

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 155118	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 09/04/2024
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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> <p>Note: The nursing home is disputing this citation.</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** 37147</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure staff effectively identified skin impairment on the left inner calf from friction and shear was correctly identified as a pressure injury, failed to ensure a physician's order was received prior to the use of a medical device, and failed to ensure a resident with a history of pressure injuries received effective treatment and services to prevent the wound from deteriorating, from developing infection, or to prevent the development of a second wound for 1 of 1 resident reviewed for wound care. (Resident J) This deficient practice resulted in Wound 1 deteriorating to a stage three pressure injury with infection and required sharp debridement.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>In an interview on 9/3/24 at 12:07 P.M., the Resident Council President (RCP) indicated Resident J, who sat at her table in the dining room, had been taken back to her room, without eating lunch, due to her crying out in pain. The RCP was very concerned for the resident because she had been crying about pain in her left lower leg, foot and toes.</p> <p>In an interview on 9/3/24 at 12:15 P.M., the facility Activity Assistant indicated the resident had been having a bad day and liked to be babied at times. The Activity Assistant indicated she had just come from the resident's room and she had been doing fine.</p> <p>An annual MDS (Minimum Data Set) with Care Area Assessments, dated 6/25/24, indicated Resident J had a BIMS (Brief Interview Mental Status) score of 12 (mildly impaired cognition). Her speech was clear, she was able to make her needs known and was able to understand others. She required substantial assistance with bed mobility, transfers, and toileting. She was frequently incontinent of bowel and bladder and had no identified wounds. Staff would continue to anticipate her needs, provide assistance, and keep her physicians informed of any changes.</p> <p>A skin risk assessment dated [DATE] indicated she was at risk for pressure injuries. There were no other assessments or care plans documented related to the identified risk.</p> <p>A current care plan regarding potential for pain, dated 9/3/23, indicated the resident had the potential for pain and would be free from pain with interventions as needed. Interventions included: medications as ordered; notify doctor of uncontrolled pain; and observe for signs and symptoms of pain.</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>Note: The nursing home is disputing this citation.</p>	<p>A current care plan regarding at risk for skin breakdown due to edema from heart disease, dated 2/1/24, indicated goals were to provide the resident with preventative measures to avoid skin breakdown and resolution of her edema without complications. Interventions included: float heels while in bed; monitor skin daily during care; mild compression stockings daily-on in the morning and off at night; weekly skin assessment; and observe for any increase in edema.</p> <p>An Incident Report dated 8/8/24 at 9:00 a.m., indicated the resident had a skin tear to her left inner calf with slight bleeding. The skin tear was cleansed and covered with a dry dressing. No other characteristics of the wound had been documented, the physician or family notified. The incident report did not include documentation to determine the root cause of the skin impairment.</p> <p>An Interdisciplinary (IDT) note, dated 8/9/24, indicated the root cause of the left inner calf wound was from the resident rubbing the left leg against an air cast that was applied to the right lower leg. There was no measurement of the area, other characteristics, physician or family notification documented about the skin tear. There was no care plan to address friction and shear related to the air cast.</p> <p>Current physician orders, dated September 2024, did not include an order for the air cast.</p> <p>According to Advances in Skin and Wound Care pg. 222 June 2004 article, friction and shear are mechanical forces contributing to pressure ulcer formation. The tissue injury resulting from these forces may look like a superficial area, yet they often work together to create tissue ischemia (low oxygen) and ulcer development.</p> <p>A nurse progress note, dated 8/11/24 at 4:31 p.m., indicated the resident had a skin tear (stage two pressure ulcer) to her right (sic) (left) lower leg. Her leg was swollen and leaking fluid. The wound was cleaned and her leg wrapped. There was no documentation of how the wound was cleansed, the characteristics of the wound or how the wound had been dressed.</p> <p>A care plan for a skin tear on the right (sic) (left) lower leg, dated 8/12/24, indicated the stage two pressure ulcer on the left lower leg was a skin tear. The goal was to heal without complications. Interventions included: investigate cause of the skin tear; observe for signs/symptoms of infection; take necessary precautions to prevent new areas; and treatments as ordered.