

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 145632	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 07/19/2024
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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide appropriate pressure ulcer care and prevent new ulcers from developing.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 41356</p> <p>Based on record reviews and interviews the facility failed as follows: failed to follow preventive measures in placing intervention of skin moisture barriers as per facility policy; failed to follow Wound Nurse Practitioner recommendation for dietitian to consult and assess in a timely manner; failed to provide interventions of multivitamin and zinc sulfate per Wound Specialist Assessment; failed to provide protein supplement due to delay of nutritional assessment; and failed to ensure orders by Wound Nurse Practitioner for laboratory testing and antibiotic therapy was carried out. All failures apply to 1 out of 4 residents (R1) in a total sample of 4 residents reviewed for prevention and treatment of pressure injuries. These failures affected 1 resident (R1) and resulted in R1 sustaining pressure injuries and R1's transfer to hospital due to sepsis/infection of pressure injuries.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>R1 is [AGE] years old, initially admitted in the facility on 5/7/2024. R1's medical diagnosis includes anoxic brain damage, reduced bed mobility and seizures. V13 (Agency Licensed Practical Nurse) progress notes dated 6/25/2024, documents that R1 transported to the hospital by two (2) paramedics going to the emergency room (ER). V14 (Licensed Practical Nurse) progress notes dated 6/25/2024, documents that R1 was admitted to the hospital with diagnosis of sepsis.</p> <p>On 7/16/2024 at 2:28 PM, V9 (Family of R1) stated that on 6/22/2024 her brother V10 (Family of R1) visited R1 in the facility. During the visit V10 smelled a foul odor on R1 and requested the nurse to change the dressing. V9 stated that she spoke to V8 (Wound Coordinator / Licensed Practical Nurse) and that V8 assured her that it was not an infection. V9 stated that R1 was admitted in the hospital for sepsis of the wound and was treated with a lot of antibiotics until currently. On 7/19/2024 at 1:08 PM, V10 confirmed and stated that he saw the wound, it looked really bad and smelled of foul odor during his visit on 6/22/2024.</p> <p>V4 (Nurse Practitioner for Wound) progress notes dated 6/25/2024, the day R1 was transferred to the hospital, showed R1's wound was worsening, it has malodorous, and R1 has elevated temperature.</p> <p>History of R1's skin documentation are as follows:</p> <p>Per initial assessment by the facility dated 5/8/2024, R1's skin was intact. R1 was transferred to the hospital on 5/13/2024 due to coffee brown emesis and came back from the hospital to the facility on [DATE].</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 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>On 5/16/2024, R1 was seen and was assessed initially by V4 (Nurse Practitioner for Wound). V4 documented that R1's skin was intact, though there are few blanchable redness on the perineal areas. V4 recommended that facility follows preventive measures which includes application of topical moisturizer daily and incontinent / moisture barrier cream every shift and as needed.</p> <p>Physician Order Sheet (POS) of R1 documents that both skin barrier treatments which are topical moisturizer scheduled daily and incontinent / moisture barrier cream scheduled every shift were not included in the order after R1 was readmitted on [DATE].</p> <p>On 5/31/2024 per facility assessment, R1 sustained three unstageable pressure ulcers. They were located on the sacrum with measurement of 5 by 3 centimeters, left gluteal (buttock) with measurement of 3.5 by 3 centimeters, and right gluteal (buttock) with measurement of 5.5 by 4.5 centimeters.</p> <p>On 6/4/2024 per V4's progress notes and wound assessment, R1 was seen and assessed with wounds the same measurements as per facility assessment. Per V4 all wounds have slough (a mass or layer of dead tissue separated from the surrounding or underlying tissue). V4 recommends that R1 needs nutritional consult for presence of wounds due to risk for wound complications.</p> <p>On 6/11/2024 per V4's progress notes and wound assessment, V4 reiterated again her recommendation of the need for R1's nutritional consult for presence of wounds due to risk for wound complications.</p> <p>Per progress notes R1 was seen by V12 (Registered Dietitian) on 6/17/2024. Eighteen (18) days after R1 was identified on 5/31/2024 with three (3) unstageable pressure injuries; and after multiple recommendation by V4 on 6/4/2024 and 6/11/2024.</p> <p>V4's wound assessments of R1 dated 6/25/2024 documents that R1's sacrum wound extends to the left gluteal area and was worsening. On V4's progress notes with the same date, it was documented that the wound of R1 is warm to touch and was worsening. Wound has large area of eschar, and R1 has a fever, with malodorous smell. V4 recommends antibiotic therapy for infection depending on the outcome of laboratory test results. V13 (Agency Licensed Practical Nurse) progress notes on change of condition dated 6/25/2024, documents that R1's temperature 100.9 Fahrenheit and pulse rate of 114 beats per minute were out of the normal range.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Per article of National Library of Medicine, dated 3/24/2022, it reads that proteins provide the main building blocks for tissue growth, cell renewal, and repair during wound healing.</p> <p>Skin Care and Regimen and Treatment Formulary policy dated 1/24/2024, reads: It is the policy of this facility to ensure prompt identification, documentation and to obtain appropriate treatment for residents with skin breakdown. Under prevention, the facility will provide topical moisturizer to be applied daily and as needed. Facility will also provide incontinent / moisture barrier cream every shift and as needed.</p> <p>Facility policy does not provide assessment schedule for early identification of wounds. V1 (Administrator) and V2 (Director of Nursing) were requested for policy and/or procedure of skin assessment schedule. V1 and V2 stated that facility does not have any policy or procedure related to skin assessment schedule.</p>