

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 065165	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/27/2024
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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Protect each resident from all types of abuse such as physical, mental, sexual abuse, physical punishment, and neglect by anybody.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 48114</p> <p>Based on record review and interviews, the facility failed to ensure residents were free from abuse for one (#59) of two residents reviewed for abuse out of 35 sample residents.</p> <p>Specifically, the facility failed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Protect Resident #59 from sexual abuse by Resident #62; and, -Implement interventions for Resident #62 in order to prevent the abuse from occurring again. <p>Findings include:</p> <p>I. Facility policy and procedure</p> <p>The Abuse policy was requested from the nursing home administrator (NHA) on 6/25/24 at 3:30 p.m.</p> <p>The Abuse policy was not provided, however, the NHA provided an undated print out titled What is Intimacy? on 6/25/24 at 4:43 p.m. It read in pertinent part,</p> <p>Intimacy can take many forms, from enjoying watching a movie together, to hand holding, to sexual intercourse. Residents have the right to engage in mutually consenting relationships, regardless of their marital status or sexual orientation. It is a protected resident right by statute.</p> <p>When an issue related to the sexual activity of a resident develops, (physical harm, dementia concerns, medical risk, need for medication, problematic pre or post sexual activity behavior, regular violations of others rights to privacy, or public masturbation), it is appropriate to open a care plan problem for that issue.</p> <p>Notation should also be made in the resident's record of educational efforts regarding safe sex practices. This could also include information about the ability of the resident to understand and retain the information and any staff efforts at continuing and tailoring the education to the particular resident's needs.</p> <p>Dementia does not mean that a person no longer has basic needs or wants.</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 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Just like a preference for a particular type of dessert, a preference for intimacy can be expressed in a person with dementia long after their orientation and memory has deteriorated.</p> <p>A Form for Intimacy Capacity should be completed as an interdisciplinary team (IDT), as various staff will have different observations and knowledge.</p> <p>If it is determined that residents are not able to consent for intimacy, then a care plan must be in place demonstrating how the facility will keep each resident safe.</p> <p>A resident with dementia and/or cognitive impairment may have the ability to give consent regarding intimacy and sexual activity.</p> <p>People are complex and they change; residents may give consent in one instance and not another, we may complete the Sexual Intimacy Capacity for Consent Assessment multiple times for one resident.</p> <p>II. Facility investigation of sexual abuse incident between Resident #59 and Resident #62</p> <p>The facility investigation, dated 3/25/24, documented the following information in pertinent part,</p> <p>Resident touched another resident over the pants during a group activity.</p> <p>Interviews were conducted with staff, residents and families. Documentation was reviewed.</p> <p>Resident #59 was assessed following the report of the incident and the resident was at baseline. There was no signs or symptoms of distress or discomfort. There was no treatment provided to the victim. The victim was not transferred</p> <p>to a higher level of care.</p> <p>One resident witnessed the event and stated another resident touched her shoulder but not sexually. There were no concerns from interviews.</p> <p>Conclusion of the internal investigation was unsubstantiated.</p> <p>-However, sexual abuse occurred due to Resident #62 touching Resident #59 in the vaginal area over her pants (see NHA below).</p> <p>Changes were made to the victims treatment regimen and/or care plan as a result of the occurrence: staff to alert leadership if resident expresses distress or discomfort to being touched.</p> <p>Actions were taken with the alleged assailant: medication review requested to ensure no medications influenced sexual behavior.</p> <p>Interventions were put into place to help prevent recurrence: staff education completed to understand intimacy guidelines.</p> <p>-The incident report form was not signed or dated.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Resident #59, age 68, was admitted on [DATE]. According to the June 2024 CPO, diagnoses included bipolar disorder and dementia.</p> <p>The 9/27/23 MDS assessment revealed the resident had severe cognitive impairment with a BIMS score of five out of 15. She required partial/moderate assistance with toileting hygiene, showering/bathing herself and lower body dressing</p> <p>She required set up or clean up assistance with eating and oral hygiene.