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F 0550 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Honor the resident's right to a dignified existence, self-determination, communication, and to exercise his or her rights. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40197 Based on record review, resident and staff interviews, the facility failed to treat a resident with dignity and respect when Nurse Aide #2 spoke to a resident (Resident #2) in a disrespectful manner. This was for 1 of 2 residents reviewed for dignity. The findings included: Resident #2 was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. An initial allegation report dated 2/21/23 documented that Resident #2 reported Nurse Aide (NA) #2 was verbally abusive to him on 2/20/23, when he needed toileting hygiene assistance. NA #2 was an agency NA who was removed from the schedule and terminated immediately on 2/21/23. A written statement from Nurse #3 (on duty 7:00 PM to 7:00 AM) dated 2/20/23 indicated that he overheard bickering from NA #2 and Resident #2 using bad language to each other. NA #2 left the building and Nurse #3 approached Resident #2 who stated NA #2 wouldn't clean his buttocks after a bowel movement. She stated to him that he could do it himself and cursed at him. NA #3 assisted Resident #2 with his toileting hygiene. A written statement from NA #2 (who was on duty 3:00 PM to 11:00) dated 2/21/23 read that on 2/20/23 Resident #2 was in the bathroom. She went to help him but couldn't get to him. I handed him the wipes, he got mad, bent over, and patted his buttocks and said to kiss his ass. NA #2 left the room and reported to the nurse what happened. Later that evening Resident #2 called me a stupid bitch and I said that is why you are going to have an itchy ass tonight. A written statement from Nurse #1 (who was the nurse on duty 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM) dated 2/21/23 read that NA #2 came to the desk talking very loudly stating Resident #2 told her to kiss his ass because she wouldn't clean his ass. She stated, since the resident could stand up, he could wipe his own ass. An Interdisciplinary Departmental Team (IDT) meeting was completed on 2/22/23 regarding Resident #2 interaction with NA #2. (continued on next page)

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F 0550 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	The investigative report dated 2/27/23 documented that the facility investigation into the incident revealed the exchange did not rise to the level of abuse but was inappropriate. Resident #2 reported that NA #2 called him names, cursed at him, and told him he could provide toileting hygiene himself when he was in the need for assistance after toileting. He was assisted with hygiene from a different staff member as he didn't want NA #2 back in his room. An annual Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment dated [DATE] indicated Resident #2 was cognitively intact and displayed no behaviors. He required moderate assistance with toileting hygiene. An interview occurred with Resident #2 on 3/5/24 at 1:50 PM who was able to recall the incident that occurred on 2/20/23. He explained he was in the bathroom and needed assistance with toileting hygiene. The NA came in, was on her phone and told him if he could stand, he could wipe his own ass. He couldn't recall what else was said but stated the incident made him very mad and he felt she was rude and disrespectful. Resident #2 stated he didn't want her back in his room that evening, so another NA assisted him with his needs. On 3/5/24 at 2:02 PM, an interview occurred with Nurse #1 who recalled the incident on 2/20/23. She stated NA #2 came to the nurse's station, was very loud and stated, I'm not going to wipe his ass, he can do it himself. Nurse #1 stated she went to Resident #2 who stated the aide spoke to him rudely and he didn't want her back in the room. Another NA assisted Resident #2 with his needs. The incident was reported to the Administrator. The Administrator was interviewed on 3/6/24 at 10:23 AM and was able to recall the details of the incident that occurred on 2/20/23. She stated when she arrived to work on 2/21/23 she was made aware of the incident between Resident #2 and NA #2 and initiated the investigation. Resident #2 reported to her that NA #2 cursed at him and wouldn't help him with toileting hygiene. During the interviews it was reported that staff overheard Resident #2 and NA #2 cursing at each other. She was an agency employee and was removed from the schedule. The Administrator stated she would expect staff to treat residents with dignity and respect at all times. Multiple phone calls were placed to NA #2 and Nurse #3 without success.

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F 0584 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Honor the resident's right to a safe, clean, comfortable and homelike environment, including but not limited to receiving treatment and supports for daily living safely. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 38129 Based on observations, record review, and interviews of residents and staff, the facility failed to provide a clean, home-like environment in the main dining room as evidenced by a dirty, sticky floor and a dirty window and failed to repair a leaking roof. Findings included: 1 On 3/4/24 at 12:00 pm the initial resident dining observation was done. The entryway floor with vending machines, food serving cabinets and entry into the kitchen was noted to have a moderate amount of brown soil which was sticking to the shoe. This was a high-traffic area with staff, residents, and visitors walking. The window in this area had a large amount of spider webs with black soil affecting visibility to the outside. On 3/5/24 at 1:30 pm an observation was done of the dining room and the floor and window remained the same. On 3/6/24 at 1:35 pm an observation was done of the dining room and the floor and window remain unchanged. On 3/6/24 at 1:54 pm an interview was conducted with the lead Housekeeper. She stated housekeeping was responsible to clean the floor and dust in the main dining room each day. She stated the floor was mopped each day. She stated she was not aware the floor had not been mopped since before Monday and was sticky. She stated she would mop the floor now and clean the dirty window. Housekeeping and maintenance manage cleaning the facility windows. 2. A vendor estimate dated 10/3/23 to repair the areas of active leak or the entire roof was obtained by the facility and a copy was provided on 3/7/24. E-mail communication dated 10/16/23 between the facility Administrator and Corporate Office documented there were roof leaks that affected the following areas (copy provided 3/7/24): Resident rooms 109 202, 206, 209, 212, 301, 302, 2307, 310, 401, 402, 403, 406, 407, 410, 412, 502, 503, 504, 506, 507, 508, 510, 516, 608 614, 620, 622, and 625. 600 nurses' station 600 nutrition room 600 medication room (continued on next page)

