

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 155479	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 04/16/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Kingston Care Center of Fort Wayne		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1010 W Washington Center Rd Fort Wayne, IN 46825	
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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 interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure pain management for 1 of 3 residents experiencing pain reviewed (Resident Q).</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>On 4/15/24 at 10:16 A.M., Resident Q was interviewed. She'd had a recent stay at the facility for rehabilitation services following a fracture due to a fall. During her stay, she experienced unrelieved pain. This led to her early discharge from the facility. She indicated she believed her pain worsened during her stay because she sat in a chair and on the toilet for long periods of time. This increased the pain in her hip and pelvis. Additionally, she alleged pain medications were not given timely and when administered, were ineffective in relieving the pain. She indicated she had entered the facility on 3/21/24, asked for prescribed pain medication but wasn't given anything until 3:30 a.m. on 3/22/24. She indicated this put her behind with pain management making it difficult to regain control of the pain. She initiated early discharge due to ineffective pain management.</p> <p>On 4/16/24 at 11:44 A.M., Resident Q's record was reviewed. Diagnoses included a fractured pelvis from a fall and required skilled therapy services. She had a diagnosis of chronic pain syndrome and was prescribed an anti-seizure medication used for chronic pain but was not on any routine opioid medications.</p> <p>A 5 day Medicare MDS (Minimum Data Set) assessment, dated 3/26/24, indicated the resident was cognitively intact. She was admitted for a short stay to complete therapy prior to returning to her home. There was no pain assessment completed on the MDS.</p> <p>A care plan, dated 3/21/24, indicated the resident had pain due to a fall. Interventions included: provide pain medications as ordered; monitor and record pain characteristics; monitor response to pain prevention/interventions; evaluate the effectiveness of pain interventions and review for compliance, alleviating of symptoms, dosing schedules and resident satisfaction with results and impact on functional ability; and attempt non-pharmacological interventions for pain management as indicated/appropriate (distraction, repositioning, massage, cryotherapy, etc).</p> <p>A hospital note, dated 3/19/24 at 9:37 a.m., indicated the resident had been receiving Hydrocodone-Acetaminophen 5-325 mg (milligram) 2 tablets by mouth every 4 hours as needed for 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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