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<p>F 0578</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Honor the resident's right to request, refuse, and/or discontinue treatment, to participate in or refuse to participate in experimental research, and to formulate an advance directive.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure a resident's right to formulate an advanced directive regarding code status (cardiopulmonary resuscitation [CPR]) was accurate in the clinical record for (Resident #60 [R60]).</p> <p>Finding:</p> <p>On [DATE] at 1:38 p.m., R60's clinical record was reviewed. R60's electronic record indicated (Advanced Directives) DO NOT RESUSCITATE (DNR) (Do not perform CPR). R60's paper chart contained a Physicians Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment (POLST) form indicating Attempt Resuscitation/CPR.</p> <p>On [DATE] at 12:36 p.m., during an interview with a surveyor and an LPN, R60's electronic and paper charts were reviewed. LPN stated she was unsure which directive was correct. At this time the surveyor confirmed R60's advance directive regarding code status had conflicting information.</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 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>Based on the facility's policy, Reportable Incident Form review, and interview, the facility failed to notify the State Agencies (Division of Licensing and Certification [DLC]) and Adult Protective Services (APS) timely for an allegation of abuse for 1 of 3 facility reported incidents (9/16/24) reviewed during an annual survey.</p> <p>Finding:</p> <p>The facility's policy, Abuse Prohibition, last reviewed 10/24/22, directed staff to Report allegations to the appropriate state and local authority(s) involving neglect, exploitation or mistreatment (including injuries of unknown source), suspected criminal activity, and misappropriation of patient property within 24 hours if the event does not result in serious bodily injury.</p> <p>On 9/16/24, the State Agency - Division of Licensing and Certification (DLC), received a fax from the facility that included a Reportable Incident Form that alleged a resident to resident incident occurred on 9/12/24. The report indicated that the physician and Resident Representatives were notified of the incident on 9/12/24.</p> <p>On 5/5/25 at 12:25 p.m., during an interview with a surveyor, the Administrator stated that she reached out to APS and they have no record of receiving the initial report and she does not have evidence that one was sent to DLC. The surveyor confirmed that the initial report was not sent to the State Agencies timely at this time.</p>		

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<p>F 0644</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Coordinate assessments with the pre-admission screening and resident review program; and referring for services as needed.</p> <p>Based on record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure that the State mental health authority for Pre-admission Screening and Resident Review (PASRR) was notified after a resident was newly diagnosed and/or experienced symptoms related to a mental disorder or trauma event to determine if a change in level of service was required for 1 of 2 sampled residents reviewed for PASRR (Resident #18 [R18]).</p> <p>Finding:</p> <p>On 5/4/25, R18's clinical record was reviewed. R18's PASARR, completed on 2/15/22, did not require a level II determination. On 8/6/24, R18 was diagnosed with bipolar disorder, but the clinical record lacked evidence that the resident was referred to the State mental health authority for a new PASARR determination.</p> <p>On 5/7/25 at 8:35 a.m., during an interview with a surveyor, the Administrator stated a new PASARR was submitted for R18 on 5/6/25. At this time a surveyor confirmed the facility failed to refer R18 for a PASARR after a new diagnosis and/or experienced symptoms related to a mental disorder.</p>

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<p>F 0655</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Create and put into place a plan for meeting the resident's most immediate needs within 48 hours of being admitted</p> <p>Based on clinical record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure a baseline care plan was developed and implemented within 48 hours, that included the instructions needed to provide minimum healthcare information necessary to properly care for 5 of 10 sampled residents (Resident #40 [R40], R166, R56, R50, and R60).