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<p>F 0609</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Timely report suspected abuse, neglect, or theft and report the results of the investigation to proper authorities.</p> <p>38767</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure a resident's allegation of abuse, and investigation of bruising on bilateral arms were accurately reported after the resident was found to have bruising on bilateral arms, face, and chest, and a laceration on the lip for 1 of 4 incidents reviewed for reporting (Resident B).</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>An Indiana State Department of Health Survey Report System report, dated 3/19/24 at 5:40 a.m., indicated Resident B was observed by the nurse to have swelling and bruising to her left hand, and bruising to the right hand and right arm. After speaking with the resident, the Administrator (ADM) was unable to identify the source of the bruising. An X-Ray was ordered for the left hand. Resident B was referred to social services for psychosocial support for 7 days. An investigation was initiated, and the facility would update all applicable findings in the follow up report. The investigation was completed without findings. Resident B's x-ray results were negative. Resident care plan updated to reflect combative with care.</p> <p>A witness statement per LPN 22 indicated, on 3/19/24 around 4:30 a.m., she and a CNA heard screaming. At first, they thought it was a resident on ICF (intermediate care facility) unit who normally screamed out. The yelling/screaming continued and LPN 22 asked the CNA to go see if she could find where it was coming from. CNA returned and told the nurse that it was Resident B. LPN 22 went to the resident's room and the resident was up in the wheelchair outside her room. A CNA from another unit had been asked to get Resident B up because she had called her a [n-----]. The nurse started med pass and noticed the resident's shirt was pulled over top of the left hand. I could see bruising. I raised sleeves up on both arms when I discovered bruises. I asked CNA about them CNA [9] denied knowing anything about bruising. I asked why [Resident B] was screaming. CNA reported that when she was getting her dressed she said that [n-----] were raping her. CNA asked to write statement. Administrator notified.</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 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide appropriate treatment and care according to orders, resident's preferences and goals.</p> <p>38767</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to have a system in place for documentation of falls, non-pressure wounds, and injuries, and failed to ensure assessments and documentation were completed after falls, non-pressure wounds, and allegations of abuse were identified for 3 of 4 residents reviewed for falls and bruises (Residents B, C, and D).</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1a. An anonymous statement during the survey indicated Resident B was roughed up by a CNA (Certified Nursing Assistant) and had a busted lip and handprint marks all over her arms. The resident kept saying a big gorilla beat me up.</p> <p>On 4/3/24 at 9:30 a.m., the Administrator (ADM) indicated there had been only one (1) state reportable incident related to staff to resident abuse, or injuries of unknown origin, dated 2024, and indicated the reportable was not related to Resident B.</p> <p>An Indiana State Department of Health Survey Report System report, dated 3/19/24 at 5:40 a.m., indicated Resident B was observed by the nurse to have swelling, bruising to her left hand, and bruising to the right hand and right arm. After speaking with the resident, the ADM was unable to identify the source of the bruising. An X-Ray was ordered for the left hand. Resident B was referred to social services for psychosocial support for 7 days. An investigation was initiated, and the facility would update all applicable findings in follow up. The investigation was completed without findings. Resident B's x-ray results were negative. Resident care plan was updated to reflect combative with care.</p> <p>The resident record lacked documentation the resident had psychosocial support for 7 days or that the care plan was updated to reflect resident was combative with care.