

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:  395298	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED  01/16/2026
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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> <p>Note: The nursing home is disputing this citation.</p>	<p>Protect each resident from all types of abuse such as physical, mental, sexual abuse, physical punishment, and neglect by anybody.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</b> Based on review of select facility policies, clinical records, facility-provided investigative documentation, observations, and staff interviews, it was determined the facility failed to ensure that one resident (Resident 1) was free from sexual abuse perpetrated by another resident (Resident 2). This failure placed one of eight residents sampled in Immediate Jeopardy to the health and safety of residents. Findings include: A review of the current facility policy entitled Abuse Prevention Program, last reviewed by the facility December 8, 2025, revealed the residents have the right to be free from abuse, neglect, misappropriation of resident property and exploitation. A review of the facility policy entitled Identifying Sexual Abuse and Capacity to Consent last reviewed December 8, 2025, revealed sexual abuse is non-consensual sexual conduct of any type with a resident. Sexual abuse includes but is not limited to unwanted intimate sexual touching of any kind especially to the breasts or perineal area. Further it is indicated that sexual contact is non-consensual if the resident appears to want the contact to occur but lacks the cognitive ability to consent. The policy further revealed the facility will investigate and protect a resident from non-consensual sexual relations any time there is a reason to suspect that the resident does not wish to engage in sexual activity or may not have the capacity to consent. The policy revealed that during an investigation into sexual abuse, evidence will be preserved and not tampered with. The policy identified examples of tampering as washing linens or clothing, destroying documentation, bathing or cleaning the resident before the resident has been examined including a rape kit, or otherwise impeding a law enforcement investigation. Clinical record review revealed that Resident 1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE], with a diagnosis of dementia (a condition characterized by progressive or persistent loss of intellectual functioning, especially with impairment of memory and abstract thinking, and often with personality change, resulting from organic disease of the brain). An Annual Minimum Data Set assessment (MDS, a federally mandated standardized assessment process completed periodically to plan resident care) dated October 21, 2025, revealed that the resident had a BIMS score of 7 (Brief Interview for Mental Status a tool within the Cognitive Section of the MDS that assesses the resident's attention, orientation, and ability to register and recall new information. A score of 0-7 indicates severe cognitive impairment, reflecting impaired judgment and decision-making capacity). Clinical record review revealed the facility admitted Resident 2 on November 18, 2025, with a diagnosis of cerebral infarction (occurs when a blood vessel to the brain is blocked, causing tissue death due to a lack of oxygen and nutrients). A review of an admission MDS dated [DATE], revealed that Resident 2 had a BIMS score of 14 (a score of 13-15 indicates cognition is intact). A review of facility-provided investigative documentation revealed that on January 1, 2026, at 7:50 PM Resident 1 was in the shared bathroom connecting her room and Resident 2's room. The documentation indicated that Employee 1 (Nurse Aide) observed Resident 1 unlock and slightly open the door to Resident 2's room, which was documented as a</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 0609</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Timely report suspected abuse, neglect, or theft and report the results of the investigation to proper authorities.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</b> Based on a review of clinical records, information submitted by the facility, the facility's abuse prohibition policy and staff interviews, it was determined the facility failed to accurately and completely report and document an alleged incident of sexual abuse for 1 of 8 residents reviewed (Resident 1) to the State Survey Agency and the Area Agency on Aging. Findings include: A review of facility policy entitled Abuse Protection last reviewed by the facility on December 8, 2025, revealed under the category Reporting Serious crimes, it is the facility's responsibility to report any occurrences of abuse, neglect, misappropriation of resident property, and suspicions of a crime to the State Survey Agency, Department of Aging and local law enforcement. The policy further revealed if the reportable event resulted in serious bodily injury (sexual abuse), the facility is to report the event within 2 hours of forming the suspicion. A review of a facility policy entitled Identifying Sexual Abuse and Capacity to Consent last reviewed by the facility on December 8, 2025, revealed for any alleged violation of sexual abuse, protective measure and an investigation will begin immediately. The policy further details the protective measures, and investigation will include immediately implementing safeguards to prevent further potential abuse, immediately reporting the allegation to the appropriate authorities, conducting a thorough investigation of the allegation, including the resident's capacity to consent, and thoroughly documenting and reporting the result of the investigation of the allegation. A review of clinical record revealed that Resident 1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE], with a diagnosis of dementia (a condition characterized by progressive or persistent loss