</p> <p>Findings:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> On 5/6/25 during a clinical record review for R40, admitted to the facility for skilled care. The clinical record shows that R40's baseline care plan was not implemented or developed to provide the instructions needed to provide minimum healthcare necessary to properly care for R40. On 5/6/25 at 11:30 a.m. during an interview with the Regional Marketing Advisor the surveyor confirmed that R40's baseline care plan was not developed until 4 days after admission. On 5/6/25 during a clinical record review for R166, admitted to the facility for skilled care. The clinical record shows that R166's baseline care plan was not implemented or developed to provide the instructions needed to provide minimum healthcare necessary to properly care for R166. On 5/6/25 at 3:45 p.m. during an interview with the Administrator the surveyor confirmed that R166's baseline care plan was not developed until 4 days after admission. On 5/4/25, R56's clinical record was reviewed and indicated that R56 was admitted to the facility the last week of February 2025. R56's baseline care plan, which included problems, goals, and interventions, was not started until 3/5/25, greater than 48 hours after admission. On 5/6/25 at 8:23 a.m., during an interview with Market Clinical Advisor, a surveyor confirmed this finding. On 5/6/25, R50's clinical record was reviewed and indicated that R50 was admitted to the facility in February 2025. The clinical record lacked evidence that R50's baseline care plan, which included problems, goals, and interventions, was developed and implemented within 48 hours of admission. On 5/6/25 at 2:13 p.m., during an interview with a surveyor, the Administrator, the Director of Nursing, and the Market Clinical Advisor, R50's clinical record reviewed. At this time a surveyor confirmed R50's baseline care plan was not completed with 48 hours of admission. On 5/6/25, R60's clinical record was reviewed and indicated that R60 was admitted to the facility in April 2025. The clinical record lacked evidence that R60's baseline care plan, which included problems, goals, and interventions, was developed and implemented within 48 hours of admission. On 5/6/25 at 2:13 p.m., during an interview with a surveyor, the Administrator, the Director of Nursing, and the Market Clinical Advisor, R60's clinical record reviewed. At this time a surveyor confirmed R60's baseline care plan was not completed with 48 hours of admission. 		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Provide appropriate treatment and care according to orders, resident's preferences and goals.</p> <p>Based on clinical record reviews and interviews, the facility failed to follow physician orders for 4 of 20 residents reviewed. (Resident #40 [R40], R51, and R172).</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>1. On 5/6/25 at 8:00 a.m. during a clinical record review for R40 shows an order for Aspirin 81 milligrams (mg) by mouth twice a day for clot prevention. Review of R40's Medication Administration Record (MAR) shows that R40 did not receive his/her bedtime dose as ordered. (this is a stock medication that was available but not given)</p> <p>R40 also had an order for Quetiapine 25 mg at bedtime, review of his/her MAR shows that this medication was not given as ordered.</p> <p>The facility has an Ekit (emergency kit) called Rx now that has medications available for use. This list included the Quetiapine 25 mg dose for R40</p> <p>On 5/6/25 at 10:15 a.m. during an interview with the Director of Nursing (DON), and the Marketing Advisor the surveyor confirmed that Aspirin is a house stock medication and was not given to R40 as ordered and that the RX Now system had the dose of Quetiapine that was ordered for R40, and that this medication was not given to R40 as ordered.</p> <p>2. On 5/6/25 at 2:17 p.m., during a clinical record review for R172, shows orders for atorvastatin 80 mg at bedtime, Calcium Carbonate 500 mg twice a day, Docusate 100 mg twice a day, Levetiracetam 500 mg twice a day, metformin 500 mg twice a day, Senna 8.6 mg twice a day, and Warfarin 3 mg at 5:00 p.m.</p> <p>The following medications are stock medications and were available but were not given to R172 as ordered; Calcium Carbonate 500 mg, Docusate 100 mg, Senna 8.6 mg.</p> <p>The following medications were listed on the medications available list for the RX Now and were available and were not given to R172 as ordered, Atorvastatin 80 mg, Levetiracetam 500 mg, metformin 500 mg and Warfarin 1 mg</p> <p>Review of R172's MAR showed that the above medications were on hold until arrival from pharmacy.</p> <p>On 5/06/25 at 2:09 p.m. During an interview with the Office Manager, R172's MARs were reviewed. The surveyor confirmed that the above medications were not given when they were available as stock medications and in the RX Now system.</p> <p>On 5/6/25 at 2:15 p.m. the above findings were reviewed with the DON and the Marketing Advisor, the surveyor, confirmed that the medications were not given to R40 and R172 as ordered when they were available as stock medications and in the RX Now system.</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 - Some</p>	<p>3. 4. On 5/6/25, clinical record review for R268 shows an order for MS Contin Oral Tablet Extended Release 30 [milligrams (MG)] (Morphine Sulfate) Give 30mg by mouth every 8 hours for pain. Review of the admission assessment indicated R268 had an elevated heart rate and reported a pain level of 10 on a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being little to no pain and 10 is the worst pain imaginable). Review of R268's Medication Administration Record (MAR) shows that R268 did not receive morphine as ordered for pain (this is a stock medication that was available but not given).</p> <p>The facility has an Ekit (emergency kit) called RX Now that has medications available for use. The list of medications available in the Ekit include the Morphine ordered for R268.