

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 366238	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 02/26/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Norwood Towers Post-Acute		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1500 Sherman Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45212	
For information on the nursing home's plan to correct this deficiency, please contact the nursing home or the state survey agency.			
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<p>F 0760</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that residents are free from significant medication errors.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** THE FOLLOWING DEFICIENCY REPRESENTS AN INCIDENT OF PAST NONCOMPLIANCE THAT WAS SUBSEQUENTLY CORRECTED PRIOR TO THIS SURVEY. Based on medical record review, staff interview, and review of the facility policy, the facility failed to ensure residents were free of significant medication errors. This affected one (Resident #44) of three residents reviewed for medication administration. The facility census was 101 residents. Findings include: Review of the medical record for Resident #44 revealed an admission date of 11/24/15 with diagnoses including cerebral infarction, type two diabetes, and dementia. Review of the Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment for Resident #44 dated 02/10/26 revealed the resident had severe cognitive impairment and was dependent on staff for activities of daily living (ADLs). Review of a progress note for Resident #44 dated 02/18/26 per Nurse Practitioner (NP) #368 revealed she was notified that nursing staff had administered the wrong medications to the resident on 02/17/26. Resident #44 received Clozapine 200 milligrams (mg), Depakote 250 mg, Niacin 250 mg, and Haldol mg. Staff notified the on-call provider when the incident occurred, and the provider gave orders for labs and to check the resident's vital signs every four hours. Staff reported on 02/18/26 that Resident #44 was lethargic and hard to rouse, was drooling, had an elevated heart rate, and had three episodes of emesis. NP #368 contacted poison control, and staff sent Resident #44 to the emergency department for further evaluation upon the recommendation of poison control. Review of nurse progress note for Resident #44 dated 02/18/26 revealed staff administered the wrong medication to Resident #44 on 2/17/26. On the morning of 02/18/26 Resident #44 presented as lethargic and difficult to rouse and had three episodes of vomiting and drooling. Staff notified NP#368 who gave an order to send Resident #44 to the hospital. Review of the hospital discharge paperwork for Resident #44 dated 02/18/26 revealed the resident was admitted to the hospital on [DATE] due to unintentional ingestion of medications not prescribed. She had a computed tomography (CT) scan that showed no acute intracranial abnormality. Her mental status improved back to baseline after 24 hours. Interview on 02/24/26 at 4:15 P.M. with Medication Technician (MT #272) confirmed when she was completing medication administration on the evening of 02/17/26 she pulled the medication for a resident. MT #272 stated she became distracted by another resident and when she saw Resident #44 by the medication cart she administered the medication she had pulled. MT #272 reported she then realized she had administered the wrong medication to Resident #44 and immediately notified the nurse who reported the incident to the on-call provider. Interview on 02/24/26 at 3:00 P.M. with Resident #44 confirmed facility staff gave her the wrong medication and she was sent to the hospital afterwards. Interviews on 02/24/26 at 5:10 P.M. with the Administrator and the Director of Nursing (DON) confirmed MT #272 administered the wrong medication to Resident #44 on 02/17/26 and the resident had to go to the hospital for evaluation on 02/18/26 and returned with no new orders. Review of the facility policy titled Administrating Medication revised April 2019 revealed the individual administering the medication should verify the residents identity before giving them medication. The</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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