

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 245461	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 04/02/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Eventide Lutheran Home		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1405 7th Street South Moorhead, MN 56560	

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<p>F 0880</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide and implement an infection prevention and control program.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 43367</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and document review the facility failed to ensure appropriate hand hygiene and personal protective equipment (PPE) practices were performed during a high contact care activity for 2 of 3 residents (R1, R5) in enhanced barrier precautions (EBP) with an indwelling device.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Primary provider visit dated 2/4/25 at 8:00 p.m. identified assessment/plan: neurogenic bladder - continue with suprapubic catheter (a flexible tube placed through an incision in the abdomen instead of from the urethra to empty urine from the bladder into a collection bag) (SP), Mirabegron 25 milligrams (mg) (medication for bladder spasms). Nursing was responsible for catheter cares. No recent urinary tract infection (UTI) concerns.</p> <p>R1's annual Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE], identified intact cognition without behaviors. She had upper impairment on one side, lower impairment on both sides and used a wheelchair for mobility. She required partial/moderate assistance with upper body dressing, personal hygiene, roll left and right, substantial/maximum assistance with toileting hygiene, shower/bathe, lower body dressing, and dependent upon staff for putting on and taking off footwear and all transfers. She had an indwelling urinary catheter and always incontinent of bowel. Medical diagnoses included congestive heart failure (CHF), neurogenic bladder, arthritis, osteoporosis, multiple sclerosis, anxiety, and depression.</p> <p>R1's current care plan identified R1 was at risk for infection related to SP catheter placement and chronic/long term use due to a neuromuscular dysfunction of the bladder. Staff were instructed to have provided EBP for all catheter cares and emptying, good hand hygiene, catheter cares per policy, monitor for signs/symptoms (s/sx) of UTI, encourage fluids, and position catheter bag and tubing below the level of the bladder.</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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