

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 105516	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 03/18/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Darcy Hall of Life Care		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2170 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd West Palm Beach, FL 33409	

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<p>F 0880</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide and implement an infection prevention and control program.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure an effective infection prevention and control program to help prevent the development and transmission of the communicable disease scabies, as evidenced by the failure to ensure documented evidence of the provision of ivermectin, a medication to treat scabies, and ensure dermatological appointment for Resident #1; failure to initiate timely contact precautions for 3 of 11 sampled residents (Residents #8, #5, and #2); failure to ensure an effective Infection Control Surveillance plan as evidenced by the failure to log 7 of 10 sampled residents who presented with a rash and were reported to the State Agency in October 2025 (Residents #1, #7, #9, #10, #11, #12, and #13), and 2 of 2 sampled residents in November 2025 (Residents #2 and # 8); failure to ensure appropriate housekeeping and laundry services for residents affected with and or treated for scabies for 1 of 6 units affected (West Unit); and failure to ensure staff education in November 2025 during a potential scabies outbreak.The findings included:1) Review of the record revealed Resident #1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. Review of the weekly skin assessments from 12/01/25 through 02/02/26 all documented the resident had a rash.a) Review of physician orders revealed an order dated 12/30/25 to administer ivermectin on 12/31/25 and 01/14/26 for scabies. A progress note dated 01/01/26 documented a nurse contacted the pharmacy regarding the ivermectin and the pharmacy stated it would be sent again on the 5 PM run that same day. The record lacked any evidence of the provision of the medication.b) A progress note dated 01/05/26 documented the resident was to be added to the dermatology consultants list to be seen at the next visit. A subsequent physician order dated 01/28/26 documented a dermatological consultation for a rash on the resident's back and upper arms. The record lacked any evidence of the provision of this consultation.During a side-by-side record review and interview on 03/18/26 at 10:54 AM the Infection Control Preventionist (ICP) agreed with the findings. 2) Review of the policy titled Care of the Resident with Scabies revised 05/13/23, documented in part, that residents with scabies should be placed on contact precautions prior to and during the treatment period.a) Review of the record revealed Resident #8 was treated for scabies as per physician order for permethrin cream on 11/12/25, 11/19/25, 12/13/25, 12/20/25, 12/31/25, and 01/07/26. Resident #8 was also administered ivermectin as per physician order on 12/13/25, 12/20/25, 12/31/25, and 01/14/26.Further review of the record revealed appropriate contact precautions from 11/12/25 through 11/20/25, but lacked further contact precautions until 12/31/25, eight-teen days after continued treatment.b) Review of the record revealed Resident #5 was treated with permethrin cream as per physician order on 07/18/25, 07/25/25, and 01/26/26. Resident #5 received ivermectin as per physician order on 02/07/26 and 02/21/26. The record lacked any evidence of contact precautions during the treatment.c) Review of the record revealed Resident #2 was admitted to the facility on [DATE].Review of the record revealed Resident #2 was treated with permethrin as per physician order on 01/11/26, 01/15/26, 01/22/26, 03/15/26 and 03/16/26. Resident #2 was also administered ivermectin as per physician order on 12/13/25 01/11/26, 01/15/26, 01/22/26, and 03/14/26.Further review of the record documented contact precautions were ordered from 12/06/25 - 12/22/25, 01/15/26 through 01/24/26, four days after initiation of treatment, and then not initiated until the (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.

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE
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