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F 0584 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	600 living room 600 soiled utility room Director of Nursing's office Unit manager's room Conference room Laundry room vents Front dining room A capital purchase request dated 10/16/23 was provided to the Corporate Office for roof repair or replacement by the Administrator and copy provided on 3/7/24. The facility had leaking areas patched by the vendor. On 03/06/24 at 12:20 pm an interview was conducted with the Maintenance Manager. The Manager stated he was the only person completing repairs. The roof has been leaking for months in the past and patched by the vendor. He was currently waiting for the entire roof replacement bid to be approved by the home office. There was currently other random roof leaks after patches were placed that he was fixing. On 3/7/24 at 9:00 am an interview was conducted with the Administrator. She stated that the Corporate Office was provided the vendor quote for patch and repair and approved patch repair and there had been new leaks that had popped up throughout the building. The Corporate Office was aware of the leaks and had the roof replacement estimate, but there was no decision at present. The facility maintenance staff had attempted to repair the leaks, but there were new leaks. She stated new areas of leak had opened recently and residents had to be moved to other rooms. There was a current roof leak in resident room [ROOM NUMBER], which had leaked before. The Administrator stated the roof needed to be replaced, patching the roof was not working at this time. On 3/7/24 at 9:30 am an observation was completed of resident room [ROOM NUMBER]. It was raining and there was a small amount of water on the floor next to the outer wall. The ceiling above had a small area of stain and small blister in the drywall. On 3/7/24 at 10:00 am an observation of resident rooms on Halls 100 - 600 was completed. The rooms were checked for roof leak and none were observed. On 3/7/24 at 9:30 am an interview was conducted with Resident #24. The resident resided in room [ROOM NUMBER]. The resident stated the roof was leaking again. She had been moved from another room before when the roof was leaking. The ceiling was coming down and no one had come to repair the leak. On 3/7/24 at 9:35 am an interview was conducted with Resident #58. Resident #58 resided in room [ROOM NUMBER]. She stated the ceiling was stained and sagging and there was a small amount of water leaking onto the floor near the window and this was not the first time. An observation revealed the leak was in front of the drawers where the residents' clothes were stored. (continued on next page)

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F 0677 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Provide care and assistance to perform activities of daily living for any resident who is unable. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 38129 Based on observation, record review and interviews of residents and staff, the facility failed to provide dependent residents with nail care for 6 of 6 residents reviewed for activities of daily living (ADL) [Resident #s 14, 20, 35, 61, 76, and 92]. Findings included: 1. Resident #14 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with the diagnosis of Parkinson's disease. Resident #14 had a care plan for activity of living deficit. He required assistance as needed and help with his dentures. Review of Resident #14's ADL sheets for February and March 2024 revealed the staff did not document set up for shower, he had periodic staff assistance with toilet use on all shifts, and there was no documentation of nail care or refusal of care. A review of Resident #14's nurses' notes for February and March 2024 documented the resident required set up help with meals and showers. Showers were scheduled on Tuesday and Friday. On 03/04/24 at 10:40 am Resident #14 was observed to have long dirty nails and was interviewed. The nails had dirt underneath and around the cuticles that was brown to black. The resident was alert and oriented, he looked at his long, dirty nails and shrugged his shoulders and said it's okay. I am independent with most things. The resident had limited dexterity to his hands, with gross movement to pick up items. The resident had limited range of movement to his neck and torso and sat in his wheelchair leaning over to his left leaning on the side arm. On 3/4/24 at 10:55 am an interview was conducted with Nurse #4. Nurse #4 stated she was assigned to Resident #14 and knew him well. She stated the resident refused to have his nails cut, but the nails/hands should be washed when he was set up for his shower or meal. The resident was set in his ways. Nurse #4 was not aware the resident had soiling around the nail cuticle and underneath and his nails were long. On 3/5/24 at 11:20 am an observation was completed of Resident #14. His nails remained in the same condition. On 3/5/24 at 2:50 pm Nursing Assistant (NA) #5 was interviewed. NA #5 stated she was assigned to all halls. The residents were to have nail care as needed unless unable then the nurse was to be informed of the resident's needs. Resident's nails were cared for during bathing or showers. If the resident refused, the nurse was to be informed. The NA did not know why some of the residents on Hall 500 had long dirty nails and would check. If the nails were long and dirty, the care was not done and should have been reported to the nurse. (continued on next page)

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F 0677 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	On 2/5/24 at 3:24 pm an interview was conducted with Nurse #4. Nurse #4 stated she was assigned to Hall 500 residents. She stated if the residents' nails were long and dirty, care was not completed, and the NA had not informed her. Nurse #4 stated Resident #14 would probably not allow staff to cut his nails, but his hands/nails should be washed. The resident had not refused care before. She expected the NA to provide nail care with the shower or bath and as needed or let the nurse know if unable or the resident refused. On 3/6/24 at 8:45 am an observation was completed of Resident #14. His nails were observed to be cut and clean this morning. Resident #14 commented staff assisted him with his nails. On 3/6/24 at 2:05 pm an observation was done of Resident #14. He used his hands to feel through the wheelchair pocket and it was noted that his fine dexterity was limited and had gross use of his fingers. On 3/6/24 at 10:40 am an interview was conducted with Nurse Consultant #2. She stated facility staff noticed some issues with the residents' nail condition and directed the staff to audit all residents' fingernails and provide care around 5:00 pm yesterday, 3/5/24. 2. Resident #20 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with the diagnoses of schizoaffective disorder and weakness. A review of Resident #20's ADL sheets for February and March 2024 documented he received a bath with assistance from staff almost every day. No refusals were documented. There was no nail care documented. Resident #20's care plan dated 2/13/24 documented Resident #20 had an ADL self-care deficit. Staff were to assist with ADL care as needed. Resident #20's quarterly Minimum Data Set, dated dated dated [DATE] documented his cognition was intact. The resident had little interest in doing things every day, was depressed, and had trouble falling asleep 2 to 6 days per week. The resident was moving and speaking slowly, had no behaviors, and no rejection of care. On 03/4/24 at 2:08 pm an observation was completed of Resident #20. His nails were long and dirty under the nail bed and around the cuticle. On 3/5/24 at 12:30 pm an observation was completed of Resident #20 and his nails remained unchanged. Some nails had jagged edges, especially on his dominant hand the second finger. On 3/5/24 at 2:50 pm Nursing Assistant (NA) #5 was interviewed. NA #5 stated she was assigned to all halls. The residents were to have nail care as needed unless unable then the nurse was to be informed of the resident's needs. Resident's nails were cared for during bathing or showers. If the resident refused, the nurse was to be informed. The NA did not know why some of the residents on Hall 500 had had long dirty nails and would check. If the nails were long and dirty, the care was not done and should have been reported to the nurse. (continued on next page)

