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| STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION | (X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 245416 | (X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing | (X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 05/01/2025 |
| NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Cura of Le Sueur | | STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 621 South 4th Street Le Sueur, MN 56058 | |

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| <p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>Provide appropriate treatment and care according to orders, resident's preferences and goals.</p> <p>49616</p> <p>Based on interview and record review the facility failed to complete a comprehensive skin assessment and monitoring of impaired skin integrity for 1 of 3 residents (R1) reviewed for skin care.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>R1's hospital discharge summary dated 4/24/25, identified invasive ductal carcinoma (cancer that starts in the cells lining the milk duct in the breast and breaks through the duct wall invading nearby breast tissue) had been discovered during a previous hospital stay 2/2025 and treatment had not begun yet. Current hospital stay was complicated by right breast pain with oncology follow-up 5/1/25 scheduled. Skin check identified tender, indurated (thickened/hard) right breast including the areola (pigmented area surrounding the nipple), without warmth and consistent with known breast cancer, likely lymphatic obstruction (blockage of lymph vessels which can lead to swelling).</p> <p>R1's face sheet dated 5/1/25, identified diagnoses of malignant neoplasm of lower outer quadrant of right breast (cancer).</p> <p>R1's care plan dated 4/24/25, identified two areas of concern which included potential for skin integrity impairment related to decreased mobility from baseline. Interventions included licensed nurse to observe skin weekly and turn and reposition per tissue tolerances. Alteration in comfort related to right breast cancer. Interventions included medications as ordered, non-pharmacological interventions including repositioning, massage, distraction, reposition/ambulation as tolerated and physical and occupational therapy as directed.</p> <p>R1's Skin Evaluation dated 4/24/25, identified an initial skin evaluation with no skin impairments noted.</p> <p>R1's Comprehensive Skin Risk Audit dated 4/24/25, identified skin history of cancer and no changes warranted to the interventions to maintain resident's skin integrity.</p> <p>R1's progress note at 6:36 p.m. note identified R1 reported pain in right breast area. Progress note at 9:52 p. m., identified R1 requested pain medication for right breast pain. R1's record did not include a comprehensive assessment of R1's right breast to ascertain any changes to the location.</p> <p>R1's progress note dated 4/25/25, identified R1 had pain 10/10 to right breast. R1's record did not include an assessment of the right breast.</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 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>R1's progress note dated 4/26/25 at 5:27 a.m., identified pain medication given for right breast pain. R1's record did not include an assessment of the right breast.</p> <p>R1's progress note dated 4/27/25, identified R1's pain management was not under control and R1 requested to go to the emergency department for pain management.</p> <p>R1's progress noted dated 4/27/25, identified as a late entry progress noted identified a hospitalist called and requested initial admission details, including pictures of R1's right breast at admission to compare how the breast appeared currently in comparison to what the breast appeared like at the facility. No admission photos were in R1's chart. The doctor advised the right breast was full of abscess and required a surgical procedure to drain as it was infected.</p> <p>R1's progress note dated 4/28/25 at 9:07 a.m., identified a late entry for 4/24/25 that stated R1 had a small area of skin redness to right breast and the area was tender to the touch with 10/10 pain. There was no drainage to the sight and no symptoms of infection. A second note written at 1:38 p.m., identified R1 would not be returning to the facility after hospitalization .</p> <p>During an interview on 5/1/25 at 1:01 p.m., nursing assistant (NA)-D stated R1's breast was a little red and tender and R1 prefer that NA-D not touch them when doing cares.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 5/1/25 at 12:49 p.m., licensed practical nurse (LPN)-A stated he had not looked at R1's breast and was unaware of the breast cancer.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 5/1/25 at 12:50 p.m., registered nurse (RN)-C stated there were no treatment orders in the record that identified to monitor the right breast and that would be how the floor nurses would be aware of conditions to monitor on residents.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 5/1/25 at 12:36 p.m., RN-A stated that the floor nurse works under the orders that are transcribed in the treatment and medication record. R1 did not have any orders for the breast cancer site and there were no progress notes or assessments in the chart about the breast cancer site either.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 5/1/25 at 9:40 a.m., family member (FM)-A stated R1's breast cancer was a newer diagnosis. The breast cancer site was visible and bright red.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 5/1/25 at 9:28 a.m., certified nurse practitioner (CNP)-A stated R1 had a large breast lump between six and nine o'clock on the outer right breast with redness surrounding the site. CNP-A was aware of breast cancer site and had observed it at a previous facility on 3/10/25 and did not notice anything out of the ordinary or concerning when she examined it on 4/25/25.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 5/1/25 at 11:31 a.m., emergency department registered nurse (EDRN)-A stated on 4/27/25, R1's breast looked like it had an obvious abscess. The breast was red, raised, warm, and had an area that was coming to a head.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> | | |

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