</p> <p>B. Record review</p> <p>The care plan for cognition, initiated on 2/12/24, documented Resident #59 had impaired cognitive function/dementia or impaired thought processes related to dementia. Resident #59 was alert and oriented to self, able to make basic decisions with assistance if given choices. Her needs were anticipated by staff and she became confused and required redirection and orientation. The resident understood consistent, simple, directive sentences. Interventions included asking yes/no questions in order to determine the resident's needs, communicating with the resident/family/caregivers regarding the resident's capabilities and needs and monitoring/documenting/reporting as needed (PRN) any changes in cognitive function, specifically changes in decision making ability, memory, recall and general awareness.</p> <p>-Review of Resident #59's EMR revealed there was no progress note related to the incident with Resident #62.</p> <p>V. Staff interviews</p> <p>Registered nurse (RN) #3 was interviewed on 6/25/24 at 3:08 p.m. RN #3 said she heard Resident #62 had an incident where he touched a female resident on the arm. She said she was not aware of Resident #62 touching a female resident on the leg. She said Resident #62 had never been on one to one supervision. She said the facility did not have any resident's who resided on the secure unit who had consented to intimacy.</p> <p>RN #3 said staff stopped any unwanted behaviors or verbally aggressive behaviors before the behaviors could go any further. She said the staff on the unit made sure that no contact was happening between residents because the staff wanted the residents to feel safe and not afraid. She said if there was a resident to resident incident she would notify the nursing manager, management, family and doctor. She said she would have to fill out an incident report and write a note in the resident's chart.</p> <p>RN #3 said Resident #62 was not combative but was hyper-sexual. She said Resident #62 had been displaying sexually inappropriate behaviors since March 2024. She said Resident #62 had been exposing himself and masturbating in the hallway. She said the resident's behaviors were redirectable.</p> <p>RN #3 said the unit nurse manager was responsible for updating the care plans and putting in interventions for residents.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Certified nurse aide (CNA) #4 was interviewed on 6/25/24 at 3:25 p.m. CNA #4 said he had never seen Resident #62 display sexually inappropriate behaviors towards female residents. He said he heard Resident #62 had touched a female resident on her leg. He said he heard that the touch was consensual. He said he did not think Resident #62 touching Resident #59 on the leg was inappropriate.</p> <p>CNA #4 said a consent assessment would be done by the RN if further intimacy was agreed upon by both residents. He said he did not know if any residents had filled out an intimacy consent assessment.</p> <p>CNA #4 said a progress note regarding the abuse should have been documented in both of the residents' charts.</p> <p>CNA #4 said Resident #62 had been placed on medications to help decrease his hyper-sexuality. He said he thought the medication had been helpful, as Resident #62 had had a decrease in his behavior of masturbating openly. He said the resident was easily redirectable when masturbating out in the hallway.</p> <p>CNA #4 said Resident #62 had been placed on fifteen minute checks which had been effective. He said staff used a lot of non-pharmacological interventions, such as increasing his activity participation and going outside frequently, to help distract Resident #62.</p> <p>The NHA was interviewed on 6/25/24 at 4:38 p.m. The NHA said both residents were sitting in an activity when Resident #62 reached over and put his hand on Resident #59's vaginal area. She said this was her first experience with a resident being sexually inappropriate. She said if both resident's were deemed consensual then they would not document the sexually inappropriate touch. She said after the investigation, she unsubstantiated the incident.</p> <p>The NHA said Resident #59's consent was based on her interview. The NHA said Resident #59 was interviewed and she said she was okay and said she would not mind if that happened again.</p> <p>The NHA said she did not know if both residents had a history of a relationship prior to the inappropriate touch. She said Resident #59 consenting to the touch should have been documented.</p> <p>The NHA said she did not know if Resident #59 fully understood what had happened with Resident #62. She said as soon as staff saw what happened they stopped it immediately. She said the team was going to work on more assessments from social services and do more through investigations.</p> <p>The NHA said Resident #59 was moved off the unit four days after the sexually inappropriate touch because she no longer benefited from the secure unit.</p> <p>The NHA said Resident #62 had been referred to an all male secure unit at another facility. She said Resident #62</p> <p>had never displayed any sexually inappropriate behaviors.