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F 0677 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	On 2/5/24 at 3:24 pm an interview was conducted with Nurse #4. Nurse #4 stated she was assigned to Hall 500 residents. She stated if the residents' nails were long and dirty, care was not completed, and the Nursing Assistant (NA) had not informed her. Nurse #4 stated Resident #20 had not refused care and should have had nail care when assisted with his shower. She expected the NA to provide nail care with the shower or bath and as needed or let the nurse know if unable or the resident refused. On 3/7/24 at 10:15 am Resident #20 was interviewed. The resident was able to state yes when asked if staff assisted him with nail care last evening. The resident was slow to respond. On 3/6/24 at 10:40 am an interview was conducted with Nurse Consultant #2. She stated facility staff noticed some issues with the residents' nail condition and directed the staff to audit all residents' fingernails and provide care around 5:00 pm yesterday, 3/5/24. 3. Resident #61 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with the diagnosis of dementia. A review of Resident #61's weekly skin assessment dated [DATE] documented no skin issues with no mention of fingernails. Resident #61's care plan dated 1/31/24 documented an ADL self-care deficit and to assist with ADLs as needed. Resident #61's admission Minimum Data Set, dated dated dated [DATE] documented he had a moderately impaired cognition. The resident had no refusal of care and bathing required maximal assistance and all other care required partial-moderate assistance of 1 staff. A review of Resident #61's ADL for February and March 2024 documented he required bathing assistance with part of the bathing by 1 staff member. The resident had Tuesday and Friday showers scheduled. He required total dependence for most days and 1-day partial assistance. March 2024 bathing varied from dependence to assistance by 1-staff member. There was no documentation of nail care or refusal. On 3/05/24 at 1:29 Resident #61 was observed sitting in his wheelchair in the front lobby. The resident was alert to self and situation. The resident's nails were noted to be long, broken (right pointer finger) and dirty under the nails and fingers. The resident was interviewed and stated he would like nail care. He had no nail care since he got here (1/31/24). On 3/5/24 at 2:50 pm Nursing Assistant (NA) #5 was interviewed. NA #5 stated she was assigned to all halls. The residents were to have nail care as needed unless unable then the nurse was to be informed of the resident's needs. Resident's nails were cared for during bathing or showers. If the resident refused, the nurse was to be informed. The NA did not know why some of the residents had had long, dirty nails on Hall 500 and would check. If the nails were long and dirty, the care was not done and should have been reported to the nurse. On 2/5/24 at 3:24 pm an interview was conducted with Nurse #4. Nurse #4 stated if the residents' nails were long and dirty, care was not completed, and the NA had not informed her. Nurse #4 stated residents should have had nail care when assisted with their shower or bath. She expected the NA to provide nail care with the shower or bath and as needed or let the nurse know if unable. (continued on next page)

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F 0677 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	On 2/5/24 at 3:24 pm an interview was conducted with Nurse #4. Nurse #4 stated she was assigned to and familiar with Resident #92. The resident had pain in his hands and she would need to see if the resident would allow nail cut. The resident had not refused care. All residents should have their hands and nails washed. If the residents' nails were long and dirty, care was not completed, and the NA had not informed her. Nurse #4 stated residents should have had nail care when assisted with their shower or bath. She expected the NA to provide nail care with the shower or bath and as needed or let the nurse know if unable. On 3/6/24 at 10:40 am an interview was conducted with Nurse Consultant #2. She stated facility staff noticed some issues with the residents' nail condition and directed the staff to audit all residents' fingernails and provide care around 5:00 pm yesterday, 3/5/24. 31227 6. Resident #41 admitted on [DATE] with diagnoses of a cerebral vascular accident (CVA),right side hemiparesis and Diabetes. Review of Resident #41's annual Minimum Data Set, dated dated dated [DATE] indicated he had severe impairment, exhibited no behaviors and was dependent on staff assistance with personal hygiene. Review of Resident #41's comprehensive care plan included a care plan revised on 12/12/23 for staff to check his skin to his right hand with hygiene, before splint placement and removal. There was also a care plan last revised on 10/28/22 for Resident #41's for noncompliance with shaving, weights, showers and medications. Review of Resident #41's cumulative Physician orders included an order dated 1/16/24 for a resting hand splint to his right hand for a contracture. An observation on 3/4/24 at 10:51 AM of Resident #41. He was sitting in a wheelchair in his room. The fingernails to his left hand were long and jagged. Resident #41 opened his right contracted hand slightly enough to observe his fingernails longer than the nails to his left hand. His nails were touching his palm but there was no evidence of any injuries. An observation on 3/5/24 at 9:30 AM was completed of Resident #41. He was lying in bed. The nails to his left hand had been trimmed but his contracted right hand remained unchanged. An interview was completed on 3/5/24 at 9:40 AM with nursing assistant (NA) #6. He stated Resident #41 was a diabetic so the nurses were responsible for trimming his fingernails. He stated he had reported the appearance of Resident #41's fingernails sometime last week or the week before to a nurse but he was unable to recall which nurse it was. NA #6 stated normally the aides completed nail care after showers or bathing and Resident #41 was known to refuse his showers. He stated he was not aware of his refusals of nail care. An observation on 3/6/24 at 10:25 AM was completed of Resident #41. He was sitting in a wheelchair in his room. The fingernails to his right contracted hand were unchanged. (continued on next page)

