

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 115406	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 02/05/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Wrightsville Manor Health and Rehab		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 337 West Court Street Wrightsville, GA 31096	
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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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on observations, staff and resident interviews, record review, and review of the facility's policies titled Elopement, the facility failed to ensure the facility was free of accident hazards for one of 22 residents (R) (R2) on elopement risk. Specifically, R2 was able to exit the facility without supervision. This deficient practice had the potential to place R2 at increased risk of avoidable injury, unmet care needs, and a diminished quality of life. Findings include: Review of the facility's undated policy titled Elopement revealed the Policy section stated, It is the policy of this facility to take appropriate steps to identify the risk of, prevent, detect, and respond promptly to resident elopement. The Procedure section stated. The facility shall take the following steps to identify, train, prevent, detect, and respond to situations of resident elopement. Review of the electronic medical record (EMR) revealed resident R2 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] and diagnoses included, but were not limited to, schizoaffective disorder, vascular dementia, psychotic disturbances with hallucinations and delusions due to known physiological condition, muscle weakness, and dysphagia. Review of the quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment for R2, dated 01/04/2026, revealed Section C (Cognitive Patterns) documented a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) of 15, which indicated R2 was cognitively intact. It also revealed that disorganized thinking continuously does not fluctuate. Section GG (Functional Abilities and Goals) documented R2 had no limitation with range of motion and was independent with mobility. Review of the care plan for R2 revealed a focus area, initiated 06/01/2021 and revised 12/18/2025, of the resident was at risk for elopement related to independent ambulation, paranoid schizophrenia, anxiety, hallucinations/delusional thoughts. The goals were for the resident to be provided with a safe living environment, the resident would not leave the facility unsupervised, and that staff would take appropriate steps to identify the risks, prevention, detection, and prompt response for elopement through the next review. Interventions included: Electronic door locks checked routinely. The elopement book should include the resident's photo, face sheet, copy of policy, and other pertinent forms. Elopement drills/staff education. Notify the charge nurse for suspicious activity. Staff to open doors for visitors to enter/exit as needed. Review of the progress notes for R2 revealed an entry dated 12/16/2025 at 05:32 PM of: Behavior - Facility received a call from community stating he recognized one of our pt's walking down street. Activity Assistant went to identify pt and attempt to bring him back to facility. Pt refused to get in car, 3 more staff members went to location and pt continued to cooperate with staff. Pt stated Ya'll trying to kill me 911 was called, pt stated he would only get in car with officers. Pt did get into police car and returned to facility. Paperwork was sent to [local mental health hospital] for possible admission. Possible admission [DATE]. Pt will be 1:1 until transported to [local mental health hospital]. Author: Social Services. {sic} Further review of the progress notes for R2 revealed an entry dated 12/16/2025 at 04:20 PM of: Type: Behavior Note Note Text : Call received from community person stating that</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.

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