

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 155551	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 04/29/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Rolling Meadows Health Care Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 604 Rennaker St LA Fontaine, IN 46940	

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<p>F 0726</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that nurses and nurse aides have the appropriate competencies to care for every resident in a way that maximizes each resident's well being.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 35283</p> <p>Based on record review and interview, the facility failed to provide prompt physical assessment of a resident complaining of having sustained a fall and experiencing hip pain, resulting in a delay in treatment for a hip fracture for 1 of 3 residents reviewed for accidents (Resident C). The deficient practice was corrected on 4/18/24, prior to the start of the survey, and was therefore past noncompliance.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Review of a facility reported incident, dated 4/15/24, indicated Resident C's family member had reported the resident was reporting right hip pain. The assessing nurse determined external rotation and swelling of the right leg. Resident C was transferred to the emergency department and found to have sustained a right hip fracture.</p> <p>Resident B's clinical record was reviewed on 4/26/24 at 9:22 a.m. Diagnoses included non-displaced right intertrochanteric (hip) fracture, chronic atrial fibrillation, osteoporosis, hypertension, muscle weakness, and Alzheimer's disease.</p> <p>Current physicians orders included, but were not limited to, metoprolol succinate extended release (blood pressure medication) 25 mg daily at bedtime, Aricept 5 mg (dementia medication), and Norco 5-325 mg (opioid pain medication) every four hours as needed for pain.</p> <p>A 3/5/24 Admission Functional Abilities assessment indicated Resident C had no upper or lower extremity impairments and used a wheelchair for mobility. The resident required substantial/maximum assistance to move from sit to stand, sit to lying, for chair/bed to chair transfers, toileting, and to walk ten feet in distance.</p> <p>A 3/5/24 quarterly fall risk evaluation indicated Resident C was at high risk for falls.</p> <p>A 3/13/24 Admission Minimum Data Set assessment, dated 3/13/24, indicated Resident C was severely cognitively impaired.</p> <p>Resident C's medication administration record dated 4/14/24 indicated Tylenol was administered at 4:49 p.m. for a pain level of 4 out of 10. LPN 5 recorded the resident's pain level at a 2 out of 10 at 5:49 p.m.</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 0726</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>A 4/14/24 at 11:03 p.m. Nurse Note indicated at approximately 6:35 p.m. that day, Resident C's family member reported the resident was complaining of having experienced a fall and was having very bad hip pain. The responding nurse observed the resident's foot to be rotated outward and her hip swollen. The resident was not able to move her leg and rated her pain at 8 out of a scale of 10. The ambulance was called at 7:49 p.m., and arrived at the facility at 8:10 p.m.</p> <p>A 4/14/24 at 11:33 p.m. Nurse Note indicated the resident was admitted to the hospital with a right hip fracture.</p> <p>A 4/15/24 at 11:20 a.m. interdisciplinary team note indicated Resident C had reported a fall on 4/14/24 at 6:35 p.m. The resident's care plan would be reviewed upon return to the facility.</p> <p>A hospital emergency department note dated 4/14/24 indicated the resident was seen by the provider at 8:55 p.m. Resident C had decreased range of motion to her right leg and pain with movement. She had an obvious deformity of her right hip.</p> <p>A 4/20/24 at 4:34 a.m. Nurse Note indicated the resident reported some pain with movement and an achy feeling at other times.</p> <p>During an interview, on 4/26/24 at 9:43 a.m., the DON indicated a review of the facility cameras showed Resident C standing in her doorway at around 4:00 p.m. on 4/14/24. The resident turned around and the bathroom door was observed to [NAME] open. A facility nurse had gone to Resident C to check on her and found the resident to be fine. Later in the day, around supper time, Resident C was complaining of pain. The resident had not experienced any falls while at the facility.</p> <p>During an interview, on 4/26/24 at 1:00 p.m., QMA 3 indicated she had started her shift on 4/14/24 at 2:00 p.m. CNA 8 reported to QMA 3 that Resident C was complaining of a fall and she couldn't move her leg. QMA 3 went to check on the resident, who was lying in bed. QMA 3 did not notice any bruising to indicate Resident C had fallen or that something was wrong with her hip. QMA 3 left to ask the nurse who had been on duty the day before if Resident C had fallen. She also asked the day shift CNA if the resident had fallen earlier in the day. They both said no. QMA 3 then reported to LPN 5 that Resident C was saying she had fallen, and QMA 3 had not seen any bruising. LPN 5 gave authorization for the QMA to administer Tylenol to the resident. She later reported to the oncoming nurse at shift change that Resident C had complained of having fallen.</p> <p>During an interview, on 4/26/24 at 11:15 a.m., LPN 5 indicated, on 4/14/24, she had heard Resident C holler out, and then the nurse heard a loud knock sound. LPN 5 ran into the resident's room, because it had sounded bad. The resident was sitting in her wheelchair, which was backed against the bathroom door. LPN 5 propelled the resident in her wheelchair, asking if she needed to use the bathroom. The resident said no. LPN 5 assisted the resident over near her bed, in the wheelchair, and gave her the call light. Resident C did not complain of pain or injury. When QMA 3 had notified her of Resident C's complaint of having fallen and hip pain, QMA 3 had told the nurse there was no bruising noted. LPN 5 felt the pain must have been related to arthritis. LPN 5 did not assess Resident C.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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