</p> <p>There was no assessment or plan of care for pressure risk related to the use of a medical device.</p> <p>A Treatment Administration Record (TAR), dated August 2024, indicated a treatment was ordered on 8/12/24 for a skin tear (ulcer) to the right (sic) (left) lower leg. The skin tear (ulcer) was to be cleansed with soap and water, rinsed, patted dry and dressing applied as needed one time per day.</p> <p>A Daily Skilled Nursing Note, dated 8/13/24 at 11:13 a.m., indicated the stage two pressure ulcer (a partial thickness loss of skin with exposed dermis, presenting as a shallow, open ulcer) identified as a skin tear (ulcer) on her left lower leg continued to drain. There was no documentation of how the wound was cleansed, the specific characteristics of the wound, any drainage associate with the wound or if the wound had been dressed.</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>Note: The nursing home is disputing this citation.</p>	<p>On 9/3/24 at 2:36 P.M., LPN 3 was interviewed. She indicated she'd asked the wound NP to check on Resident J's skin tears (ulcers) while she was in the facility on 9/3/24, seeing other residents. She indicated the resident's wounds looked bad and she was complaining of pain to the area. She indicated the resident had skin tears (ulcers) since the beginning of August but didn't have treatments or follow up documentation completed. Resident J was to wear compression stockings daily but hadn't been wearing them due to her wounds leaking fluids. LPN 3 did not indicate how long the wounds had been leaking, what was the facility's response was, or any interventions implemented. On 8/31 and 9/1/24, LPN 3 had wrapped the residents 's legs with ace wraps because her legs were too swollen for the compression stockings. When asked, she was unsure how the resident got the skin tears (ulcers) but thought the resident may have hit her calves on the wheelchair pedals or sides of the chair.</p> <p>In an interview on 9/4/24 at 10:19 AM, the Regional Nurse Consultant indicated she was unable to find any further documentation of the skin tear (ulcer) on the left lower leg, identified on 8/8/24 nor was there further documentation of the skin tear (ulcer) on the right lower leg which had been identified on 8/12/24. There were no observations for signs/symptoms of infection, no investigation for cause of the skin tears (ulcers), no documentation of interventions put into place to prevent further skin tears (ulcers) and no documentation of the wound being healed. The Regional Nurse Consultant indicated she was unable to find any further documentation of the skin tear (ulcer) on the right lower leg, and there was no documentation of the skin tear (ulcer) on the right lower leg being healed.</p> <p>On 9/4/24 at 11:10 A.M., the Wound NP was interviewed. She indicated she visited the facility on Tuesdays for wound rounds. She would see residents with different types of wounds, upon notification from staff. She indicated, there was no designated nurse to complete wound rounds with and would speak with the nurse caring for the resident on the day of her visits. On 9/3/24, she was notified by LPN 3, of the skin tears (ulcers) Resident J had. She had last seen the resident on 8/6/24 for follow up to a pressure wound she'd acquired while hospitalized in July 2024. The pressure wound was healed and required no further treatment. She indicated she hadn't been made aware of the resident's skin tears/wounds to her right or left lower extremities prior to 9/3/24. She indicated the resident complained of much pain when her left calf was lifted up and old dressings removed because of the swelling to her calf. She had proceeded with the debridement of both wounds following numbing the area and resident's comfort determined. The resident had tolerated the procedure without complaints of pain but had pain when the calf was re-dressed. The nurse gave the resident Tylenol after the procedure was completed. When questioned, she indicated residents with painful wounds should be pre-medicated with pain medication prior to her visits and treatments. She had not been told the resident had severe pain following the debridement procedure. When questioned regarding a visit to have been done on 8/29/24, she indicated her partner completed wound rounds on that day and their progress notes had not indicated Resident J was to be visited so she was not.</p> <p>On 9/4/24 at 10:19 A.M., the Regional Nurse Consultant indicated there was no facility policy specific to skin tears but provided a current copy of their policy monitoring skin and weights (S.W.A.T.) program. The policy indicated: Skin alterations such as the following will appear on the weekly skin assessments and will be followed by the clinical management staff for progress. These conditions/alterations will be care planned and managed and treated as per physician order. any concerns with progress and/or healing will be reported to the physician for guidance, recommendations, and/or orders .These areas are non-Pressure Ulcers or Pressure injuries and are therefore not routinely reviewed/discussed at the S-W-A-T meetings. a. skin tears . f. lacerations .m. other</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0697</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide safe, appropriate pain management for a resident who requires such services.