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F 0677 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Another observation was completed on 3/6/24 at 10:30 AM with the assistant Director of Nursing (ADON) of Resident #41's fingernails on his right hand. The ADON observed his fingernails and confirmed they appeared long. The ADON assessed his palm for injuries and asked if he would allow her to trim his nails and he replied yes. The ADON confirmed Resident #41 was diabetic and stated the nurses were responsible for trimming his fingernails and his fingernails should have not been in the condition observed. An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 10:32 AM with Nurse #8. She stated nurses trim fingernails of all diabetic residents. She stated this was her first day working in a while and that she did not notice the appearance of Resident #41's fingernails this morning. An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 10:40 AM with Nurse Consultant #2. She stated the facility noticed some issues with nailcare and she told the staff to audit all the residents fingernails on 3/5/24. Nurse Consultant #2 stated she expected Resident #41's fingernails to have been trimmed yesterday. A telephone interview was completed on 3/6/24 at10:52 AM with Nurse #6. She confirmed she worked with Resident #41 on 3/4/24 and 3/5/24 from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM. She stated she did not notice his fingernails on either day. Nurse #6 stated she thought an aide trimmed his nails one day last week. When questioned why an aide would trim Resident #41's fingernails, she did not recall that he was diabetic. When questioned if anyone asked her to audit fingernails on 3/5/24, she stated she was not aware of any directive to audit resident fingernails yesterday. A telephone interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 1:54 PM with Nurse #9. She stated she worked 7:00 PM to 7:00 AM on 3/5/24 with Resident #41. She stated she was not aware of any directive to audit resident fingernails. She stated Resident #41 was known to refuse assistance with his activities of daily living (ADLs) and nail care. An interview was completed on 3/7/24 at 9:50 AM with the Administrator. She stated it was her expectation that the nurses provide nail care on Resident #41's hands as indicated on observation.

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F 0690 Level of Harm - Actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Provide appropriate care for residents who are continent or incontinent of bowel/bladder, appropriate catheter care, and appropriate care to prevent urinary tract infections. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 31227 Based on record review, resident, Physician and staff interviews, the facility failed to act on a hospital discharge order for a nephrology follow up appointment for Resident #60 that resulted in her requiring antibiotics to treat UTIs on 5/26/23, 10/11/23, 10/28/23, 1/18/24 and 2/25/24. This was for 1 of 2 residents reviewed for urinary tract infections (UTIs). The findings included: Resident #60 was admitted on [DATE] with cumulative diagnoses of congestive heart failure and chronic kidney disease. Review of Resident #60's hospital discharge summary dated 3/13/23 included an order for a nephrology consult in 2-4 weeks. Resident #60 was care planned on 10/12/23 for current and/or a history of UTIs. Interventions included antibiotics as ordered. Review of Resident #60's electronic medical record read she was treated for UTIs on 5/26/23, 10/11/23, 10/28/23, 1/18/24 and 2/25/24. Review of Resident #60's quarterly Minimum Data Set, dated dated dated [DATE] indicated she was cognitively intact, dependent on staff for toileting, moderate staff assistance with personal hygiene and always incontinent of bladder. Review of Resident #60's electronic medical record from 3/13/23 to 3/6/24 did not include any documentation of any nephrology or urology consultations. An interview was completed on 3/5/24 at 1:40 PM with Resident #60. She stated she had a history of UTIs that caused her dysuria (painful urination). She stated she was not experiencing dysuria at present and was recently treated with an antibiotic for a UTI. She stated she did not recall seeing a nephrologist or urologist for her history of UTIs. Review of Resident #60's March 2024 Physician orders included an order dated 3/5/24 for a renal ultrasound due to urinary retention. Review of a nursing note dated 3/6/24 at 12:53 AM read Resident #60 displayed an altered mental status and complained of discomfort to her suprapubic area. The on-call Physician was notified and new orders were given for a post void in and out catheterization. Review of a nursing note dated 3/6/24 at 1:20 AM read a post void in and out catheterization was completed with the result of 700 cubic centimeter (cc) of urine drained. The note read the on-call Physician ordered Resident #60's Physician to be notified of her post void results. Review of Resident #60's March 2024 Physician orders include new orders dated 3/6/24 for a urinary catheter placement and a urology consult. (continued on next page)

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F 0690 Level of Harm - Actual harm Residents Affected - Few	An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 11:35 AM with the Physician. She stated Resident #60 had a history of UTIs and urinary retention. The Physician stated she expected any orders for consultation with a nephrologist or urologist be scheduled and completed as ordered. An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 1:52 PM with the Administrator. She stated Resident #60's nephrology appointment order from the hospital discharge paperwork dated 3/13/23 was never done and there was new orders obtained today for a urology consultation. A telephone call was attempted on 3/6/24 at 3:37 PM with Nurse #5 who no longer worked at the facility. Nurse #5 entered Resident #60's admission orders on 3/13/123 into the electronic medical record. The surveyor was unable to leave a message for Nurse #5 to return the call. An interview was completed on 3/7/24 at 9:50 AM with the Administrator. She stated she expected all admission orders to be entered into the electronic medical record correctly with a careful review of all hospital discharge orders to ensure no orders were missed.