</p> <p>A witness statement per LPN 22 indicated, on 3/19/24 around 4:30 a.m. she and a CNA heard screaming. At first, they thought it was a resident on ICF (intermediate care facility) unit who normally screamed out. The yelling/screaming continued LPN 22 asked the CNA to go see if she could find where it was coming from. CNA returned and told the nurse that it was Resident B. LPN 22 went to the resident's room and the resident was up in wheelchair outside her room. CNA from another unit had been asked to get Resident B up because she had called her a [n-----]. The nurse started med pass and noticed the resident's shirt was pulled over top of the left hand. I could see bruising. I raised sleeves up on both arms when I discovered bruises. I asked CNA about them CNA [9] denied knowing anything about bruising. I asked why [Resident B] was screaming. CNA reported that when she was getting her dressed she said that [n-----] were raping her. CNA asked to write statement. Administrator notified.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>A progress notes, dated 3/19/24 at 4:34 p.m., indicated new orders noted and received to hold Plavix for 3 days-bruising BUE; ice pack on BUE for 24 hours; monitor bruising every shift until resolved; decrease cyanocobalamin (Vitamin B-12) to twice a week, and get vitamin B 12 level on 6/17/24.</p> <p>Resident record lacked documentation the resident's bruises on the bilateral arms, edema to BUE, bruises on the chest and chin, or laceration on the chin were followed up by nursing to include root cause, measurements with description, immediate or on-going treatment, or progress towards healing after found on 3/19/24 through discharge 3/24/24.</p> <p>A Pain Review, dated 3/19/24, indicated in the past 5 days the resident received scheduled pain mediation regimen, had not received pain medication, or was offered and declined, and had not received non-medication interventions for pain.</p> <p>A quarterly MDS (Minimum Data Set) assessment, completed 3/18/24, assessed the resident as having the ability to make herself understood and to understand others. BIMS (brief Interview for mental status) score 7/15 indicating Resident B had severe cognitive impairment. Delirium symptoms included inattention, the resident had difficulty focusing attention, for example, being easily distractible or having difficulty keeping track of what was said, present but fluctuated in severity. Other behavioral symptoms not directed towards others (e.g., physical symptoms such as hitting or scratching self, pacing, rummaging, public sexual acts, disrobing in public, throwing, or smearing food or bodily wastes, or verbal/vocal symptoms like screaming, disruptive sounds), occurred 1-3 days during the assessment period. No rejection of care or wandering. Two or more falls without major injury since the prior assessment. No skin issues documented.</p> <p>A State Operational assessment, completed 3/18/24, assessed the resident as required extensive assistance of 1 person physical assist for bed mobility, transfers, and toilet use. There was no known significant weight loss or weight gain and no skin issues.</p> <p>A care plan, dated 3/13/24, indicated potential for skin discoloration and or bleeding related to aspirin and Plavix use. The goal was for the discoloration to resolve without complications. Interventions included labs per MD orders, medications per MD orders, notify MD and family of any changes in condition and increased skin discoloration, observe for unknown bruising or bleeding, and weekly and as needed skin checks.</p> <p>A care plan, dated 12/19/23, indicated skin integrity impaired related to bruise left cheek, left lower outer wrist, left upper outer wrist. On 3/20/24 bilateral hands, bilateral arms, lower lip left corner, split lower lip, resident on aspirin and Plavix. Goal will resolve without complications. Interventions notify MD and family of change in condition, observe for signs and symptoms of increase in size of area, observe vital signs as indicated, and treatment per orders.</p> <p>During an interview on 4/4/24 at 10:45 a.m., LPN 16 indicated, if a resident was found to have a new injury to include cuts or bruises, she would notify DON, ADM, MD and family. The injury or bruises would be documented in a skin assessment, incident report that included a progress note section, and document a description of the skin issue(s). Indicated before Resident B left for the hospital, she was observed to have bruises on the back of her hands and a bruise on her lip, the nurse had not heard why.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>A late entry progress notes by an agency Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) 22, created on 2/6/24 at 12:22 a.m. , effective dated 2/3/24, indicated SBAR Summary for Providers, change in condition related to falls.</p> <p>Late entry IDT (interdisciplinary team) progress notes, created by the DON on 2/21/24 at 11:13 a.m., indicated the resident had an unwitnessed fall (on 2/3/24). The resident was noted to be in the hallway. ambulating without her wheelchair (WC), the WC was in another resident's bathroom. The resident was unable to state what had happened due to cognitive impairment. The root cause of fall was cognitive impairment causing poor safety awareness. New intervention put into place to keep resident in common areas as she allows.