</p> <p>On 5/6/25 at 2:20 p.m. during an interview with the Director of Nursing (DON), the Marketing Advisor, and the Administrator, a surveyor confirmed that the Morphine ordered for R268 is a house stock medication and was not given to R268 as ordered for pain.</p> <p>4. On 5/7/25 R51's clinical record review indicated a physician order for Basaglar KwikPen Subcutaneous Solution Pen-injector 100 UNIT/[Milliliter (ML)] (Insulin Glargine) Inject 25 unit subcutaneously one time a day for diabetes Hold for [Blood Glucose (BG)] [less than(&lt;)] 110. Review of the Medication Administration Record (MAR) and Treatment Authorization Record (TAR) revealed insulin was administered outside of parameters on 7 out of 30 days in the month of April (4/1/25, 4/3/25, 4/15/25, 4/16/25, 4/17/25, 4/22/25, and 4/25/25).</p> <p>On 5/7/25 at 9:33 a.m., during an interview with a surveyor, the Market Clinical Advisor confirmed with the surveyor that R51 received insulin on 4/1/25, 4/3/25, 4/15/25, 4/16/25, 4/17/25, 4/22/25, and 4/25/25 with a blood glucose result less than 110. At this time the surveyor confirmed that the physician's order to hold insulin for a blood glucose less than 110 was not followed.</p>		

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<p>F 0695</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide safe and appropriate respiratory care for a resident when needed.</p> <p>Based on record review and interviews, the facility failed to provide respiratory care as order by the Provider for 1of 3 residents that use oxygen. Resident #165 [R165])</p> <p>Finding:</p> <p>On 5/6/25 during a clinical record review for R165, it was noted that R165 uses oxygen daily and has had an order change dated 5/1/25 for oxygen to be administered by nasal cannula (NC) at 2 liters/min every shift for maintaining peripheral oxygen saturation (SPO2) between 88-93% evaluate HR (heart rate), respiratory rate, pulse oximetry, skin color and breath sounds.</p> <p>R165's clinical record was reviewed and there is no evidence that this order was completed as ordered as there is no documentation showing that his/her respiratory rate, skin color and breath sounds were evaluated as ordered.</p> <p>On 5/06/25 at 2:46 p.m., during a clinical record review for R165 the surveyor confirmed with the Director of Nursing, the Administrator and the Clinical Market Advisor that there is no nursing documented evidence of R165's respiratory rate, skin color and breath sounds being evaluated every shift as ordered.</p>

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<p>F 0697</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide safe, appropriate pain management for a resident who requires such services.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</p> <p>2. On 5/4/25 at 11:15 a.m. during an interview with R40, he/she stated their admission date was on 4/10/25 between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m., R40 stated that they were in pain and that no staff came in to see him/her. R40 stated that he/she had to leave their room to find staff late in the night per R40 and ask for pain medication. He/she found the charge nurse and reports that RN told them that there were no written scripts for the pain medications therefore would not be giving R40 any pain medications.</p> <p>During a clinical record review on 5/4/25 the clinical record revealed that R40 arrived at the facility at 5:22 pm. and reported a pain level of 8 out of 10. The clinical record revealed that the resident was admitted for skilled care after a total hip replacement and had orders for pain management using the following medications: Acetaminophen 325 Milligrams (mg) 2 tablets for mild pain every 4 hours as needed, Cyclobenzaprine 10 mg every 8 hours as needed for muscle spasms and Hydromorphone 2 mg 1-2 tablets by mouth every 6 hours as needed for pain with a maximum daily dose of 12 mg.</p> <p>During a review of R40's Medication Administration Record (MAR), there was no documentation to indicate R40 received any pain medication until 11:37 p.m. and at that time R40's pain was documented at a level of 10, with 10 being severe pain. Based on the physician orders and discharge orders the resident was eligible to receive a dose of Acetaminophen 325 mg 2 tablets as needed, the last dose received was on 4/10/25 at 8:49 a.m. and was eligible to receive Hydromorphone 2 mg 1-2 tablets with the last dose received on 4/10/25 at 8:49 a.m. while at the hospital prior to discharge.</p> <p>On 5/6/25 during an interview with the Administrator, she stated that the facility has an Ekit (emergency kit) titled: RX Now. The RX Now list of available medications was not readily available in the nurses station and was found in the Providers office in a folder.</p> <p>Review of the RX Now medication list (Genesis Master Ekit contents list) revealed that the facility's RX Now (machine used in the facility as their emergency medication supply) showed the ordered medications for R40's pain control were available for use.