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F 0692 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Provide enough food/fluids to maintain a resident's health. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40197 Based on record reviews, observations, Responsible Party, Physician and staff interviews, the facility failed to provide dietary supplements as ordered (Residents #84 and #67) for 2 of 6 residents reviewed for nutrition. The findings included: 1. Resident #84 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with diagnoses that included dementia, protein-calorie malnutrition, and adult failure to thrive. A review of Resident #84's physician orders included an order dated 4/24/23 for Magic Cup (a high calorie and protein dessert cup) twice a day with lunch and dinner. An annual Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment dated [DATE] indicated Resident #84 had moderately impaired cognition and required setup assistance for eating. Her weight was coded as 94 pounds. A review of Resident #84's active care plan, last reviewed 1/10/24, included a focus area for increased nutrition/hydration risk related to: received a mechanically altered diet and severe malnutrition requiring high calorie supplements. The interventions included provide diet as ordered and provide supplements per order. On 3/4/24 at 12:34 PM, an observation was made of Resident #84 while she was sitting on the side of the bed with her lunch tray. The meal ticket read that she should have a Magic Cup and soft sandwich present with meal tray. Neither one of these items were present on the lunch tray. Another observation of Resident #84 occurred on 3/5/24 at 12:35 PM, as she was sitting on the side of the bed with her lunch tray. The meal ticket read that a Magic Cup and soft sandwich should be present but neither of those items were present on the meal tray. An interview occurred with Nurse Aide (NA) #1 on 3/5/24 at 12:42 PM who set up the lunch tray for Resident #84. She stated she noticed the Magic Cup wasn't present on the tray but not the soft sandwich. NA #1 explained that those items would be placed on the meal tray from the kitchen staff and was told last week that Magic Cups were not in stock. She added she would call the kitchen to get those items for Resident #84. The Dietary Manager (DM) was interviewed on 3/5/24 at 3:01 PM. She reviewed Resident #84's meal ticket and stated there should be a Magic Cup and soft sandwich on her meal tray at lunch and dinner. She was unaware these items had been missing from the lunch tray on 3/4/24 and 3/5/24. The DM added that Magic Cups were in stock and there were no issues with having it available. The dietary aide was responsible for putting these items on the tray when the meals were being plated. Another interview occurred with the DM on 3/6/24 at 8:15 AM, who stated the Dietary Aides just forgot to put those items on the meal tray for Resident #84 on 3/4/24 and 3/5/24. She stated that each meal ticket should be reviewed at the time of plating to ensure that items are not forgotten. (continued on next page)

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F 0692 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	An interview occurred with Dietary Aide #1 on 3/6/24 at 9:27 AM. She explained that any additional items such as Magic Cups and sandwiches are placed on the meal tray based on the meal ticket and that it was an oversight not to have sent those items to Resident #84 on 3/4/24 and 3/5/24. The Physician was interviewed on 3/6/24 at 11:40 AM and stated that she would expect the facility to provide supplements on meal trays as ordered to give Resident #84 the option to consume those items. The Administrator was interviewed on 3/7/24 at 9:03 AM and stated she would expect supplements and additional items listed on the meal ticket to be present as ordered and indicated. 31227 2. Resident #67 was admitted on [DATE] with a diagnosis of a fractured left humerus. Resident #67 was care planned on 1/11/24 for increased nutrient needs related to inadequate oral intake and being underweight. Weight gains were desirable for greater than 90 pounds (lbs.). Resident #67 was prescribed a regular diet. Interventions included serving supplements as ordered. Review of Resident #67's January 2024 Physician orders included an order dated 1/11/24 for a house supplement twice daily. Her admission Minimum Data Set, dated dated dated [DATE] indicated she had moderate cognitive impairment and required set up only for meals. Review of a weight warning note dated 2/6/24 read Resident #67 had unplanned weight loss, her oral intake remained inadequate and her weight continued to decline. The note read she was on a house supplement for weight loss that was increased to three times daily with a trial of fortified pudding with her lunch daily. Review of Resident #67's March 2024 Physician orders included an order dated 2/6/24 for a regular diet with fortified pudding with her lunch daily and weekly weights. An observation was completed on 3/4/24 at 12:40 PM. Resident #67 was eating in her room without staff assistance. Observation of her meal tray appeared that she had eating approximately 25% and there was no fortified pudding on her tray. Her Responsible Party (RP) was in the room . He stated he had not noticed any weight loss for Resident #67 and stated she had always had a minimal appetite prior to her admission. He stated Resident #67's dominant hand was her right one and that the humerus fracture was to her left arm Another observation was completed on 3/5/24 at 12:55 PM. She had eaten approximately 50% of her meal with no observed fortified pudding on her tray. Observation of her tray ticket did not include the fortified pudding with her lunch. (continued on next page)

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F 0692 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	An interview was completed on 3/5/24 at 1:20 PM with Nurse #4. She stated the nurses gave Resident #67 her house supplement three times a day in the morning, afternoon and at bedtime. Nurse #4 stated most days she does not finish the house supplement and other days she would drink most of it. Nurse #4 stated Resident #67 had a poor oral appetite since admission and apparently that was not unusual for her according to her family. An interview was completed with the dietary manager (DM) on 3/5/24 at 3:00 PM. She stated the fortified pudding was not listed on her tray ticket because she had not received an order for it and was not aware that it was to be added to her lunch tray. Review of Resident #67's weights since admission revealed weight loss from 71.6 lbs. on 2/5/24 to 67.1 lbs. on 3/6/24. An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 11:20 AM with nursing assistant (NA) #4. She stated Resident #67's assistance with meals varied. She stated the nurses gave her a house supplement and that she had not seen fortified pudding on Resident #67's lunch tray. NA #4 stated Resident #67 had never had much of an appetite since admission. An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 11:35 AM with the Physician. She stated Resident #67 had a poor appetite with had poor oral intake since admission. She stated the facility reach out to her RP who stated that was not unusual for Resident #67. The Physician stated she expected any order for supplements were acted on and provided. An interview was completed on 3/6/24 at 12:10 PM with Nurse Consultant #1. She stated the facility identified what happened with the order for the fortified pudding. She stated the original order was entered into the electronic medical record inaccurately and that Resident #67 had never received the fortified pudding with her lunch. An interview was completed on 3/7/24 at 9:50 AM with the Administrator. She stated Resident #67 should have received the fortified pudding with her lunch tray as ordered.

