

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 225477	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 01/15/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Marian Manor of Taunton		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 33 Summer Street Taunton, MA 02780	
For information on the nursing home's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the nursing home or the state survey agency.			
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<p>F 0580</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Immediately tell the resident, the resident's doctor, and a family member of situations (injury/decline/room, etc.) that affect the resident.</p> <p>Based on records reviewed and interviews, for one of three sampled residents (Resident #1), who had an activated Health Care Proxy (HCP), the Facility failed to ensure nursing promptly notified his/her Health Care Agent (HCA), when nursing transcribed a physician's order to decrease the dosage of his/her antidepressant medication without notifying the HCA of the change, Resident #1 received the lower dosage of the medication for more than a month before the HCA was made aware. Findings include: Review of the Facility's Policy titled, Change in Resident Condition, dated as revised December 2025, indicated the following: the resident's responsible party/next of kin are notified of a change in condition; a licensed nurse in charge is responsible for timely notification of the responsible party/next of kin and notify with his or her consent the resident representative when there is: a need to alter treatment significantly (that is, a need to discontinue an existing form of treatment due to adverse consequences, or to commence a new form of treatment; all changes and notifications should be documented in the resident's medical record. Resident #1 was admitted to the Facility in March 2020, diagnoses included: non-displaced intertrochanteric fracture of left femur, Alzheimer's disease, osteoarthritis, occlusion and stenosis of carotid artery, anxiety disorder, Bullous disorder, cellulitis of right and left lower limb, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease and recurrent major depressive disorder. Review of Resident #1's Medical Record indicated Resident #1's Health Care Proxy was invoked on April 15, 2020. Review of Resident #1's Advanced Directives Care Plan, dated as initiated 03/18/2022, reviewed and revised with the Annual Minimum Data Set (MDS) Assessment, dated 11/12/25, indicated that Resident #1 had an invoked HCP and that his/her family will be contacted as necessary in order to be kept up to date with any changes in his/her condition. Review of a Consultant Pharmacist Recommendation to Prescriber Form, dated 09/30/25, indicated that Resident #1 currently receives Sertraline 100 mg by mouth daily, dose evaluation is recommended periodically in order to help determine the lowest effective dose and to attempt to taper Sertraline unless clinically contraindicated. The Form indicated that the NP agreed with the recommendation, wrote a new order for Sertraline and wrote that it was unlikely that the HCA would agree with the GDR. Review of the Report submitted by the Facility via the Health Care Facility Reporting System (HCFRS), dated as submitted on 12/23/25, indicated that on 09/30/25 the facility's pharmacy consultant recommended that Resident #1's Sertraline (antidepressant medication) be decreased from 100 milligrams (mg) by mouth daily to 75 mg by mouth daily. The Report indicated that the Nurse Practitioner (NP) agreed with the gradual dose reduction (GDR) and on 10/03/25 wrote an order to decrease the Sertraline from 100 mg to 75 mg by mouth daily. The Report indicated that the NP wrote on the pharmacy recommendation form that Resident #1's HCA probably would not agree with the recommendation. The Report indicated that on 10/03/25 the Nursing Supervisor transcribed the NP's order to decrease Sertraline to 75 mg in Resident #1's Electronic Medical Record (EMR) and was under the impression that a conversation took place with Resident #1's HCA prior to the order being written. The Report</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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