

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:  075211	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED  03/27/2025
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<p>F 0580</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Immediately tell the resident, the resident's doctor, and a family member of situations (injury/decline/room, etc.) that affect the resident.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</b> Based on clinical record reviews, review of facility documentation, and interviews for one of three sampled residents (Resident #1) reviewed for admission to the facility, the facility failed to notify the Medical Director when a resident, that had been accepted to be admitted to the facility, was denied admission after he/she arrived at the facility; and for one (1) of three (3) residents (Resident #11) reviewed for medication administration, the facility failed to ensure a provider was notified when a medication was omitted on twenty-four different occasions. The findings include:</p> <p>1.</p> <p>Resident #1's diagnoses included acute respiratory failure, acute decompensated heart failure, and moderate malnutrition.</p> <p>The Inter-Agency Patient Referral Report (W-10) dated 3/1/25 at 5:24 PM identified Resident #1 was alert and oriented, required assistance with most Daily Living Activities (ADLs), was identified as a high fall risk, and had a physician order that directed Resident #1 to be transferred to a long-term care (LTC) facility on 3/1/24 for skilled nursing services following hospitalization.</p> <p>The Emergency Medical Services (EMS) report dated 3/1/25 identified Resident #1 was transferred to the facility from an acute care hospital, transferred from the stretcher into a bed, a Registered Nurse was notified, and care was transferred to the LTC facility staff on 3/1/25 at 8:43 PM.</p> <p>The Prehospital Care Report dated 3/2/25 identified EMS was dispatched at 9:17 AM to a private residence for complaints of an individual having difficulty breathing. The report identified Resident #1 explained he/she had been admitted to the hospital a few days ago for pneumonia and congestive heart failure and then was discharged for rehabilitation to a LTC facility. The report indicated Resident #1 explained he/she could not be accepted by the facility due to not having paperwork from the hospital, and Resident #1 had to go to his/her residence. The report identified Resident #1 was not in respiratory distress.</p> <p>Hospital documentation dated 3/2/25 identified the case manager left a message at the LTC at 8:10 AM with a return call from the LTC facility at 8:18 AM. The case manager's note indicated when inquired as to what happened with Resident #1 being admitted to their facility last night, 3/1/25, the facility staff member state My bad on this one, you know it was after 4:00 PM. The note identified Resident #1 explained he/she was escorted out of the LTC facility, it was ten (10) degrees. The note identified Resident #1 would be transferred to another LTC facility.</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 0620</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Not require residents to give up Medicare or Medicaid benefits, or pay privately as a condition of admission; and must tell residents what care they do not provide.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</b> Based on clinical record reviews, review of facility documentation, and interviews for one of three sampled residents (Resident #1) reviewed for admission to the facility, the facility failed to admit a resident that was already accepted and did not deny the resident admission after the resident arrived at the facility. The findings include:</p> <p>Resident #1's diagnoses included acute respiratory failure, acute decompensated heart failure, and moderate malnutrition.</p> <p>The Inter-Agency Patient Referral Report (W-10) dated 3/1/25 at 5:24 PM identified Resident #1 was alert and oriented, required assistance with most Daily Living Activities (ADLs), was identified as a high fall risk, and had a physician order that directed Resident #1 to be transferred to a long-term care (LTC) facility on 3/1/24 for skilled nursing services following hospitalization.</p> <p>The Emergency Medical Services (EMS) report dated 3/1/25 identified Resident #1 was transferred to the facility from an acute care hospital, transferred from the stretcher into a bed, a Registered Nurse was notified, and care was transferred to the LTC facility staff on 3/1/25 at 8:43 PM.</p> <p>The Prehospital Care Report dated 3/2/25 identified EMS was dispatched at 9:17 AM to a private residence for complaints of an individual having difficulty breathing. The report identified Resident #1 explained he/she had been admitted to the hospital a few days ago for pneumonia and congestive heart failure and then was discharged for rehabilitation to a LTC facility. The report indicated Resident #1 explained he/she could not be accepted by the facility due to not having paperwork from the hospital, and Resident #1 had to go to his/her residence. The report identified Resident #1 was not in respiratory distress.