

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 145881	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 02/26/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Uptown Care and Rehabilitation		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 4920 North Kenmore Chicago, IL 60640	

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<p>F 0760</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that residents are free from significant medication errors.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 49486</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure resident medication was administered as ordered by the physician. This failure affects 1 (R1) out of 3 residents reviewed for medication administration.</p> <p>Findings Include:</p> <p>R1's Electronic Medical Record (EMR) revealed R1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] and is [AGE] years of age with diagnoses that included but were not limited to: Hemiplegia and Hemiparesis following cerebral infarction affecting left non-dominant side, Aphasia following cerebral infarction, Dysphagia following cerebral infarction, Essential Primary Hypertension, and Hyperlipidemia.</p> <p>On 2/25/25 at 11:05 AM, R1 is non-verbal and R1 uses a tablet (iPad) voice machine to communicate. R1 stated that he was ignored and was not provided morning medications including R1's blood pressure medication on 2/16/25 and today 2/25/25. R1 stated that most nurses give his medication whole, but V6 (Licensed Practical Nurse/LPN) working today decided to crush R1's medication, and he refused to take the medication.</p> <p>R1 stated that on 2/16/25, he requested for his blood pressure medication (Lisinopril 10 mg, 1 tablet daily at 9am) around 11:30AM, and that V6 stated the medication time had passed. R1 stated V6 did not check his blood pressure which is always high.</p> <p>R1 stated R1 has no problem swallowing whole medications, and that the nurses are lying about R1 having problem to swallow whole medication. R1 stated that on 2/17/25 or 2/19/25 R1's blood pressure medication was skipped, and the nurse did not even come to ask R1. R1 stated the nurse lied about him not wanting to be bothered. R1 stated that he never said that he does not want to be bothered to anyone. R1 does not believe the facility did not have R1's medication and has no issues with other shifts just this morning shift, when he needs his blood pressure medication.</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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