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>The NHA was interviewed a second time on 6/26/24 at 4:51 p.m. The NHA said the team, which consisted of the NHA, the director of nursing (DON) and the unit nurse supervisor, initiated a one to one supervision for Resident #62 on 6/25/24 (during the survey). She said they had determined being on fifteen minute checks was not enough for Resident #62 to prevent a further incident of inappropriate touching and felt a one to one supervision would be more appropriate. She said that she was doing education with all the staff on the secure unit.</p> <p>The NHA said Resident #62 had been on the secure unit for a while and there had been no concerns until March 2024. She said she felt like she did the right thing in the moment following the incident. She said she did not substantiate the incident as abuse abuse, but she said she had reported it. The NHA said if Resident #59 had said no, then the abuse would have been substantiated.</p> <p>The NHA said the interdisciplinary team (IDT), which included the NHA, the DON, the unit nurse manager and the social worker would put care plan interventions in place. She said when the incident between Resident #62 and Resident #59 happened, she and the social worker talked about the incident. She said she did not document anything regarding the incident in the residents' charts but reported it to the occurrence reporting portal.</p> <p>RN #4 was interviewed on 6/27/24 at 11:59 a.m. RN #4 said she had never seen Resident #62 touch a female resident. She said, to her knowledge, she had never seen any inappropriate behaviors with Resident #62 and female residents. She said she watched Resident #62 closely.</p> <p>RN #4 said she did not know if Resident #59 could consent to an intimate relationship. She said residents had a right to a relationship but staff would have to consider the residents' cognitive abilities.</p> <p>RN #4 said she had no concerns about the care Resident #62 received. She said staff on the secure unit were very attentive. She said she watched Resident #62 more closely because of the incident that happened in March 2024.</p> <p>RN #4 said any abuse incidents had to be reported to the NHA, the DON and the unit manager. She said she would have to complete a risk assessment form and write a progress note and place the resident on fifteen-minute checks.</p> <p>CNA #5 was interviewed on 6/27/24 at 12:55 p.m. CNA #5 said she had not seen any behavioral changes in Resident #62 after the abuse allegation. She said prior to the abuse incident, both residents had not spent any time together. She said Resident #59 did not communicate well. She said Resident #59 would talk to staff if they asked her a question but she kept to herself. She said Resident #59 did not exhibit any behaviors that would provoke Resident #62. She said Resident #62 had never been aggressive towards staff or residents.</p> <p>CNA #5 said Resident #62 would benefit from an all-male secure unit. She said Resident #62 had not had any other inappropriate behaviors but he did touch his private area when he was out in the hallway. She said Resident #62 had a stroke but he knew what he was doing.</p> <p>CNA #5 said if she witnessed abuse she would report it to the charge nurse or the nurse on the floor and they would take over on what needed to be done. She said she did not have to do any documentation because the nurses were responsible for all of the documentation.</p>		

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<p>F 0759</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure medication error rates are not 5 percent or greater.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 50315</p> <p>Based on observations, record review and interviews, the facility failed to ensure it was free of a medication error rate of five percent (%) or greater.</p> <p>Specifically, the medication administration observation error rate was 6.25%, or two errors out of 32 opportunities for error.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>I. Facility policy</p> <p>The Medication Administration policy and procedure, revised 2/9/24, was received from the nursing home administrator (NHA) on 6/27/24 at 12:45 p.m. It documented in pertinent part, Resident medications are administered in an accurate, safe, timely, and sanitary manner. Medications are administered in accordance with written orders of the attending physician or physician extender.</p> <p>II. Manufacturer's recommendations</p> <p>According to the National Library of Medicine, Levothyroxine Sodium capsules package insert (2024), retrieved on 7/2/24 from https://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov/dailymed/drugInfo.cfm?setid=686ba2cf-7651-44de-9b4d-eeaaf2a0e364&audience=professional,</p> <p>Administer Levothyroxine Sodium capsules as a single daily oral dose, on an empty stomach, one-half to one hour before breakfast.</p> <p>III. Resident #49</p> <p>A. Resident status</p> <p>Resident #49, age 87, was admitted on [DATE]. According to the June 2024 computerized physician orders (CPO), diagnoses included Alzheimer's disease, anxiety and hypothyroidism (a condition where the thyroid gland does not produce enough hormones to meet the body's needs).