LALM.</p> <p>During an interview on 5/21/2024 at 3:16 p.m., Licensed Vocational Nurse 1 (LVN 1) stated residents on LALM should only have one sheet on. LVN 1 stated she was not informed of Resident 3's multiple layers of sheet.</p> <p>During an interview on 5/21/2024 at 5:11 p.m., the Director of Nursing (DON) stated residents on LALM should only have maximum of two layers including the incontinent brief for wound management. The DON stated multiple layers of sheet on top of LALM defeats the purpose of the LALM.</p> <p>A review of Wound Management and Prevention thru Wound Care Learning Network titled, A Laboratory Study Examining the Impact of Linen Use on Low-air-loss Support Surface Heat and Water Vapor Transmission Rates, Volume 59-Issue 8, dated 8/2013, indicated The purpose of this study was to measure the effects of linens and underpads on a low air loss surface's ability to disperse heat and evaporate moisture. All combinations that included plastic-containing underpads significantly reduced the surface's ability to dissipate heat and evaporate moisture, and use of the maximum number of layers reduced heat withdrawal to the level of a static, non-LAL surface. The results of this study suggest that putting additional linens or underpads on LAL surfaces may adversely affect skin temperature and moisture, thereby reducing the pressure ulcer prevention potential of these surfaces. Additional studies to examine the effect of linens and underpads as well as microclimate management strategies on pressure ulcer risk are needed .</p>		