

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 425303	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 01/23/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Lake Emory Post Acute Care		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 59 Blackstock Road Inman, SC 29349	
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F 0689 Level of Harm - Actual harm Residents Affected - Few	<p>Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents.</p> <p>Based on observations, record reviews, interviews, and policy review, the facility failed to provide adequate supervision and maintain an environment free from accidental hazards for one (1) of two (2) residents reviewed for falls (Resident (R)15). R15 had ten documented falls between August 24, 2025, and December 12, 2025, three (3) of which resulted in fractures. A fall on August 24, 2025, resulted in a nasal fracture, and a fall on September 10, 2025, resulted in a subdural hematoma and right clavicle fracture. Specifically, the facility failed to identify an environmental hazard for a resident with a known history of falls. On December 12, 2025 at 3:20 p.m., the facility failed to identify an environmental hazard for a resident with a known history of falls. The facility staff left a grey rolling trash can near the resident's room; when the resident tried to use the trash can for support, it rolled away, causing the resident to fall and sustain a right femur fracture. Findings include: The facility's policy, Accident/Incident Reporting, revised 11/1/17, defined an incident as any adverse outcome directly resulting from treatment or care, and an accident as any unexpected, unintended event that can result in bodily injury. During the initial tour, on 1/21/26 at 9:25 a.m., of the C Hallway, R15's room was observed to have the resident's name displayed. The room was located near the outside exit door closest to the blue trash dumpsters and far from the nurse's station. On 1/21/26 at 10:00 a.m., observation of a church service revealed R15 in a wheelchair with anti-tippers, a cushion, and portable oxygen. The resident was wearing weather-appropriate clothing and non-skid footwear. At 11:30 a.m., the resident was observed in a wheelchair in front of the nurse's desk. On 1/22/26 at 8:40 a.m., the resident was seen in the common area of C Hallway eating breakfast, with staff visible in the hallway. The facility admitted R15 on 11/14/24 with diagnoses including a displaced left humerus fracture, severe dementia with anxiety, and muscle weakness. The resident's Morse Fall Scale score, dated 8/2/25, was 50, indicating a high risk of falls. The Quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment, dated 6/30/25, prior to the 8/24/25 nasal fracture, showed a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) score of 00/15, indicating R15 had severe impairment, signaling the highest level of cognitive struggle. The facility assessed the resident as having minimal hearing difficulty, unclear speech, and disorganized thinking, along with daily wandering and delusional behaviors. R15 had upper extremity impairment, but no lower extremity impairment. The resident was functionally independent but required set-up assistance with toilet transfers and partial to moderate assistance with showering. The MDS noted two prior non-injury falls. A Significant Change MDS, with an Assessment Reference Date (ARD) of 9/25/25, revealed that R15 re-entered the facility on 9/12/25 following an acute hospital stay. The resident's BIMS score was 99, indicating the resident was unable to complete the interview. R15 exhibited both short-term and long-term memory loss and was severely impaired. The resident also demonstrated inattention and disorganization. The Patient Health Questionnaire-9 (PHQ-9) assessment showed the resident had little interest or pleasure in activities, along with feelings of sadness, depression, or hopelessness. R15 displayed daily wandering</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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