</p> <p>On 5/6/25 at 8:09 a.m. The surveyor confirmed with the Administrator that R40 was admitted at 5:22 p.m. and per documentation on the CNA admission checklist documents that R40's pain was 8/10 and that he/she should have been provided pain medications and that he/she was not provided with any pain medications until 11:37 p.m. almost 6 hours after reported pain at a level of 8 out of 10 when admitted .</p> <p>Based on record reviews and interviews, the facility failed to provide pain management in a timely manner for 2 of 2 residents reviewed for pain management (Resident #40 [R40] and R268). Due to this facility's failure, R268 experienced consistent, unrelieved pain resulting in the resident discharging Against Medical Advice (AMA) to seek pain control from an emergency room (ER).</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>1. On 5/6/25, a review of the clinical record for R268 revealed the following:</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0697</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>-R268 was admitted on [DATE] for skilled therapy after a spinal surgery.</p> <p>-Review of the admission orders revealed an order for MS Contin Oral Tablet Extended Release 30 [milligrams (MG)] (Morphine Sulfate) Give 30mg by mouth every 8 hours for pain, and acetaminophen Tablet 325 MG (Acetaminophen) Give 2 tablet by mouth every 4 hours as needed for Mild Pain no more than 3 doses in 48 hours, notify physician/ advanced practice provider(APP). Do not exceed 3[grams(g)]/day. (standing order).</p> <p>-Review of the admission assessment, dated 11/19/24 and completed by the Registered Nurse (RN) at 7:06 p.m., indicated R268 had an elevated heart rate, reported a Pain score: 10 (on a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 meaning little to no pain and 10 is the worst pain imaginable), vocal complaints of pain and resident unable to tolerate being still due to pain. The admission assessment also indicated Mood is pleasant, no unwanted behaviors witnessed. The admission assessment provided no indication the facility provided R268 with any pain relieving treatment when R268 complained of severe pain.</p> <p>-Review of R268's Medication Administration Record (MAR) for 11/19/24 shows that R268 did not receive morphine or acetaminophen as ordered for pain (these are stock medications that were available but not given).</p> <p>-Review of nurse notes documented at 8:29 p.m. on 11/19/24, indicated that R268 was verbally angry about uncontrolled pain resulting in R268 signing out AMA to get pain control from the ER. The nursing notes provided no indication the facility provided R268 with any pain relieving treatment when R268 complained of severe pain on 11/19/24.</p> <p>The clinical record lacks evidence that R268 received pain medications as ordered (See F684) or any other interventions for severe pain.</p> <p>Review of the facility's Ekit (emergency kit) titled: RX Now revealed Morphine Sulfate [extended release (Er)] 15 mg tablets MS Contin available for use.</p> <p>On 5/06/25 at 2:20 p.m., during an interview with the Administrator, the Market Clinical Advisor, and the Director of Nursing, R268's clinical record was reviewed. The Administrator stated R268 arrived at 4:51 p.m., and left the building at 8:52 p.m., R268 had mistakenly been transported from the hospital to the pharmacy before arriving at the facility which contributed to the resident going so long without pain medication. The Administrator stated they did not have his medications available. The list of available medication in the facility's Ekit (emergency kit) titled: RX Now was reviewed. At this time a surveyor confirmed the morphine was available in the facility's Ekit but not provided to R268, and there was no evidence that pain relieving interventions (pharmaceutical and non-pharmaceutical) were implemented for R268.</p> <p>On 5/7/25 at 10:22 a.m., during an interview with a surveyor, a RN stated that the delay in pain medication on admission is a common problem. RN stated he was waiting for the prescriptions to be delivered from the pharmacy and did not know the medication was available in the Ekit stock. RN confirmed the provider was not notified of the uncontrolled pain or elevated heart rate, and was unable to identify non-pharmaceutical interventions implemented to treat R268's pain. At this time the surveyor confirmed with RN there was no evidence that pain relieving interventions (pharmaceutical and non-pharmaceutical) were implemented for R268's severe pain.</p>		

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<p>F 0725</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Provide enough nursing staff every day to meet the needs of every resident; and have a licensed nurse in charge on each shift.</p> <p>Based on Payroll Based Journal staffing (PBJ) report and interview, the facility failed to ensure sufficient direct care staff were scheduled and on duty to meet the needs of residents that reside in the facility for weekends of the first quarter 2025 (October 1 - December 31, 2024).</p> <p>Finding:</p> <p>A payroll based journal (PBJ) report for the first quarter of 2025 indicated the facility triggered for low weekend staffing.</p> <p>On 5/6/25 at 1:50 p.m., during an interview with the surveyor, the Administrator confirmed that the facility triggered for low weekend staffing for the first quarter per the PBJ report. The Administrator confirmed this finding and no additional information was provided to indicate that the PBJ information was incorrect which identified low weekend staffing.</p>

