

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 145967	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 09/16/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Elevate Care Country Club Hill		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 18200 South Cicero Avenue Country Club Hills, IL 60478	

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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Protect each resident from all types of abuse such as physical, mental, sexual abuse, physical punishment, and neglect by anybody.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40920</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to protect resident rights to be free from physical abuse by staff. This failure affected two (R1 and R2) of four residents reviewed for abuse and resulted in R1 sustaining swelling and redness to her left eye and being transferred to a local hospital to rule out orbital fracture and R2 sustained redness to his face after being slapped by a staff.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>R1 is a [AGE] year-old female who has resided at the facility since 2020, past medical history includes, but not limited to: cerebral palsy, spastic hemiplegic cerebral palsy, paroxysmal atrial fibrillation, vascular dementia, essential primary hypertension, encounter for attention to colostomy, anemia, schizoaffective disorder, bipolar disorder, generalized anxiety disorder, hypotension, etc.</p> <p>On 9/5/2024 at 10:25AM, R1, who just returned from the hospital was observed in her room, awake and alert and was being assisted with ADL (activities of daily living) care by V10 (restorative aide). R1 was asked why she went to the hospital, and she R1 stated, the two CNA's (certified nursing assistant) hurt me, one was on the right side and was twisting my hand and fingers, the other was on the left side hitting me with the remote control. R1 tried to demonstrate what happened by twisting surveyor's fingers and used her bed remote control to demonstrate how the CNA hit her face. R1 was noted with some dark purplish bruising to her right hand, some redness to her left cheek under the left eye and a little swelling around the left eye.</p> <p>Progress note dated 8/31/2024 at 9:32AM documented that R1 was noted with swelling and discoloration to her left eye, patient complained of some pain and pain meds were given. Attending physician who was on ground was notified, ordered for the resident to be sent out to a local hospital.</p> <p>Physician progress note dated 8/31/2024 at 12:10PM states in part: patient seen and examined, patient is complaining of swelling and pain on the left eye patient stated that somebody had hit her. No fever or chills, patient states she cannot move her left eye, will send patient to the hospital for evaluation of possible orbital fracture.</p> <p>Facility reported incident dated 8/31/2024 documented in part that R1 was noted with discoloration to her left eye, and she described the two staff that she alleged caused her the injury while providing her with ADL care.</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 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Police report dated 8/31/2024 documented that police responded to the facility for a delayed battery report. In the report, R1 was named as the victim and V6 (CNA) and V7 (CNA) named as the suspects. According to the police report, R1 reported that one staff slapped her across the face and the other one twisted her right hand and fingers, resident was noted with discoloration and swelling to her face and bruising to her right hand.</p> <p>Hospital record dated 8/31/2024 documented as chief complaint that R1 presented with an allegation of being hit in the face with a remote and staff twisting her fingers at the nursing home.</p> <p>9/4/2024 at 1:22PM, V4 RN (registered nurse) stated that she came to work on 8/31/2024 and was making rounds around 7:15AM when she noticed R1's leg out of the bed, she asked another nurse to come and help her reposition resident. R1 reported that she was abused by two staff members (CNAs), but she does not know their names. V4 had not seen or heard R1 making such an allegation in the past. V4 confirmed that R1 was complaining of pain to her hands and left eye. V4 noticed some bruising and swelling to R1's left eye and bruising to her left hand that was purplish/blue in color.</p> <p>9/4/2024 at 2:09PM, V8 MD (medical doctor) stated that he came to the facility to see R1 and noticed some swelling in her left eye and that the resident stated that 2 CNAs abused her and she was complaining of pain. V8 also noted small redness inside resident's eye and decided to send her to the hospital for further evaluation. V8 added that the redness and swelling also could result from an infection or abuse but he is not sure, he did not check resident's hands, he saw the resident before going on vacation and she did not have the redness. V8 added that R1 has never made any abuse allegation in the past, the redness and swelling was new and resulted from a recent incident.</p> <p>9/4/2024 at 3:41PM, V2 DON (director of nursing) stated that she was called by a staff between 7:00 - 8:00AM and was notified that R1 said that she was hit by someone. V2 went to resident's room and noted some discoloration to her left eye.</p> <p>9/4/2024 at 3:59PM, V1 (Administrator) stated that R1 has a behavior of throwing herself on the floor, removing her colostomy bag, etc. to get attention. Both CNAs denied hitting R1.</p> <p>Review of medical records did not show any documentation of R1 ever accusing any staff of abuse before this incident.</p> <p>R2 is an [AGE] year old resident with past medical history that includes: metabolic encephalopathy, acute kidney failure, unspecified injury of head, urinary tract infection, major depressive disorder severe with psychotic symptoms, hyperlipidemia, dysphasia oropharyngeal phase, alzheimer's disease, parkinson's disease, depression, anxiety disorder, etc.</p> <p>On 9/3/2024 at 11:15AM, R2 was observed in his room, awake, alert, and oriented with some confusion. R2 recalled being slapped on his face by someone but does not recall exactly what happened.</p> <p>Progress note dated 8/9/2024 documented that resident was noted with redness to the side of his face, resident denied pain, MD and family notified.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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