</p> <p>The 4/19/24 minimum data set (MDS) assessment revealed the resident had a cognitive impairment and the brief interview for mental status (BIMS) was not completed. She required no assistance with transfers, walking and personal hygiene. She required supervision for showering.</p> <p>B. Observations</p> <p>On 6/26/24 at 9:15 a.m. licensed practical nurse (LPN) #1 was observed passing medications to residents on the East hallway.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0759</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>LPN #1 prepared medications which included four different tablets and one eye drop for Resident #49. She put all of the tablets, which included a Levothyroxine Sodium (thyroid medication) 100 micrograms (mcg) tablet, into one medication cup and proceeded to Resident #49's room to administer the medications to the resident.</p> <p>Resident #49 was sitting upright in her recliner with her bedside table in front of her. She was eating her breakfast when LPN #1 entered the room.</p> <p>LPN #1 handed Resident #49 the medication cup with the tablets and instructed the resident to take them with water. The resident swallowed the pills and LPN #1 administered the eye drops to the resident before exiting the room.</p> <p>C. Record review</p> <p>Resident #49's June 2024 CPO documented the following physician's order:</p> <p>Levothyroxine Sodium tablet 100 mcg, give one tablet by mouth one time a day for hypothyroidism, give 30 minutes before food on an empty stomach, revised 9/8/23.</p> <p>-However, LPN #1 administered the Levothyroxine Sodium tablet while Resident #49 was already eating her breakfast (see observation above).</p> <p>IV. Resident #14</p> <p>A. Resident status</p> <p>Resident #14, age 76, was admitted on [DATE]. According to the June 2024 CPO, diagnoses included bipolar disorder and hypothyroidism.</p> <p>The 4/29/24 MDS assessment revealed the resident was cognitively intact with a BIMS score of 15 out of 15. She required maximal assistance with transferring, dressing and showering.</p> <p>B. Observations</p> <p>On 6/26/24 at 9:21 a.m. LPN #1 was observed passing medications to residents on the East hallway.</p> <p>LPN #1 prepared medications which included nine different tablets, one eye drop and a nasal spray for Resident #14. She put all of the tablets, which included a Levothyroxine Sodium 75 mcg tablet, into one medication cup and proceeded to Resident #14's room to administer the medications to the resident.</p> <p>LPN #1 handed the cup of pills to the resident and directed her to take them with water. Resident #14 swallowed the pills and LPN #1 administered the eye drops and nasal spray to the resident before exiting the room.</p> <p>C. Resident</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>

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<p>F 0804</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Ensure food and drink is palatable, attractive, and at a safe and appetizing temperature.</p> <p>48114</p> <p>Based on interviews, record review and observations, the facility failed to ensure residents consistently receive food prepared by methods that conserved nutritive value, palatable in taste, texture and temperature.</p> <p>Specifically, the facility failed to ensure the residents' food was palatable in taste, texture and temperature.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>I. Facility policy and procedure</p> <p>The Menu policy and procedure, revised September 2017, was received from the nursing home administrator (NHA) on 6/27/24 at 12:40 p.m. It read in pertinent part, Menu will be planned in advance to meet the nutritional needs of the residents/patients in accordance with established national guidelines. Menu will be developed to meet the criteria through the use of an approved menu-planning guide.</p> <p>Menu cycles will be developed and tailored to the needs and requirements of the facility.</p> <p>Menu cycles will include standardized recipes.</p> <p>Menu will be served as written, unless a substitution is provided in response to preference, unavailability of an item, or a special meal.</p> <p>II. Resident group interview</p> <p>A group interview was conducted on 6/26/24 at 11:00 a.m. with five alert and oriented residents (#54, #28, #43, #39 and #40), who were interviewable per facility and assessments. The residents regularly attended the resident council meeting.</p> <p>According to the residents, the concerns were brought up in previous resident councils however not resolved. Residents in the group had the following concerns:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Resident #43 said kitchen staff served fruit on the same plate as the meal. Resident #40 agreed. -Resident #43 said the food was served cold and the potatoes were often undercooked. Resident #40 and Resident #39 agreed. -All residents in the group said there was not much variety in the food and it was very bland. -Resident #39 said the eggs were always served cold. <p>III. Additional resident interviews</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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