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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 056412	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/29/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Northridge Care Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 7836 Reseda Blvd Reseda, CA 91335	
For information on the nursing home's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the nursing home or the state survey agency.			
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F 0760 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Ensure that residents are free from significant medication errors. Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure one of four sampled residents (Resident 2) was free from medications errors by failing to: 1.Ensure the scheduled 9 p.m. dose of atorvastatin calcium (a medication used to lower cholesterol) was administered as ordered or, if not administered, that the omission and reason were documented in the Medication Administration Record (MAR - a daily documentation record used by a licensed nurse to document medications and treatments given to a resident). 2.Ensure that the licensed nurse who administered the resident's medications accurately documented the medication administration in the MAR. This deficient practice resulted in an inability to determine whether Resident 2 received the prescribed medication and had the potential to result in medication errors, compromise medication safety, and create confusion regarding the delivery of resident care and services.During a review of Resident 2's Face Sheet (front page of the chart that contains a summary of basic information about the resident), the Face Sheet indicated that the facility originally admitted the resident on 12/30/2022 and readmitted the resident on 11/01/2025 with diagnoses that included Type 2 diabetes (T2D - a chronic condition in which the body either resists the effects of insulin [an essential hormone that regulates the body's blood sugar {BS} levels] or does not produce enough to maintain normal BS levels), atherosclerotic heart disease (the clogging of the arteries with sticky, fatty deposits called plaque), glaucoma (a group of eye diseases that damage the eye nerve, usually due to abnormally high pressure inside the eye), anemia (a condition where the body does not have enough healthy red blood cells), polyneuropathy (occurs when multiple nerves are damaged simultaneously throughout the body), and seizure (a sudden, uncontrolled electrical disturbance in the brain which can cause uncontrolled jerking, blank stares, and loss of consciousness). During a review of Resident 2's Minimum Data Set (MDS - a resident assessment tool) dated 4/6/2026, the MDS indicated Resident 2 had intact cognition (ability to think, understand, and make decisions). The MDS indicated Resident 2 required moderate assistance from staff with toileting hygiene, supervision or touching assistance with lower body dressing, transferring and walking, and required setup or clean-up assistance with eating, oral/personal hygiene, and bed mobility (movement). During a review of Resident 2's Order Summary Report, the Order Summary Report indicated the following physician orders: Atorvastatin calcium tablet 40 milligrams (mg - metric unit of measurement, used for medication dosage and/or amount), give one tablet by mouth at bedtime for hyperlipidemia (excessive fat in the blood), ordered 11/2/2025. Netarsudil dimesylate ophthalmic solution (a prescription eye drop medication used to lower elevated intraocular pressure [IOP - the measurement of the fluid pressure inside the eyes]) 0.02 percent (%) - the strength or concentration of the medicine), instill (to put a liquid drop by drop into eyes) one (1) drop in left eye at bedtime for glaucoma, ordered 4/11/2026. Xalatan ophthalmic solution (a medication used to reduce high IOP) 0.005 %, instill one (1) drop in both eyes at bedtime for glaucoma, ordered 11/03/2025. Brimonidine tartrate ophthalmic solution (a prescription eye drop medication used to lower elevated intraocular pressure) 0.15 %, instill one (1) drop in left eye two times a day for glaucoma, ordered 3/9/2026. Cosopt ophthalmic solution (a prescription eye drop medication that combines two medications - dorzolamide and timolol - to lower high IOP) 22.3- 6.8 mg per milliliter (ml - a metric unit of volume, used to measure small amounts of liquid), instill one (1) drop in left eye two times a day for (continued on next page)		

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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