

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 265823	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 09/23/2024
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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Protect each resident from all types of abuse such as physical, mental, sexual abuse, physical punishment, and neglect by anybody.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 46970</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure a resident's right to be free from abuse was not violated, when staff failed to effectively intervene while two residents (Resident #1 and Resident #2) were involved in a verbal argument which escalated to a physical altercation, resulting in Resident #1 to be struck in the face by Resident #2. The facility census was 139.</p> <p>Review of the facility's Abuse and Neglect policy, revised 6/12/24, showed:</p> <p>-Definitions:</p> <p>-Abuse: The willful infliction of injury, unreasonable confinement, intimidation, or punishment with resulting physical harm, pain, or mental anguish, which can include staff to resident abuse and certain resident to resident altercations. Instances of abuse of all residents, irrespective of any mental or physical condition, cause physical harm, pain, or mental anguish. It includes verbal abuse, physical abuse, and mental abuse including abuse facilitated or enabled through the use of technology;</p> <p>-Physical abuse: Purposefully beating, striking, wounding, or injuring any resident or any manner whatsoever mistreating or mistreating a resident in a brutal or inhumane manner. Physical abuse includes handling a resident with any more force than is reasonable for a resident's proper control, treatment, or management. Physical abuse also includes, but is not limited to, hitting, slapping, punching, biting, and kicking. Physical abuse also includes corporal punishment, which is physical punishment uses as a means to correct or control behavior;</p> <p>-Policy Guidelines:</p> <p>-Prevention: The facility will identify, correct and intervene in situations in which abuse, neglect and/or misappropriation of resident property is more likely to occur;</p> <p>-Staff supervision: On a regular basis, supervisors will monitor the ability of the staff to meet the needs of residents and staffs understanding of individual resident care needs.</p> <p>Review of the facility's Behavioral Emergency policy, revised 6/26/24, showed:</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 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>-Purpose: To provide safe treatment and humane care to the Resident in a behavioral crisis, to outline steps to follow to correctly care for the Resident in a behavioral crisis, to ensure that the resident is not being coerced, punished, or disciplined for staff convenience;</p> <p>-Interventions: Non-Physical and Proactive:</p> <p>-Non-physical interventions are the first choice as an intervention unless safety issues demand immediate physical intervention. The facility's approved early intervention crisis prevention techniques will be used to de-escalate conflict when possible. Care will be guided by resident's plan of care and based on the strategies taught by Crisis Prevention Institute non-violent crisis intervention, or the current company guidance, and will help to respond to difficult behaviors in the safest and most effective way possible;</p> <p>-Proactive management for our residents is the best plan. All staff should recognize when the resident has become or can become a danger to themselves or someone else. De-escalation techniques should be utilized as first resort.</p> <p>1. Review of the facility's investigation, completed on 9/20/24, showed:</p> <p>-On 9/19/24 at 6:30 P.M., staff responded to Code [NAME] (emergency) being called on 300 hall. Resident #2 noted to be involved in physical altercation with Resident #1. Residents separated and were allowed to vent feelings and frustrations that led to this occurrence;</p> <p>-Resident #2 said One of his/her peers was having a bad day and Resident #1 wouldn't leave him/her alone. So the peer went to his/her room and Resident #2 stood outside the door. Resident #1 wouldn't leave the peer alone. He/She told Resident #1 numerous times to leave the peer alone. He/She then yelled numerous times and told Resident #1 to get out of his/her ears and he/she just slapped him/her. Resident #2 did not think he/she hit Resident #1 but he/she blacked out;</p> <p>-Resident #1 said Resident #2 got mad at him/her because he/she was trying to talk to a peer. Resident #2 started yelling at him/her, so he/she yelled back and Resident #2 punched him/her in his/her face;</p> <p>-Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA) A stated Resident #2 and Resident #1 were at the end of the hall when Resident #2 was trying to stop Resident #1 from going in another resident's room. He/She called for them to go back to their rooms when Resident #1 said something to Resident #2, that's when Resident #2 hit Resident #1 in his/her face;</p> <p>-Conclusion: Allegation is substantiated. Resident #1 was returned from the emergency room with no new orders. Resident #2 remains in the hospital at this time.</p> <p>2. Review of Resident #1's quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS), a federally mandated assessment instrument completed by facility staff, dated 9/4/24, showed:</p> <p>-Cognitively intact;</p> <p>-No behaviors exhibited;</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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