</p> <p>A progress notes, dated 2/15/24 at 4:30 a.m., indicated resident had an unwitnessed fall in bedroom. Resident was noted to be laying on the floor beside her bed. Breathing regular and unlabored. Skin pink, warm and dry. Resident was able to move all extremities without any difficulty. Denies having pain or hitting head. Supervisor, emergency contact, and MD notified.</p> <p>A late entry IDT progress notes, created by the DON on 2/20/24 at 2:34 p.m., effective date 2/16/24 at 2:30 p. m., indicated the resident had an unwitnessed fall. The resident was noted to be on the floor of her room by her bed. The resident was unable to state what happened due to cognitive impairment. No injuries noted. Neuro checks initiated and WNL (within normal limits) at the time of the fall. MD, family, DON and Therapy notified. The root cause of fall was resident poor safety awareness due to cognitive impairment and restlessness. New intervention put into place for to offer/assist resident with getting up and out of bed and bring to the nurse's station and offer a drink of resident choice.</p> <p>A progress notes, dated 2/22/24 at 5:30 a.m., indicated a bruise noted on left side of hip the size of a golf ball.</p> <p>A late physician's note, created on 3/18/2024 at 5:08 p.m. and effective date 2/22/24 at 5:07 p.m., indicated no documentation of skin impairment to include a bruise on the left hip.</p> <p>The resident record lacked documentation a skin assessment was completed for the bruise to the left hip, the MD or resident representative were notified timely, or follow up documentation was completed to identify the root cause of the bruise on the hip or on-going assessments were completed unit the hip bruise was resolved.</p> <p>Fall Tracking provided by the ADM on 4/3/24 at 10:30 a.m., dated February and March 2024, indicated Resident B had falls on 2/3 and 2/15.</p> <p>A care plan, date initiated 3/13/24, resident at risk for falls due to syncope. Goal was to be free from falls. Interventions included anti-rollbacks on wheelchair, assist resident with ADL's (activities of daily living -bathing, dressing, eating) as needed, encourage resident to use call light for assistance, from staff, encourage resident to wear non-skid footwear when out of bed, fall screen quarterly and as needed, keep call light within easy reach, notify MD of any changes, 2/5/24 keep in common areas as the resident will allow, and 2/15/24 if resident is restless while in bed offer to get her up and bring her out to the nurse's station and offer a drink. Refer to therapy as needed.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>During an interview on 4/5/24 at 4:45 p.m., DON indicated in morning meeting during risk management she read resident progress notes, would distribute notes to nurses of findings, contact responsible parties to fix documentation, and monitored until documentation was fixed. ADM indicated, as new management they knew there were a lot of processes that needed addressed and they were working on them as quickly as possible.</p> <p>During an interview on 4/5/24 at 4:40 p.m., the ADM indicated she could not answer as to why Resident B's bruises on bilateral upper extremities, chest, chin, and laceration on lip were not measured and described and followed up until resolved, or why falls and resident to resident abuse follow up was not in the resident record progress notes. ADM indicated nurse documentation of incidents to include wounds should have been basic knowledge for nurses. The DON indicated the documentation should have been in the chart, and on-going education for nursing staff was being provided.</p> <p>2. Resident C's record was reviewed on 4/3/24 at 2:05 p.m. Diagnoses on Resident C's profile included, but were not limited to, dementia, and repeated falls.</p> <p>On 4/4/24 at 10:06 a.m., Resident C was out of her room, a fall mat was observed on the floor along the front side of the bed. QMA 11 indicated, the resident had recently had a fall when she rolled out of the bed onto her fall mat and was getting medication on her back due to complaints of back pain.</p> <p>On 4/4/24 at 2:45 p.m., Resident C was observed in a wheelchair sitting in front of nurses' station among peers. QMA 10 was observed to grab the resident's hands and stated we don't do this in my house in a stern voice. QMA 10 was then observed to take resident to her room after resident was asked if she wanted to go to her room and said yes.</p> <p>Fall report, dated February and March 2024, indicated resident documented as having fallen on 3/24/24. No additional falls on the reports.