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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 065113	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/16/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Medallion Post Acute Rehabilitation		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1719 E Bijou St Colorado Springs, CO 80909	
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F 0925 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Make sure there is a pest control program to prevent/deal with mice, insects, or other pests. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on observations, record review and interviews, the facility failed to provide an effective pest control program to ensure the facility was free of pests. Specifically, the facility failed to: -Ensure the facility was kept free from mice, spiders and other insects; and,-Consistently follow recommendations from the pest control company to decrease the potential for mice, spiders and other insects to enter the facility.Findings include: I. Professional reference According to the Centers for Disease Control(CDC) Guidelines for Environmental Infection Control in Health-Care Facilities (revised July 2019), retrieved on 6/19/26 from https://www.cdc.gov/infection-control/media/pdfs/Guideline-Environmental-H.pdf,From a public health and hygiene perspective, pests should be eradicated from all indoor environments. Approaches to institutional pest management should focus on: eliminating food sources, indoor habitats, and other conditions that attract pests; excluding pests from entering the indoor environments; and applying pesticides as needed. Rodents can transmit viruses such as lymphocytic choriomeningitis, bacteria such as campylobacteriosis, leptospirosis, plague, salmonellosis, tularemia, yersiniosis, and fungi such as dermatophytosis. Spiders and mice are among the typical arthropod and vertebrate pest populations found in health-care facilities. Insects can serve as agents for the mechanical transmission of microorganisms or as active participants in the disease transmission process as vectors. Sealing windows helps to minimize insect intrusion. When windows need to be opened for ventilation, ensuring that screens are in good repair and closing doors to the outside can help with pest control. A pest-control specialist with appropriate credentials can provide a regular insect-control program that is tailored to the needs of the facility and uses approved chemicals and/or physical methods.II. Facility policy and procedure The Pest Control Program policy, dated January 2025 and revised 6/9/26, was received from the nursing home administrator (NHA) on 6/17/26 at 11:02 a.m. It read in pertinent part, The policy is to maintain an effective pest control program that eradicates and contains common household pests and rodents. The facility will maintain a written agreement with a qualified outside pest service to provide comprehensive pest control services on a regular and scheduled basis. The facility will utilize a variety of methods in controlling certain seasonal pests. These will involve indoor and outdoor methods that are deemed appropriate by the outside pest service and state and federal regulations.III. Facility observations staff interviewOn 6/10/26 at 8:51 a.m. a tour of the kitchen was conducted. The door to the alleyway in the back of the kitchen was observed to be propped open and no staff members were walking in or out of the doorway.On 6/10/26 at 9:21 a.m. a gap was observed under the emergency exit door at the end of the [NAME] hallway, which exited to the outside of the facility. There was daylight visible through the gap.On 6/10/26 at 2:40 p.m. a spider was observed crawling on the floor in the middle of the hallway at the intersection of the Silverthorn and Aspen unit hallways. Resident #51 was walking with a member of the therapy staff. The therapy staff member crushed the spider with her shoe. Resident #51 told the therapy staff member that she had seen spiders in her room.On 6/10/26 at 3:22 p.m. a large spider was observed by the doorframe of the exit door at the eastern end of the [NAME] hallway.On 6/12/26 at 1:30 p.m. there were two mousetrap boxes observed on the floor at the end of (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.

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