</p> <p>37147</p> <p>Based on observation, interview and record review, the facility failed to provide effective pain management for 1 of 1 residents experiencing pain (Resident L).</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>On 9/3/24 at 2:01 P.M., Resident L's record was reviewed. Diagnoses included unstageable pressure ulcer to the right heel, diabetes, intellectual disabilities, and neuropathy. The resident had been hospitalized for a hip fracture due to a fall.</p> <p>A quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment, dated 8/17/24, indicated her cognition could not be assessed due to intellectual disabilities. She had verbal behaviors and behaviors not affecting others 1-3 days of the assessment and when asked, indicated she had pain but was unable to give further details. She required maximal assistance with all Activities of Daily Living (ADL's).</p> <p>Care plans with effective dates, indicated:</p> <p>-8/13/24: Resident had potential for pain related to neuropathy and recent hip fracture. The goal was her pain to be controlled at an acceptable level. Interventions included: assess pain using the 0-10 scale; administer pain medication and monitor effectiveness; offer non-pharmacological interventions for pain relief such as dim lights, repositioning, back rub, heat or cold; document and report complaints and non-verbal signs of pain; and reposition as needed for comfort.</p> <p>-9/4/24: Resident was admitted with a pressure injury to her right heel. The goal was to heal. Interventions were: administer treatments as ordered; nurse to measure/assess weekly and notify family and physician as needed; provide heel protectors in bed; and refer to nutritional plan of care.</p> <p>On 9/3/24 at 10:30 A.M., Resident L was observed seated in a wheelchair across from the nurses desk. She was speaking animatedly with other residents around her. She repeated herself often, was restless and fidgeting in her chair. Both feet were resting on the carpeted floor with a sock on her left foot and ace wrap around her right ankle/foot. She verbalized twice, she was having pain in her right foot and indicated she had a sore on the foot.</p> <p>-At 2:15 P.M., the resident remained seated in her wheelchair with her feet down in front of the nurses desk. A bedside table sat in front of her and she was playing with a peg board with colored pegs. She indicated her foot hurt twice during the observation.</p> <p>On 9/4/24 at 9:42 A.M., the resident was observed seated in her wheelchair with her feet on the floor, across from the the nurse desk. She had the table in front of her and was playing with her peg board. She was heard telling staff present, several times, her foot hurt. One staff member, told her the doctor and staff were aware and the pain was due to swelling in her foot.</p> <p>A physician order, dated 8/10/24, was for Gabapentin (used to treat nerve pain) 100 mg (milligrams)-give 1 capsule by mouth 2 times per day and give 2 capsules at bedtime for neuropathic pain.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0697</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>A physician order, dated 7/25/24, was for Tylenol 325 mg-give 2 tablets by mouth every 4 hours as needed for pain.</p> <p>A Medication Administration Record (MAR), dated September 2024, indicated the resident had been administered Tylenol 325 mg-2 tablets by mouth on 9/1/24 at 11:33 a.m. for pain and again, on 9/2/24 at 4:00 p.m. Both doses were noted to have been ineffective in relieving the residents pain. Tylenol was not administered on 9/3/24 or 9/4/24 when the resident complained of pain in her right foot.</p> <p>A nurse progress note, dated 9/2/24 at 5:20 p.m., indicated the resident had swelling to her right foot and complained of pain. The nurse assessed the wound and indicated there was pitting edema in her right foot. Tylenol was given as ordered without pain relief. The unit manager was notified and staff would continue to monitor.</p> <p>A Wound Nurse Practitioner (NP) progress note, dated 9/3/24 at an unknown time, indicated the resident had been seen for continued care to the unstageable pressure ulcer on her right heel. Resident L refused to have the pressure ulcer debrided due to pain. She had pitting edema to the right foot and it was tender to touch. The wound was healing and there was no redness/warmth, foul odor or abnormal drainage from the wound.</p> <p>On 9/4/24 at 2:30 P.M., the Administrator and Regional Nurse Consultant were interviewed. They indicated it was expected, residents verbalizing pain would be assessed, pharmacological and non-pharmacological interventions put into place.</p> <p>A current policy, titled Guidelines for Pain Management was provided by the Regional Nurse Consultant, on 9/4/24 at 2:45 P.M., which stated the following: Methods to achieve goals of pain management: 1. Promptly and accurately recognizing and assessing pain. 2. Encouraging residents to self-report to staff when they experience pain. 3. Being cognizant of the non-verbal signs/symptoms of pain in residents not able to verbally express their pain .7. Preventing and minimizing anticipated pain when possible. 8. Using non-pharmacological means for pain relief when appropriate</p> <p>This Citation relates to Complaint IN00440946.</p> <p>3.1-37(a)</p>		