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<p>F 0550</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Honor the resident's right to a dignified existence, self-determination, communication, and to exercise his or her rights.</p> <p>42558</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, record review, policy review, and South Dakota (SD) State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program handbook review, the provider failed to ensure:</p> <p>*One of one sampled resident (31) had received diabetic fingernail care to maintain a dignified appearance.</p> <p>*One of one sampled resident (8) was dressed in a dignified manner.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation and interview on 11/5/24 at 9:26 a.m. with resident 31 while she rested in her bed revealed:</p> <p>*She was chewing and sucking on her left index and middle finger and stated she was hungry.</p> <p>*Inspection of both hands revealed she had long, uneven, fingernails that extended approximately one-fourth of an inch beyond her finger pads.</p> <p>-There was a dark brown build-up of an unknown substance caked under each fingernail that extended outwards from the edge of each finger pad to the middle of each fingernail.</p> <p>*An odor of feces was detected at her bedside.</p> <p>Observation and interview on 11/6/24 at 9:40 a.m. with the assistant director of nursing (ADON) C and contracted hospice registered nurse (RN) L during resident 31's wound care to her right lateral foot revealed:</p> <p>*ADON C stated she was the provider's wound care nurse.</p> <p>*Hospice RN L stated the resident received a bed bath once weekly from the hospice aides.</p> <p>*Resident 31 was lying in her bed and was sucking on her left index finger during her wound care treatment.</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 0550</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>*ADON C stated:</p> <p>-Every resident was expected to be provided nail care on their bath days.</p> <p>-Resident 31 was provided fingernail care following every meal, or at a minimum of once daily as the resident liked to dig [in her feces].</p> <p>-Since resident 31 was a diabetic, the resident's charge nurse was expected to provide her fingernail care. A podiatrist provided her with toenail care.</p> <p>*Both ADON C and hospice RN L confirmed resident 31's fingernails were long and caked with a brown substance.</p> <p>Review of resident 31's electronic medical record (EMR) revealed:</p> <p>*She had been on hospice care since April of 2024 for end-of-life care related to multiple co-morbidities that included: advanced dementia with agitation, late-onset Alzheimer's disease, congestive heart failure, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, peripheral vascular disease, cerebrovascular disease, and type 2 diabetes mellitus with peripheral angiopathy with gangrene.</p> <p>*She had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) assessment score of four, which indicated she had severe cognitive impairment.</p> <p>*She was dependent on staff for all her hygiene needs including bathing, personal hygiene, and incontinence care.</p> <p>*A nurse provided a daily dressing treatment to her right foot and completed with weekly assessments of her skin.</p> <p>*Review of her physician's orders, treatment orders, nursing documentation, and CNA care task documentation had not indicated when and by whom nail care was to have been completed.</p> <p>On 11/6/24 at 1:37 p.m., a request was made to the provider for a nail care policy and documentation of resident 31's completed fingernail care.</p> <p>Interview on 11/6/24 at 3:20 p.m. with the director of nursing (DON) B regarding resident 31's fingernail observations and nail care revealed:</p> <p>*She stated the nail care policy was included in the bathing policy.</p> <p>*She stated they had no documentation of when her diabetic nail care was completed, but it was her expectation the bathing policy would have been followed by staff, which indicated nail care would be performed with each bath.</p> <p>-Diabetic nail care was expected to be performed by the nurses and all the nurses were expected to know this was to occur on the resident's bath days.</p> <p>*She confirmed the performance and documentation of diabetic nail care needed to be improved.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0583</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Keep residents' personal and medical records private and confidential.</p> <p>40788</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, South Dakota (SD) State Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program handbook review, and policy review, the provider failed to ensure:</p> <p>*Window coverings in 12 of 14 resident rooms (301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 309, 311, 312, 314, and 316) located in the 300 Hall had protected those residents' right to privacy.</p> <p>*Window coverings in 5 of 9 resident rooms (105, 107, 111, 113, and 115) located in the 100 hall had protected those residents' right to privacy.</p> <p>*One of 14 residents' (2) electronic medical records (EMR) were secured and not accessible to other residents, staff, or the public.</p> <p>*One of two medication carts were locked and medications were not accessible to other residents, staff, and the public by one of one registered nurse (RN) J in the Main dining room during the noon medication pass.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation on 11/4/24 at 7:15 p.m. on the sidewalk leading to the main entrance of the facility revealed:</p> <p>*Resident rooms on the north side of the 300 hallway ran parallel to that sidewalk.