</p> <p>Hospital documentation dated 3/2/25 identified the case manager left a message at the LTC at 8:10 AM with a return call from the LTC facility at 8:18 AM. The case manager's note indicated when inquired as to what happened with Resident #1 being admitted to their facility last night, 3/1/25, the facility staff member state My bad on this one, you know it was after 4:00 PM. The note identified Resident #1 explained he/she was escorted out of the LTC facility, it was ten (10) degrees. The note identified Resident #1 would be transferred to another LTC facility.</p> <p>Interview with the Administrator on 3/17/25 at 10:41 AM identified Resident #1 arrived to the facility on 3/1/24 during the 3PM-11PM shift by ambulance from an acute care hospital for admission to the facility, was not able to be admitted because documentation for Resident #1 was not received, and Resident #1 left the facility around 12:00 AM on 3/2/25 to his/her residence. The Administrator indicated the facility was not aware Resident #1 was going to be admitted on [DATE], however the facility found out the following day on 3/2/25 from Admissions that Resident #1 was supposed to be admitted to the facility on [DATE]. The Administrator identified the facility had a centralized admissions process and the policy was for the facility to receive an update from admissions regarding pending admissions to the facility through a dashboard in the electronic medical record system, receive an admission notice through email, and receive a copy of the Inter-Agency Patient Referral Report (W-10) and hospital discharge summary for admission.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER  Apple Rehab Rocky Hill		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE  45 Elm Street Rocky Hill, CT 06067	
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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Review of Resident #11's March 2025 Medication Administration Record (MAR) identified that on 3/18/2025, at 1:00 P.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered, on 3/20/2025, at 1:00 P.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered, on 3/21/2025, at 9:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered, on 3/22/2025, at 9:00 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered, on 3/23/2025, at 9:00 A.M., 1:00 P.M., and 5:00 P.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered, on 3/24/2025, at 9:00 A.M., 1:00 P.M., and 5:00 P.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered, and on 3/25/2025, at 9:00 A.M. pregabalin 200 mg was not administered. From 3/18/2025 to 3/25/2025, a total of 13 doses were not administered</p> <p>Review of Resident #11's Controlled Substance Disposition log dated 3/25/25 identified that the facility received ninety (90) capsules of pregabalin 200 milligram from the pharmacy (30-day supply).</p> <p>Interview with MD #1 on 3/26/2025 at 12:14 P.M. identified he directed treatment of Resident #11's chronic and neuropathic pain with prescribed pregabalin. MD #1 identified he directed that Resident #11 was to be administered pregabalin (Lyrica) 200 mg three times per day for neuropathic pain. MD #1 indicated he believed the reason Resident #11 missed doses of pregabalin was due to the pharmacy not having the supply of pregabalin. MD #1 identified when Resident #11's pregabalin was not available during the months of February and March 2025 an alternate medication gabapentin (medication used to treat nerve pain) could have been ordered to substitute Resident #11's doses of pregabalin. MD #1 was unable to explain why gabapentin was not ordered as a substitute for Resident #11 when pregabalin was not available.</p> <p>Interview with the DNS (Director of Nursing) on 3/26/2025 at 1:20 P.M. identified she was aware Resident #11 missed 3 doses of pregabalin 200 mg during the month of February 2025 and 21 doses of pregabalin 200 mg during the month of March 2025. The DNS indicated she thought the omissions from 2/12/2025 to 3/25/2025 were due to the pharmacy not having the supply of pregabalin. The DNS identified that upon further investigation she discovered the problem with Resident #11's pregabalin supply was caused on 2/24/2025 when an incorrectly written prescription was sent to the pharmacy directing to administer one capsule of pregabalin 200 mg orally at bedtime for constipation. The DNS was unable to identify who sent the prescription on 2/24/2025. The DNS identified on 2/25/2025 the pharmacy delivered 30 capsules of pregabalin for Resident #11 which was only a 10-day supply. The DNS indicated refills were attempted numerous times; however, the pharmacy could not refill the prescription because it was identified as too soon by the pharmacy. The DNS indicated on 3/25/2025, the supply problem for Resident #11's pregabalin 200 mg medication, was resolved.</p> <p>Review of Resident #11's Controlled Substance Disposition log dated 3/25/25 identified that the facility received 90 capsules of pregabalin 200 mg.</p> <p>Interview with APRN #1 on 3/27/2025 at 9:35 A.M. identified on 2/24/2025 she wrote a prescription for Resident #11 that directed to administer pregabalin 200 mg orally three times per day. APRN #1 indicated that Resident #11 was prescribed pregabalin 200 mg for chronic pain and neuropathic pain.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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