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<p>F 0804</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure food and drink is palatable, attractive, and at a safe and appetizing temperature.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on interviews, observations, and two lunch meal test trays, the facility failed to serve hot foods at an appetizing and palpable temperature for 1 of 2 lunch trays tested on [DATE] and 5/6/25.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>On 5/4/25 between 10:15 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., during a facility initial tour, several residents stated to the surveyors that hot foods were served cold.</p> <p>On 05/5/25 at 12:45 p.m., two surveyors tested food temperatures on a lunch test tray at the end of lunch delivery service to the residents on the Riverview Unit.</p> <p>The following food temperatures were:</p> <p>Cubed chicken was 96.4 degrees Fahrenheit and had a taste sensation of cool to cold.</p> <p>Macaroni and cheese was 94.3 degrees Fahrenheit and had a taste sensation of cool to cold.</p> <p>Cubed potatoes were 96.6 degrees Fahrenheit and had a taste sensation of cool.</p> <p>On 5/6/25 at 1:10 p.m., after the second lunch meal tray was tested, in an interview with the surveyor, the District Manager of Health Services Group, confirmed that the hot foods temped on 5/5/25 were not served hot.</p>

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<p>F 0812</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Procure food from sources approved or considered satisfactory and store, prepare, distribute and serve food in accordance with professional standards.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 2. On 5/4/25 at 12:00 p.m., a surveyor observed in the Homestead Unit Refrigerator the following:</p> <p>3 cartons of thickened beverage with directions to discard 7 days after opening. The dates written on the cartons were older than 7 days from 5/4/25;</p> <p>1 individual glass of poured juice with a date of 4/27 on the cover;</p> <p>2 individual glasses of poured juice with a date of 4/28 on the cover; and</p> <p>2 pitchers of juice with a date of 4/26/25.</p> <p>On 5/4/25 at 12:20 p.m., during an interview with a surveyor, [NAME] stated that the individual poured glasses of juice were good for 3 days. [NAME] also stated that the dates written on the cartons were the dates that the kitchen received the item and was not the date the product was opened. The surveyor confirmed that these were either not dated or were expired but were in the refrigerator, available for use. [NAME] removed the items.</p> <p>On 5/5/25 at 9:35 a.m., a surveyor observed an open carton of Thickened Orange Juice with no open date in the Homestead Unit Refrigerator.</p> <p>On 5/05/25 at 11:45 a.m., a surveyor observed a Mighty Shake that was thawed with no written date in the Riverview Unit Refrigerator. The directions on the carton are to use within 14 days of thawing. On 12:55 p.m. , during an interview with the District Manager of Health Services Group, a surveyor reviewed yesterday's observations that the cartons of thickened beverages are not being dated when opened, and that the thickened beverages are only good for 7 days after opening. She stated that the practice is to date them when they are received by the kitchen. She also stated that the juices in cups are good for 3 days. The surveyor also reported that there was a Mighty Shake currently in the Riverview Unit Refrigerator that was thawed with no date with directions to discard 14 days after thawing. On 5/05/25 1:08 p.m., the surveyor observed the Mighty Shake was still in the Riverview Unit Refrigerator and confirmed with Certified Nursing Assistant that the mighty shake was thawed with no open date and he discarded the carton.</p> <p>Based on observations, and interviews, the facility failed to store, prepare, and serve food in accordance with professional standards for food service safety by not restraining hair with a hair net for 1 of 4 days of survey (5/4/25), ensuring the dishes were sanitized with regular monitoring of the dishwasher for 2 of 4 days of survey (5/4/25 and 5/5/25), not ensuring that plumbing fixtures were properly installed to prevent backflow as required by the Maine State Plumbing Code for 2 of 4 days of survey (5/4/25 and 5/5/25), not maintaining food temperatures to prevent food borne illness prior to serving residents for 1 of 4 days of survey (5/5/25), and not storing dishes in a sanitary manner for 2 of 4 days of survey (5/5/25 and 5/6/25). In addition, the facility failed to ensure that beverages were removed when outdated or failed to include an open date in 2 of 2 unit refrigerators (Homestead and Riverview). This has the potential to effect all residents in the facility.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Orono Commons		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 117 Bennoch Rd Orono, ME 04473	
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