of intellectual functioning, especially with impairment of memory and abstract thinking, and often with personality change, resulting from organic disease of the brain). An Annual Minimum Data Set assessment (MDS, a federally mandated standardized assessment process completed periodically to plan resident care) dated October 21, 2025, revealed that the resident had a BIMS score of 7 (Brief Interview for Mental Status a tool within the Cognitive Section of the MDS that assesses the resident's attention, orientation, and ability to register and recall new information; a score of 0-7 indicates severe cognitive impairment. Clinical record review revealed that Resident 2 was admitted to the facility on [DATE], with a diagnosis of cerebral infarction (a type of stroke that occurs when blood flow to the brain is blocked, resulting in damage to brain tissue). An admission Minimum Data Set assessment dated [DATE], indicated Resident 2 had a BIMS score of 14, which reflects intact cognition (a score of 13-15 indicates cognition is intact). Review of a facility-provided abuse investigation report revealed that on January 11, 2026, at approximately 1:15 AM, a nurse aide (Employee 3) observed Resident 1 on Resident 2's bed. The report documented that Resident 2 was seated in his wheelchair at the bedside and Resident 1 was unclothed. The report further stated both residents indicated they were talking and concluded there was no evidence of penetration. However, review of a written witness statement completed by Employee 3 revealed additional information not accurately reflected in the facility's report. Employee 3 documented that at approximately 12:50 AM, Resident 1 was last observed seated in her chair. During routine rounds, Employee 3 noted Resident 1 was no longer in her bed and her wheelchair was empty and positioned beside the bed. Employee 3 checked the shared bathroom, which was locked, and then entered Resident 2's room where Resident 1 was found unclothed in Resident 2's bed. The witness statement documented that Resident 2 was observed touching Resident 1's vaginal area while Resident 1's legs were open. Employee 3 documented she immediately called for supervisory assistance. The statement further documented that Resident 1 walked to the bathroom, put her gown back on, and was escorted back to her room, where she complained of vaginal pain and was observed checking</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0835</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Administer the facility in a manner that enables it to use its resources effectively and efficiently.</p> <p>Based on a review of clinical records, select facility policies, documentation provided by the facility, and interviews with residents and staff, it was determined that the facility failed to effectively use its resources to promote resident safety and maintain the highest practicable physical and mental well-being of residents in accordance with federal requirements. Specifically, the facility's administration failed to ensure that one of eight residents sampled (Resident 1) was free from sexual abuse perpetrated by another resident (Resident 2). This failure resulted in Immediate Jeopardy to resident health and safety. Findings included: A review of the job description for the Nursing Home Administrator (NHA) signed and dated August 19, 2024, revealed the administrator will be knowledgeable of and demonstrate the ability to provide quality care by fostering a safe environment for residents and staff, providing emotional and psychological support for the residents within the facility, directing, and overseeing the day-to-day operation of the facility to ensure that the highest degree of quality care is maintained at all times in accordance with current state and federal standards, and implementing and enforcing company policies and procedures. The Job Description for Director of Nursing (DON) Services signed and dated October 1, 2025, revealed the DON will assure resident safety through nursing staff, evaluate effects of care delivered and assign special treatments when indicated, and review and revise care plans and assessments as necessary. Review of facility documentation and interviews with staff revealed that administrative oversight failed to ensure effective coordination, monitoring, and implementation of facility systems designed to protect residents from abuse. Specifically, the facility failed to identify, mitigate, and manage known and foreseeable risks associated with resident interactions, particularly for residents with cognitive impairment (a condition that limits a person's ability to understand, process, or make safe decisions), thereby failing to protect Resident 1 from sexual abuse by Resident 2. The failure of the Administrator and Director of Nursing to carry out their respective administrative responsibilities demonstrated ineffective use of facility resources, including failure to ensure appropriate supervision, failure to ensure consistent implementation of facility policies related to resident safety and abuse prevention, and failure to ensure timely administrative intervention when resident safety risks were present. As a result of these administrative failures, the facility did not maintain an effective system of oversight to ensure residents were protected from abuse, and one resident experienced sexual abuse, placing residents, particularly those who were cognitively impaired, at continued risk for serious harm. This deficient practice is directly related to and supported by the Immediate Jeopardy citation under F600 (Freedom from Abuse, 42 CFR S483.12), which identified that the lack of effective administrative oversight, monitoring, and enforcement of policies by facility leadership contributed to the Immediate Jeopardy situation. Refer F600 28 Pa. Code: 201.14 (a) Responsibility of licensee 28 Pa. Code: 201.18 (e)(1) Management 28 Pa. Code 211.12 (d)(3) Nursing services</p>		