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F 0760 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Ensure that residents are free from significant medication errors. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 46095 Based on staff interviews, Medical Director interview, and record review, the facility failed to prevent a significant medication error for 1 of 2 residents reviewed for medication administration when Depakote (valproic acid) Delayed Release (DR) 125 milligrams (mg), (manages bipolar disorder) was not administered per orders for Resident #26. The findings included: Resident #26 was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. Her relevant diagnosis included bipolar disorder, anxiety, and depression. The most recent Minimum Data Set (MDS) coded as an admission assessment on 02/07/24 revealed Resident #26 was cognitively intact. No behaviors coded and no rejection of care were coded. Record review of active medications revealed an order dated 01/03/24 that read Depakote (valproic acid) Oral Tablet DR 125 mg, give 1 tablet by mouth two times a day related to bipolar disorder. The Medication Administration Record (MAR) for February 2024 revealed Depakote (valproic acid) 125mg DR by mouth twice a day was administered. The MAR for March 2024 revealed Depakote (valproic acid) 125mg DR by mouth twice a day was administered from 03/01/24 through 03/04/24. An observation and interview were made on 03/05/24 at 8:39 AM with Nurse #1 during the medication pass. As she prepared medications for Resident #26 an observation was made of one bubble pack card of Depakote (valproic acid) 250 mg DR. tablets. These were the only Depakote (valproic acid) tablets observed on the medication cart for Resident #26. She stated she administered Depakote (valproic acid) 125 mg sprinkles capsule on 03/04/24, however there were no Depakote (valproic acid) 125 mg sprinkle capsules available on the medication cart. Further inspection of the Depakote (valproic acid) 250 mg tablet cards revealed 4 out of 30 tablets were missing. Nurse #1 retrieved the correct dose of 125 mg of Depakote (valproic acid) from the facility back up system and administered it. Pharmacy medication delivery summary for Resident #26 revealed Depakote (valproic acid) 250 mg tablets were received on 02/01/24 and on 03/01/24. Valproic Acid level (measures the amount of valproic acid in the blood) report for Resident #26 dated 03/06/24 revealed the resident had a level of 22.4 micrograms (mcg)/milliliter (ml), the reference range was 50.0-100.0 mcg/ml. On 03/05/24 at 9:39 AM an interview was conducted with Nurse #1. She stated she called the pharmacy to clarify the order on 03/04/24 for Depakote (valproic acid) 125 mg DR tablets and they did not have the correct order. She then stated Depakote (valproic acid) 125 mg DR tablets will arrive at the facility this evening. (continued on next page)

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F 0760 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	An interview and observation were conducted on 03/06/24 at 10:44 AM with Nurse #7, she stated she had worked at the facility full time for approximately one year. She indicated she regularly worked first shift (7:00 AM-7:00 PM) on the 400 hall, and the Depakote (valproic acid) 250 mg DR tablets was the dosage that pharmacy had been delivering for Resident #26. She further stated she administered the Depakote tablets that were in the medication cart, which was Depakote 250 mg. She verified the name of the medication compared to the Medication Administration Record (MAR) but stated she did not look at the dosage prior to pulling the medication. An observation conducted with Nurse #7 in the medication room revealed 2 medication cards located in a tote that read, return to pharmacy. Nurse #7 verified the medication cards for Resident #26 were labeled Depakote 250mg tablets and those were the cards that were in the medication cart available for use until they were removed from the medication cart on 3/4/24. An interview was conducted on 03/06/24 at 11:35 AM with the Medical Director. She stated the medications should always be administered per order and staff should compare the medication to the Medication Administration Record (MAR) for accuracy. She also stated she would be ordering a valproic acid level to ensure Resident #26 was at therapeutic level. She further stated no abnormal behaviors had been reported regarding Resident #26. An interview was conducted on 03/06/24 at 1:17 PM with the Director of Nursing (DON). She stated she was not aware the pharmacy had sent the incorrect dose of Depakote to Resident #26 until the error was brought to her attention. She stated nurses were to follow the rights of medication administration when administering any medication, which included the correct dose. A phone interview was conducted on 03/06/24 at 2:52 PM with the Pharmacy Manager. She stated she did not know why Depakote (valproic acid) 250 mg was sent to the facility on [DATE] or 03/01/24. She verified the order they had on file was Depakote (valproic acid) 125 mg twice a day since October 2023. She also stated the facility had not reported the error to them. She indicated when the facility notifies them of an error, they immediately initiate an investigation to include root cause analysis, interviews, and education. An interview was conducted on 03/06/24 at 3:41 PM with the Director of Nursing (DON). She stated that the medications should be given per order. A phone interview was conducted on 03/06/24 at 5:34 PM with Nurse #10. She verified she worked 03/03/24 and 03/04/24 from 7:00 PM-7:00 AM. She stated she was familiar with Resident #26's medication orders. She indicated she normally compares the medication card with the Medication Administration Record (MAR) but there was a possibility that she did not verify the Depakote (valproic acid) dosage amount. She verified she did not withdraw any medications from the backup system for Resident #26, she administered the Depakote tablet that was in the medication cart. An interview was conducted on 03/07/24 at 9:12 AM with the Administrator. She stated she expects nurses to administer medications following the rights of medication administration, which includes the ordered dose.

