

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 065396	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 02/18/2026
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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</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** Based on record review and interviews, the facility failed to ensure residents were kept free from physical abuse for six (#3, #1, #7, #2, #5 and #6) of 9 residents reviewed for abuse out of nine sample residents. Specifically, the facility failed to: -Protect Resident #3 from physical abuse by Resident #4;-Protect Resident #1 from physical abuse by Resident #2;-Protect Resident #7 and Resident #2 from physical abuse by each other; and,-Protect Resident #5 and Resident #6 from physical abuse by each other. Findings include: I. Facility policy and procedure The Abuse Investigating and Reporting policy, revised July 2017, was provided by the nursing home administrator (NHA) on 2/18/26 at 2:04 p.m. It read in pertinent part: All reports of resident abuse shall be reported and investigated by facility management. II. Incident of physical abuse of Resident #3 by Resident #4 on 9/25/25A. Facility investigation The 9/25/25 facility investigation revealed that an altercation occurred between Resident #3 and Resident #4. The investigation revealed Resident #4 positioned his wheelchair next to Resident #3. Resident #3 asked Resident #4 not to run into her with his wheelchair. Resident #4 responded and struck Resident #3 on the face, and Resident #3's eyeglasses were bent, causing a laceration on the bridge of her nose. Resident #4 was placed on monitoring with observations every 15 minutes and moved to a room in another hallway. Resident #4 was prescribed sertraline (selective serotonin reuptake inhibitor) once a day for physical aggression. The investigation substantiated the incident of physical abuse. B. Resident #3 (victim) 1. Resident status Resident #3, age greater than 65, was admitted on [DATE] and discharged home on [DATE]. According to the October 2025 computerized physician orders (CPO), diagnoses included dementia, anxiety and depression. The 9/1/25 minimum data set (MDS) assessment revealed the resident had severe cognitive impairments with a brief interview for mental status (BIMS) score of seven out of 15. The assessment revealed Resident #3 required substantial to maximum assistance from staff for bed mobility and transfers, and was dependent on staff for walking. Resident #3 used a manual wheelchair for mobility. The assessment documented Resident #3 had no physical or verbal behaviors towards others. 2. Record review The communication care plan, initiated 9/3/25, revealed Resident #3 had impaired communication. Pertinent interventions included allowing ample time for Resident #3 to comprehend what was said, allowing time for response and using simple and direct communication to promote understanding. The 9/25/25 nurse progress note revealed Resident #3 had an incident with another resident (Resident #4). Resident #3 sustained a 0.5 centimeter (cm) by 0.5 cm laceration on the right side of her nose and a 1.5 cm by 2.0 cm laceration on the left side of her nose. The progress note documented Resident #3 was transferred to the emergency department for evaluation and had no additional injuries. The lacerations were treated by the nurse with first aid. The 10/2/25 nurse progress note revealed the resident's lacerations were healing and Resident #3 denied pain from the lacerations. The 10/8/25 progress note revealed Resident #3 discharged home with her responsible party. C. Resident #4 (assailant) 1. Resident status Resident #4, age less than</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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