</p> <p>A Fall Risk Review completed on 3/22/24, score of 15 indicated high risk for falls. The resident had a history of falls in the past 3 months. She was non-ambulatory and used assistive devices.</p> <p>An eINTERACT SBAR Summary for Providers, dated 12/22/23 at 12:32 p.m., indicated change in condition related to falls.</p> <p>The resident record lacked documentation 72 hour post fall follow up was completed, or the family representative had been notified at the time of the incident.</p> <p>A progress notes, dated 3/24/24 at 5:36 a.m., indicated resident fell out of bed onto the mat that was placed there nightly for her safety. Resident was found next to her bed on the mat with her head toward the wall facing her bed and her legs pointing toward the closets in her room.</p> <p>An eINTERACT SBAR Summary for Providers, dated 3/25/24 at 1:48 a.m. indicated change in condition related to falls.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>A quarterly MDS assessment, completed on 2/27/24, assessed the resident as having the ability to make herself understood and to understand others. BIMS score 99 indicated resident unable to complete mental status assessment. There were no signs or symptoms of delirium, behaviors, rejection of care, or wandering, one fall without major injury since the prior assessment. No skin issues were documented.</p> <p>State Optional MDS assessment, dated 2/27/24, assessed the resident as having the ability to make herself understood. BIMS score 99 indicated resident unable to complete mental status assessment. There were no signs or symptoms of delirium, behaviors, rejection of care, or wandering. Resident required extensive assistance of 1 person physical assist for bed mobility, transfers, and toilet use. There was no known significant weight loss or weight gain. No wounds or skin concerns were noted.</p> <p>A care plan for falls, dated 11/14/22, indicated the resident was at risk for falls due to history of falls, dementia, heart disease, and anxiety. Goal was for the resident to be free from falls. Interventions included on 11/14/22 assist resident with ADL's as needed, keep call light within easy reach, on 6/2/23 brightly colored room sign with name, on 12/22/23 change to a more appropriate wheelchair. New intervention to increase toileting times and offer to get the resident up when awake was being added.</p> <p>During an interview on 4/5/24 at 1:50 p.m., the ADON acknowledged when a fall occurred, the process was for the staff nurse to assess the resident for injury to include vital signs and neuro checks if the resident had an unwitnessed fall or injuries. The nurse would open an incident report, complete a skin assessment, pain assessment, and fall assessments, and document the incident in the progress notes, and follow up of the fall for 72 hours. The nurse would send a SBAR (situation, background, assessment, recommendation) to the physician to notify of the fall and receive follow up orders, call the resident representative, and notify the Director of Nursing (DON). The documentation should have been completed by the nurse at the time of the fall or before leaving their shift.</p> <p>3. An Indiana State Department of Health Survey Report System report, dated 2/23/24 at 12:1, indicated Resident D reported to ADM night shift CNA 12 was rude and hit him during care. Resident was referred to social service for psychosocial support. Investigation initiated, will update all applicable findings in follow up. MD, DON, HFA (Health Facility Administrator), and family aware. No injuries noted. Resident referred to social services for psychosocial support for 7 days. Staff member immediately placed on suspension. Investigation initiated, will update all applicable findings on follow up. Follow up, dated 2/27/24, resident continues with normal routine, no signs, or symptoms of distress. Staff and residents interviewed with no additional concerns noted. Full assessment completed with no findings. Social Services will continue to follow up and monitor for changes. Allegations unsubstantiated. Resident care plan updated for false allegations and racial slurs. MD, DON, HFA, and family aware.</p> <p>The resident record lacked documentation the resident had psychosocial support for 7 days or that the care plan was updated to reflect false allegation and racial slurs.</p> <p>On 4/4/14 at 10:21 a.m., resident was observed to be out of room.</p> <p>Resident D's record was reviewed on 4/5/24 at 11:00 a.m. Diagnoses on Resident D's profile included, but were not limited to, cerebral infarction (stroke).</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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