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F 0761 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Ensure drugs and biologicals used in the facility are labeled in accordance with currently accepted professional principles; and all drugs and biologicals must be stored in locked compartments, separately locked, compartments for controlled drugs. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 46095 Based on record review, observations and interviews with resident and staff, the facility failed to assure that medications were secure and inaccessible to unauthorized staff and residents when the nurse left the medications at bedside for 1 of 2 residents (Resident #25). The facility also failed to date multi-use medications upon opening in 2 of 2 medication carts (400 hall and 500 hall medication carts) reviewed for medication storage. Findings included: 1. Resident #25 ' s was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with diagnosis that included hypertension, chronic kidney disease, anxiety, depression, restless legs syndrome, polyneuropathy, and essential tremors. Resident #25 ' s quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment indicated her cognition was moderately impaired. No behaviors or rejection of care were coded. On [DATE] at 10:00 AM an observation was made of medications in a medication cup sitting on Resident #25 ' s bedside table. Resident #25 stated the pills had been on the table since before breakfast. Observed breakfast plate sitting on bedside table and Resident #25 stated she had completed her breakfast a while back. She stated she did not know why the pills had been left there, as she did not ask the nurse to leave them. She did not indicate she was going to take the medications. An observation and interview were conducted on [DATE] at 10:01 with AM the Director of Nursing (DON). The DON approached this surveyor in front of Resident #25 ' s doorway and asked if this surveyor needed assistance. The surveyor explained there was a cup of medications at the bedside for Resident #25. The DON verified the medications were at bedside and retrieved them. She stated Nurse #1 should have observed Resident #25 taking the medications and they should not be left at bedside. The DON gave the medications to Nurse #1 as she approached her in the hall. An interview was conducted on [DATE] at 10:02 AM with Nurse #1. She verified she was the nurse that left Resident #25 ' s morning medications on the bedside table for her to take. She stated another resident was in the hall and was attempting to stand up unassisted, so she sat the medications on the table and went to assist the other resident. She further stated she forgot to return to the room to administer the medications after she assured the other resident was safe. She administered the medications to the resident with surveyor and DON present. She further stated the medications should be secured and Resident #25 did not have an order to self-administer medications. The medications left in the medication cup at bedside included the following: extra strength acetaminophen 500 milligram (mg) 2 tablets, senna-s 8XXX,d+[DATE]mg 1 tablet, cranberry capsule 250mg, vitamin-D 1000 units 2 capsules, famotidine 20mg 1 tablet, ferrous gluconate 324mg 1 tablet, Norvasc 2.5mg 1 tablet, gabapentin 100mg 2 capsules, buspirone 5mg 1 tablet, Lisinopril 20mg 1 tablet, Zoloft 25mg 1 tablet, and Zoloft 50mg 1 tablet. (continued on next page)

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F 0761 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	An interview was conducted with the Director of Nursing (DON) on [DATE] at 1:17 PM. She stated medications should not be left at bedside unsecure unless the resident has an order for self-administration. An interview was conducted with the Administrator on [DATE] at 9:12 AM. She was unaware the medications were left unattended for an extended amount of time. She indicated medications should be locked in the medication cart or taken by the resident in the presence of the nurse and should not be left at bedside. 2. An observation was conducted on [DATE] at 11:05 AM of the 400 Hall medication cart in the presence of Nurse #1. The observation revealed no opened date on the following multi-dose medications: a. One multi-dose open foil package of Levalbuterol 1.25 milligram (mg) nebulizer inhalation solution vials. The manufacturer ' s recommendation was to discard 7 days after opening. b. Two multi-dose open foil packages of Ipratropium Bromide/Albuterol Sulfate 0.5mg/3ml inhalation vials. The manufacturer ' s recommendation was to discard 7 days after opening. Nurse #1 verified the medications were not dated and she removed them from the medication cart and discarded them. She revealed she knew the foil packages were to be dated when they were opened. She indicated nurses were to write the date on all multi-dose medications upon opening and check dates on all medications prior to administration to make sure they were not expired. She then stated she did not realize the medications were not dated. She further stated that the nurses should be checking the medication carts daily prior to administration. 3. An observation was conducted on [DATE] at 11:15 AM of the 500 Hall medication cart in the presence of the Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON). The observation revealed no opened date on two multi-dose open foil packages of Ipratropium Bromide/Albuterol Sulfate 0.5mg/3ml inhalation. The manufacturer ' s recommendation was to discard 7 days after opening. The ADON stated she reviews the medication carts every Monday to check for expired and/or undated medications. She also stated she knew the foil packages were to be dated when they were opened. An interview was conducted with Nurse #4 on [DATE] at 11:23 AM. She verified she was the nurse for the 500 hall. She stated she did not know the foil packages for nebulizer solution vials were to be dated when they were opened. She indicated she was a new nurse and had not been told she needed to date the multi-use packages. An interview was conducted with the Director of Nursing (DON) on [DATE] at 1:17 PM. She stated nurses were to date multi-dose medications upon opening and they should be checking for dates daily prior to administration.

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F 0812 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Procure food from sources approved or considered satisfactory and store, prepare, distribute and serve food in accordance with professional standards. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 38129 Based on observation, record review and interviews of staff, the facility failed to: 1) label, date and discard expired food items observed in the walk-in refrigerator for 1 of 1 refrigerator observed; 2) enforce hair restraint during meal preparation and food plating in the kitchen for 2 of 4 staff observed; 3) keep milk at 41 degrees Fahrenheit or below during meal service; and 4) repair the kitchen ceiling which was observed to have paint and drywall flaking and peeling above the cooking, serving, preparation and general areas of the kitchen. Findings included: 1. On [DATE] at 10:00 am the initial kitchen observation was conducted with the Dietary Manager. During observation of the walk-in refrigerator, the following was observed to be expired or not dated and opened: Turkey sandwich meat had no date, was opened, and the plastic was not covering the meat. Cooked ham was wrapped in plastic and labeled with a discard date of [DATE], which was expired. Shredded cheese was opened and not dated. Sliced cheese was not completely wrapped and not dated. There were 2 containers of chocolate pudding. One had a discard date of [DATE] and one had a discard date of [DATE] respectively. Both items were expired. On [DATE] at 10:00 am an interview was conducted with the Dietary Manager. The Dietary Manager stated the Cook was responsible for discarding expired food and labeling food items. The Cook was not available for interview during the survey. The Dietary Manager stated all opened food should be dated after opening and all food checked daily for expiration and discarded accordingly. On [DATE] at 10:20 am the Administrator was interviewed. The Administrator stated she was not aware opened and expired food was not discarded or label dated for the discard date. The cook was responsible for daily food check and labeling. 2.On [DATE] at 10:00 am an observation was completed of dietary staff. The Dietary Manager (DM) was noted to have multiple hair braids half-way down her back. She had a hair net on her scalp only and not over her braids as evidenced by free movement and a lack of netting during movement throughout the kitchen and storage initial observation. Food was being prepped at this time. On [DATE] at 12:20 pm an observation was completed of lunch food plating by the Dietary Manager. The Dietary Manager was observed from the kitchen door during dining room meal observation to have long braids that were not covered by a hair net. The braids were observed to swing freely and the scalp was covered with a hair net. (continued on next page)

