

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:  175267	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED  05/01/2024
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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</b> 42966</p> <p>The facility identified a census of 120 residents. The sample included three residents reviewed for falls. Based on record review and interviews, the facility failed to identify and implement appropriate, resident-centered interventions to prevent falls for Resident (R) 1, who was cognitively impaired. The facility further failed to ensure R1 received post-fall care including neurological evaluations and nursing assessments following an unwitnessed fall that resulted in obvious head trauma on 04/27/24 at 03:28 AM. R1 was later sent out to the hospital on 04/27/24 at 08:45 AM where he was found to have nasal bone fractures and multiple rib fractures. This also placed R1 at risk for increased pain and other complications.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- R1 admitted to the facility on [DATE] and discharged to the hospital 04/27/24.</li> </ul> <p>The Diagnoses tab of R1's Electronic Medical Record (EMR) documented diagnoses of generalized muscle weakness, difficulty in walking, altered mental status, and vascular dementia (a progressive mental disorder characterized by failing memory and confusion caused by a decreased blood flow to the brain).</p> <p>The Admission Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE], documented R1 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) score of zero, which indicated severe cognitive impairment. R1 had two or more non-injury falls since admission.</p> <p>The Cognitive Loss/Dementia Care Area Assessment (CAA) dated 04/15/24, documented R1 had a diagnosis of vascular dementia and had a BIMS score of zero.</p> <p>The Falls CAA dated 04/15/24, documented R1 required staff assistance for activities of daily living (ADLs) completion. R1 was a high risk for falls.</p> <p>R1's Care Plan dated 04/02/24, documented R1 was at risk for falls related to impaired mobility, confusion, gait/balance problems, and unawareness of safety needs. The plan documented interventions for staff to anticipate and meet R1's needs. Staff were to make sure R1's call light was within reach and encourage him to use it for assistance as needed. The plan directed staff to educate R1 about safety reminders and what to do if a fall occurred; staff followed facility fall protocol.</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 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>R1's Care Plan documented the following interventions added after actual falls: An intervention, dated 04/02/24, for staff education to orientate R1 to new surroundings and the use of the call light with ADL help. An intervention, dated 04/08/23, instructed staff to put a sign in R1's room directing R1 to ask for assistance before walking on his own. An intervention, dated 04/10/24, documented pharmacy would do a medication review. An intervention, dated 04/13/24, documented staff received education to provide R1 with an activity while he was awake. An intervention, dated 04/16/24, directed staff to make sure R1's wheelchair was locked and placed next to his bed while he was in bed. An intervention, dated 04/22/24, documented R1 would be added to the restorative (care provided to maintain a person's highest level of physical, mental, and psychosocial function to prevent declines that impact quality of life) nursing program for mobility, strength, and balance. An intervention, dated 04/24/24, documented that R1 had the right to fall, and he continued to fall with interventions in place.</p> <p>The Orders tab of R1's EMR documented an order with a start date of 04/02/24 for apixaban (anticoagulant medication- medication used to prevent blood from thickening or clotting), five milligrams (mg) two times a day for anticoagulant.</p> <p>The facility provided the following root cause analysis and intervention documentation upon request:</p> <p>The fall on 04/03/24 at 01:30 AM recorded the root cause of the fall as R1 was in a new environment and was not using the call light or asking for assistance with ADL. The intervention documented staff received education to help orientate R1 to his new surroundings and use the call light for assistance.</p> <p>The fall on 04/07/24 at 07:15 PM recorded the root cause of the fall as R1 had memory issues and was in a new environment. The intervention documented that staff placed a sign in R1's room to call for assistance.</p> <p>The fall on 04/10/24 at 05:30 AM recorded the root cause of the fall as R1 had an increase in falls with no identifiable cause at that time with possible medication side effects. The intervention documented the consultant pharmacist would conduct a medication review.</p> <p>The fall on 04/13/24 at 05:30 AM recorded the root cause of the fall as R1 was awake and appeared to be curious about the phone jack. The intervention documented staff were educated to provide R1 with an activity while he was awake.</p> <p>The fall on 04/17/24 at 05:00 AM recorded the root cause of the fall as R1 did not remember to check that his brakes were locked on his wheelchair before initiating a transfer. The intervention documented staff received education to make sure R1's wheelchair was placed next to his bed with the brakes locked while he was in the bed.</p> <p>The fall on 04/22/24 at 08:45 PM recorded the root cause of the fall as R1 continued to not use his call light for assistance with getting in and out of his bed, and it appeared he was unable to remember to lock his wheelchair brakes. The intervention documented R1 would be placed on a restorative program.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>On 05/07/24 at 10:21 AM, Certified Nurse Aide (CNA) M stated on 04/27/24, R1 kept getting out of his recliner and walking around. She stated she redirected him back to his wheelchair or his recliner. CNA M stated she went to break and when she returned, the nurse went to break, and she began her rounds. She stated a female resident came into the hallway, which was strange. CNA M went into her room and found R1 on the floor. She stated R1's fall interventions were redirecting him back to his room and completing frequent rounds every hour. She stated he did not have a fall mat and he was checked and changed every two hours for incontinence.</p> <p>The facility's Accidents and Supervision policy, not dated, directed the resident's environment remained as free from accident hazards as possible and each resident received adequate supervision and assistive devices to prevent accidents which included identifying hazards and risks, evaluating, and analyzing hazards and risks, implementing interventions to reduce hazards and risks, and monitoring for effectiveness and modifying interventions when necessary.</p> <p>The facility's Nursing Services and Sufficient Staff policy, not dated, directed the facility provided sufficient staff with appropriate competencies and skill sets to assure resident safety. The policy directed the facility ensured licensed nurses had the specific competencies and skill sets necessary to care for resident's needs as identified through resident assessments and described in the plan of care. The policy directed providing care included but was not limited to, assessing, evaluating, planning, and implementing resident care plans and responding to resident's needs.</p> <p>The facility's Head Injury policy, revised on 10/16/23, directed the facility reported head injuries to the physician and implement interventions to prevent further injury. The policy directed the facility notified the physician and followed orders for care; performed neurological checks as indicated or as specified by the physician; continued monitoring for 72 hours following the incident; and notified the family and documented all assessments, actions, and notifications.</p> <p>The facility failed to identify and implement appropriate, resident-centered interventions to prevent falls for R1 and failed to ensure R1 received post-fall care including neurological evaluations and nursing assessments following an unwitnessed fall. R1 sustained nasal bone fractures and multiple rib fractures. This also placed R1 at risk for increased pain and other complications.</p>		