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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 285078	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/10/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER St. Joseph Villa Nursing Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2305 South 10th Street Omaha, NE 68108	
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F 0689 Level of Harm - Actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Licensure Reference Number 175 NAC 12-006.09(I) Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to implement intervention to prevent the potential for hot liquid burns on 2 (Residents 1 and 2) of 3 sampled residents. The facility census was 156. Findings are: A record review of the facility's undated Precautions for Handling Hot Beverages education prior to this incident revealed staff shall monitor, serve, and hold hot beverages in a safe manner to prevent burns. The temperature (temp) of any hot beverage would be allowed to cool to 130 degrees Fahrenheit (F). Additional precautions may be implemented based on the needs and make-up of the residents served. These precautions may include: Assessing and identifying those individuals served who are at high risk for burning themselves with hot beverages. Ensuring staff monitors the identified high-risk residents at mealtimes and when hot beverages were served. Utilizing specialized spill proof lids and cups for those residents identified at high risk for spilling and the potential for burns. Assess individuals who request beverages hotter than 130 F for the ability to independently and safely consume the hot beverage. A record review of the undated Coffee/ Drink Carts: education and procedure prior to this incident revealed that the coffee cart for the main dining room would contain 1 air pot regular coffee, 1 air pot decaffeinated (decaf) coffee, and the coffee would have ice put in it and the coffee temp recorded on the proper form on the cook's counter. The coffee/drink carts for stations 1 and 2 would contain 1 air pot regular coffee, 1 air pot decaffeinated (decaf) coffee, and the coffee would be properly iced. It did not reveal the coffee/drink carts for stations 1 and 2 would have the temps checked or recorded. A record review of the facility's Resource: Serving Line Food Temperature Log dated 05/31/2026 - 06/09/2026 revealed only 1 line for coffee for each day and each meal. It did not reveal coffee temp recording lines or sheets for the coffee/drink carts for stations 1 and 2, or between meals. A record review of the facility's undated Current List Of Devices For Dining Room Or Meals list revealed Resident 1 was added to the list on 06/03/2026 as needing a lidded cup for hot beverages, and Resident 2 was not on the list. A record review of Resident 1's Resident Census dated 06/09/2026 revealed the resident was admitted on [DATE]. A record review of Resident 1's Continuity of Care Document dated 06/10/2026 revealed the resident had diagnoses of cognitive communication deficit (difficulty communication due to disruptions in brain function), Parkinson's disease without dyskinesia (a neurological disorder where the resident exhibits symptoms such as tremors, rigidity, and slowed movement), Dysphasia, oropharyngeal phase (difficulty swallowing that originates in the mouth and throat), unspecified convulsions (sudden muscle spasms), unspecified severe protein-calorie malnutrition (extreme deficiency in calorie and protein intake), Other vascular myelopathies (spinal cord injury or dysfunction caused by impaired blood supply), and muscle weakness. A record review of Resident 1's Minimum Data Set (MDS)(a comprehensive assessment used to develop a resident's care plan) dated 05/22/2026 revealed the resident had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS)(a score of a resident's cognitive abilities) score of 11 which indicated the resident was moderately cognitively impaired (difficulty thinking and comprehending). The resident required setup or clean-up assistance with eating and oral hygiene (cleaning), partial/moderate (continued on next page)		

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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