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F 0812 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	On [DATE] at 12:25 pm an observation and interview was done with Dietary Aide #2. Dietary Aide #2 was observed to assist lunch plating and was present during meal prep. He had long curls approximately 12 inches down his back and not in a hair net. His hair net covered the scalp only. Dietary Aide #2 stated he was not aware a hair net was required to cover his curls. The facility in-service for protecting food during preparation documented (no date) hair restraints as part of physical contamination prevention. On [DATE] at 3:10 pm the Dietary Manager was interviewed. The Dietary Manager stated she was not aware that braided or tied hair (all hair) was required to be placed in a hair net while in the kitchen for all staff. The Dietary Manager stated she was aware Dietary Aide #2 had long curls not inside of a hair net and would follow up. On [DATE] at 10:20 am the Administrator was interviewed. The Administrator stated she was not aware that dietary staff had not covered all hair with a hair net. All hair was required to be covered. 3.On [DATE] at 12:20 pm the temperature check for the lunch meal was observed. After all hot food was checked and reheated as needed, dietary staff was requested to check a milk carton that had been sitting for 15 minutes on a metal tray with ice on top. The drinks were taken from the refrigerator at 12:05 pm and placed on the tray. The staff had not checked any of the cold drinks and were ready to plate. The Corporate Dietary Consultant was asked to check the temperature of a carton of milk, and it recorded 44.5 degrees Fahrenheit after three rechecks. The Consultant commented that the milk temperature had not met the 41 degrees criteria and the cold drinks would need to be returned to the refrigerator. On [DATE] at 10:20 am the Administrator was interviewed. The Administrator stated she was not aware milk cartons stored on ice after being taken out of the refrigerator during plating had not met the temperature criteria and would follow up with the DM. 4. On [DATE] at 12:05 pm an observation and interview was conducted with the Dietary Manager (DM) and Corporate Dietary Consultant. The kitchen ceiling was observed to be peeling in several areas of the kitchen including over the food preparation area, food plating area, steam table, and steam oven, as well as general areas. The Dietary Manager stated she had notified maintenance early last week that the kitchen ceiling needed maintenance which had not been completed to date ([DATE]). The Corporate Dietary Consultant acknowledged the peeling ceiling areas were over open food areas which was a potential for physical food contamination. On [DATE] at 12:20 pm an observation and interview was done with the Maintenance Manager. The Maintenance Manager stated he was provided information early last week that the ceiling in the kitchen needed repair but had no time to evaluate the situation. During observation of the kitchen ceiling, the Maintenance Manager stated the areas of ceiling paint that was peeling was larger and more significant than he thought. He stated that it would need to be fixed immediately because the ceiling was peeling over food preparation areas. The Maintenance Manager stated he was notified last week the kitchen needed maintenance, but the areas were large and involved several areas. He commented that this had been a problem for a while (before early last week). On [DATE] at 10:20 am the Administrator was interviewed. The Administrator stated she was not aware the kitchen ceiling needed repair and would follow up with the Maintenance Manager.

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F 0867 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Some	Set up an ongoing quality assessment and assurance group to review quality deficiencies and develop corrective plans of action. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 31227 Based on observations, record review, resident and staff interviews the facility's Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement (QAPI) committee failed to maintain implemented effective procedures and monitor the interventions that the committee put into place following recertification survey dated [DATE] for three deficiencies in the areas of safe/clean/comfortable/homelike environment (584), quality of care (690) and label/store drugs and biological's (761). The facility also failed to maintain implemented effective procedures and monitor the interventions that the committee put into place following recertification survey dated [DATE] for one deficiency in the area of quality of life (677). The continued failure of the facility during three federal surveys of record showed a pattern of the facility's inability to sustain an effective QAPI program. Findings included: This tag is cross referenced to: F584: Based on observations, record review, and interviews of residents and staff, the facility failed to provide a clean, home-like environment in the main dining room as evidenced by a dirty, sticky floor and a dirty window and failed to repair a leaking roof. During a recertification survey dated [DATE] the facility failed to clean the Packaged Terminal Air Conditioner (PTAC) units (a type of heating and air conditioning system used in a single living space) in residents' rooms. F690: Based on record review, resident, Physician and staff interviews, the facility failed to act on a hospital discharge order for a nephrology follow up appointment for Resident #60. This was for 1 of 2 residents reviewed for urinary tract infections (UTIs). During a recertification survey dated [DATE] the facility failed to follow up on a laboratory results for a resident reviewed for urinary tract infections (UTIs). F761: Based on record review, observations and interviews with resident and staff, the facility failed to assure that medications were secure and inaccessible to unauthorized staff and residents when the nurse left the medications at bedside for 1 of 2 residents (Resident #25). The facility also failed to date multi-use medications upon opening in 2 of 2 medication carts (400 hall and 500 hall medication carts) reviewed for medication storage. During a recertification survey dated [DATE] the facility failed to discard expired multi-dose inhaler and to date multi-dose inhalers and protein supplements. F677: Based on observation, record review and interviews of residents and staff, the facility failed to provide dependent residents with nail care for 6 of 6 residents reviewed for activities of daily living (ADL) [Resident #s 14, 20, 35, 61, 76, and 92]. During a recertification survey dated [DATE] the facility failed to trim and clean dependent residents' nails and failed to ensure a resident was free from unwanted facial hair. (continued on next page)

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