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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 105335	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 12/04/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Cascades Health and Rehabilitation Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2105 SW 11th Court Delray Beach, FL 33445	
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 0689 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on observation, interview and record review, the facility failed to implement and follow appropriate interventions for resident at risk for elopement for 1 of 1 resident reviewed for elopement, with the potential to affect 5 residents at risk for elopement (Resident #85). The findings included: Review of the facility policy titled Elopement and Wandering revised on 01/01/25 revealed the following: 1. A situation in which a resident leaves the premises or a safe area without the facility's knowledge and supervision, if necessary, would be considered an elopement. 2. Each incapacitated resident will be assessed for wandering and elopement upon admission, re-admission, and whenever an elopement attempt or new wandering behavior is observed or identified. Assessments are also done quarterly and annually. Record review revealed Resident #85 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] to the memory care unit. Diagnoses included metabolic encephalopathy and hypertensive urgency. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment dated [DATE] revealed that the Brief Interview of Mental Status (BIMS) score is 15/15, which indicated no cognitive impairment. No prior Elopement Risk Evaluations were found in his clinical record. Review of the Care Plan dated 09/26/2025 documented that Resident # 85 is at risk for exit seeking behaviors. Goals were to decrease episodes of exit seeking behaviors; resident will remain safe within the facility and will make no attempt to exit facility without being accompanied. Interventions were to increase supervision, admit resident to a locked unit and distract resident from exit seeking. Resident #85 also has a care plan dated 09/26/2025 documenting that Resident #85 has a history of exhibiting aggressiveness, violence and yelling. Goals were to decrease the identified behaviors. Interventions were to offer psychology and psychiatry services as needed and encourage/assist the resident to develop more appropriate methods of coping and interacting as able. Review of the assessments indicated that no assessments for risk of elopement were conducted for Resident #85. Review of the progress notes dated 12/01/2025 at 1:00 PM indicated the following: Staff observed resident attempting to exit window. The resident is alert with a BIMS a 15 and not easily redirected. While staff attempted to redirect the resident, the resident became aggressive and started yelling. Nursing assessment completed and revealed the resident deny any pain or discomfort. No change in the resident's loc or rom. No new skin impairments noted. The resident's daughter and the medical provider notified. BP 148/63, p89, O2 97%, R19. In an interview conducted on 12/01/2025 at 10:35 AM, Resident #85 stated that all he can think about is going home to Thailand. Resident further explained that he does not wish to talk because he wants to go back home. In an observation conducted on 12/01/2025 at 12:40 PM, Resident #85 was seen outside by his roommate's window with staff present trying to redirect resident to get back to the facility. Closer observation showed that the window screen was pushed outside with the window partially open. In an interview conducted on 12/02/25 at 10:00 AM with Registered Nurse (RN), Staff A stated that he has been working in the facility for 15 years and usually works the morning shift (7:00 AM to 3:30 PM). RN further explained that he is very familiar with Resident #85. According to RN, Resident #85 is very friendly and never mentioned to him that he wanted to go home. Staff A was very shocked after the attempt to elope incident and stated that Resident #85 was not at risk 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.

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