

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 195302	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 04/15/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Trinity Trace Community Care Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 612 Holy Trinity Drive Covington, LA 70433	

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<p>F 0880</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Provide and implement an infection prevention and control program.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 48872</p> <p>Based on observations, interviews, and record review, the facility failed to implement and maintain an infection prevention and control program designed to provide a safe, sanitary, and comfortable environment and to help prevent the development and transmission of communicable diseases and infections. The facility failed to ensure staff:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Properly utilized Enhanced Barrier Precaution (EBP) Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) during incontinence care for 2 (#2 and #R1) of 3 (#2, #3 and #R1) residents whom required EBP; and 2. Performed appropriate hand hygiene during incontinence care for 1 (#2) of 3 (#2, #3 and #R1) residents observed for incontinence care. <p>Findings:</p> <p>Review of the facility's policy with a revised date of 04/2024, titled, Enhanced Barrier Precautions revealed the following, in part:</p> <p>Enhanced barrier precautions are utilized to prevent the spread of multidrug resistant organisms (MDROs) to residents.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. EBP employ targeted gown and glove use during high contact resident care activities, when contact precautions do not otherwise apply. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Gloves and gown are applied prior to performing the high contact resident care activity. 3. Examples of high contact resident care activities requiring the use of gown and gloves for EBP .include transferring, providing hygiene, changing linens, changing brief. 4. EBP are indicated when contact precautions do not otherwise apply for residents colonized with Vancomycin-resistant Enterococci (VRE). <p>Review of the facility's sign titled Enhanced Barrier Precautions revealed the following instructions, in part:</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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