

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 245164	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 08/01/2024
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<p>F 0678</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide basic life support, including CPR, prior to the arrival of emergency medical personnel , subject to physician orders and the resident's advance directives.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 43080</p> <p>Based on interview and document review, the facility failed to follow the Provider Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment (POLST) to provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) for 1 of 3 residents (R1), who wished to have CPR in the event of cardiopulmonary arrest (absence of pulse and respirations). This deficient practice resulted in an immediate jeopardy (IJ) when R1 was found absent of pulse and respirations, no CPR was initiated, and R1 experienced certain death. The facility implemented corrective action, so the deficient practice was issued at past non-compliance.</p> <p>The IJ began on [DATE], when R1 was found unresponsive with an absence of pulse and respirations, CPR was not initiated, and R1 experienced certain death. The facility administrator and director of nursing (DON) were notified of the IJ on [DATE], at 5:00 p.m., which was identified at the scope and severity of an isolated IJ. The IJ was removed on [DATE] when the facility implemented immediate corrective action to prevent recurrence, therefore, the IJ was issued at past non-compliance.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>A Facility Reported Incident (FRI) report was submitted to the State Agency (SA) on [DATE]. The report identified, on [DATE], at 5:50 a.m., R1 was found unresponsive in her room, cool to the touch, and absent of vital signs. R1 was full code (wished CPR); however, CPR was not performed.</p> <p>R1's significant change Minimum Data Set (MDS), dated [DATE], identified R1 was cognitively intact.</p> <p>R1's POLST, dated [DATE], identified R1 wished for attempted resuscitation/CPR [Full code], if she were found with no pulse and/or active breaths. The POLST was signed by R1 and a medical provider.</p> <p>An IDT (interdisciplinary team) Care Conference form, locked [DATE], identified R1 was a Full code and wished to remain as such.</p> <p>A provider visit note, dated [DATE], identified R1 was seen by physician assistant (PA)-A. The note identified R1's Code Status as Full Scope of Treatment.</p> <p>R1's Order Summary Report, active orders as of [DATE], identified an active CPR order.</p> <p>A progress note, entered on [DATE], at 7:23 a.m., identified the following timeline of events:</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 0678</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>-12:00 a.m., during rounds, R1 slept with no issues.</p> <p>-2:00 a.m., R1 was changed, repositioned, and she interacted with staff normally.</p> <p>-5:40 a.m., the nurse was updated by a nursing assistant after the nursing assistant discovered R1's condition. The nurse responded and found R1 unresponsive. The nurse grabbed the defibrillator [sic] with the other nurse to start resuscitations, but it was too late, [R1] had ceased to breath, no pulse no respiration. The administrator, family, and the provider were updated. The note lacked identification R1 was provided CPR or that the AED was utilized.</p> <p>When interviewed on [DATE], at 2:44 p.m., licensed practical nurse (LPN)-A stated when a resident was found unresponsive, she was expected to assess for a pulse and respirations - if absent, she was to first verify their code status. If the code status indicated Full code, she was expected to immediately initiate CPR, send others to grab the crash cart and the defibrillator (AED), page a code blue overhead, and call 911. CPR was stopped only when the paramedics gave the okay. She explained that around 2:00 a.m., R1 slept without concerns. Around 5:40 a.m., a nursing assistant called her into R1's room. Right away, LPN-A approached R1 and found her on her back in the middle of the bed. LPN-A checked R1's pulse, shook her, and called her name; however, R1 lacked a response and was without a pulse or respirations. R1 was not cold but her feet were cooler than the rest of her body. Her body was clammy, her color was faded, and she lacked any stiffness when LPN-A shook her hand. LPN-A stated, It was too late. LPN-A added, I was very confused as this has never happened to me before. I was very shaken and confused. It was scary. LPN-A indicated she left R1's room and sought registered nurse (RN)-A for guidance. Once they returned to R1's room, RN-A assessed R1 and confirmed R1 lacked a pulse or respirations. LPN-A identified the AED was brought into R1's room and opened; however, after they verified R1 was a Full code, the AED was not used as it was too late. LPN-A stated after, she contacted the administrator and was told, It was okay; however, she explained, in hindsight, she learned the administrator thought LPN-A had performed CPR and there was miscommunication during that call as she was just providing the administrator with an update on R1's passing - not looking for guidance on what to do during this situation. LPN-A denied she contacted the DON, the on-call nurse, nor the provider for guidance. She stated she should have contacted the DON as the DON is clinical, whereas the administrator was not. LPN-A stated she failed to follow the facility's policy for timely code status verification and CPR initiation. LPN-A identified she was suspended right away and was since provided education that included paper education, conversations with management, and mock drill participation's in which she has to be the champion.</p> <p>On [DATE] and [DATE], interviews were attempted with NA-D, the nursing assistant who updated LPN-A on R1's unresponsive status; however, these were unsuccessful.</p> <p>During a telephone interview on [DATE], at 9:38 a.m., physician assistant (PA)-A stated the facility updated her that R1 was found unresponsive, and the attempted CPR was unsuccessful. If a Full code resident was found unresponsive, with no pulse or respirations, she identified she expected staff to initiate chest compressions and AED use if the AED advised a shock. In addition, she expected 911 to be called. When she was updated that R1 was not provided with CPR, she wished to reserve any comments related to the lack of CPR, as she was unaware of the event details, especially considering not being initially provided all the facts. She indicated she was present at the facility and observed at least two mock CPR drills.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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