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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** 46706</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to perform life saving measures to include Cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) for one sampled resident (Resident #1) when staff found the full code resident without a pulse or respirations. Additionally, the facility failed to ensure the staff knew safety protocols and emergency procedures when Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) A did not know where to locate the crash cart (a cart that contains emergency equipment). The facility census was 117.</p> <p>The administrator was notified on [DATE] at 4:51 P.M. of an Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) which began on [DATE]. The IJ was removed on [DATE] as confirmed by surveyor on-site verification.</p> <p>Review of the facility's Emergency Procedures/Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation Policy, revised, February 2022, showed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Any unnecessary interruptions in chest compressions decreases the effectiveness of CPR; -If a resident is found unresponsive and not breathing normally, a licensed staff member will verify the code status using the medical record and if the resident is a full code per the medical record a staff member that is certified in CPR will initiate CPR; -Begin CPR if the victim is unresponsive and not breathing normally without assessing the victim's pulse; -Start chest compressions rather than opening the airway and delivering rescue breaths. <p>Review of the facility's undated, Duties of the Licensed Practical Nurse, showed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -The LPN is responsible for ensuring the delivery of efficient and effective nursing care and achieving positive clinical outcomes in accordance with accepted standards of practice; -The LPN is responsible for resident care and direction of nursing care during assigned shift including staff assignments, mentoring and educating nursing personnel; <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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