</p> <p>-The windows in those rooms faced the visitor's parking lot.</p> <p>*The inside of those rooms were visible despite the window shades in those rooms having been pulled down.</p> <p>*Resident rooms on the south side of the 300 hallway had the same type of window shade coverings.</p> <p>-Those windows faced an employee parking lot.</p> <p>Observation on 11/5/24 at 7:30 a.m. on the same sidewalk referred to above revealed the insides of the residents' rooms on the north side of the 300 hallway were not visible through the pulled down window shades during daylight hours.</p> <p>Observation and interview on 11/5/24 at 4:50 p.m. with administrator A on the sidewalk above revealed:</p> <p>*The insides of the resident rooms on the north side of the 300 hall were visible despite the window shades having been pulled down.</p> <p>*Administrator A had not known the pulled window shades failed to protect the privacy of the residents who occupied those rooms.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0583</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Interview on 10/6/24 at 2:52 p.m. with director of nursing (DON) B regarding the above observation revealed:</p> <p>*She expected the staff to minimize or lock the computer screen and to make sure the medication cart was locked, and the keys were always with them.</p> <p>Review of provider's September 2019 Resident Dignity & Privacy policy revealed:</p> <p>*Policy.</p> <p>-It is the practice of this facility to protect and promote resident rights and treat each resident with respect and dignity, as well as, care for each resident in a manner and in an environment, that maintains resident privacy.</p> <p>-18. Protected Health Information should not be in viewing area of public. This includes computer screens, resident room listing, report forms, etc.</p> <p>Review of provider's September 2018 Medication Administration General Guidelines policy revealed:</p> <p>*Policy</p> <p>-Medications are administered as prescribed in accordance with manufacturers' specifications, good nursing principles and practices and only by persons legally authorized to do so. Personnel authorized to administer medications do so only after they have familiarized themselves with the medication.</p> <p>-Procedures</p> <p>--Medication Administration</p> <p>--17. During administration of medications, the medication cart is kept closed and locked when out of sight of the medication nurse.</p> <p>--18. Resident's health information needs to remain private. The pages of the MAR [Medication Administration Record] notebook containing resident health information must remain closed or covered when not in direct use.</p>		

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<p>F 0584</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40788</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and policy review, the provider failed to maintain a clean and homelike environment for:</p> <p>*8 of 14 resident rooms (301, 303, 304, 309, 311, 312, 314, and 316) on the 300 hallway.</p> <p>*5 of 22 resident rooms (202, 204, 206, 207 and 209) on the 200 hallway.</p> <p>*6 of 23 resident rooms (103, 104, 108, 110, 115, and 117) on the 100 hallway.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1. Random observations on 11/5/24 between 9:30 a.m. and 3:35 p.m. inside the rooms on the 300 hallway revealed:</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER] had areas of exposed sheetrock near the foot and head of the bed, and behind the headboard of that bed which was positioned along the wall beneath the window.</p> <p>-There was an area of exposed sheetrock near the head of another bed that was positioned along the wall near the doorway of that room.</p> <p>*In room [ROOM NUMBER], the recliner's headrest was worn and no longer a cleanable surface.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER]: There was an area approximately 12 inches by 12 inches on the wall beneath the window near the foot of the bed that appeared to have been a spill of a black substance that had run down that wall.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER] had an area of the baseboard molding along the wall between the bathroom door and the south wall that was missing. The exterior doorframe of the bathroom had multiple areas where the paint was missing.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER] had areas of exposed sheetrock near the foot and head of the bed that was positioned on the wall beneath the window.</p> <p>-There was an area of exposed sheetrock behind the headboard of another bed that was positioned along the wall opposite of the window. A crack extended from the top to the bottom of that wall.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER] had an approximately six inches long by three inches wide oval-shaped outline that appeared to have been made by a black marker on the wall beneath the window.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER] had areas of exposed sheetrock on the walls near the heads of both beds.</p> <p>-There were multiple scratch-like gouges exposing the sheetrock on the wall behind the recliner.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0584</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>*room [ROOM NUMBER] had areas of exposed sheetrock on the wall by the window near the head and foot of the bed.</p> <p>-There were areas of exposed sheetrock at the head and midsection of the bed positioned on the wall opposite of the window.</p> <p>47780</p> <p>2. Random observations on 11/5/24 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. of the inside of the rooms in the 200 hallway revealed:</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER]: Had areas of missing paint on the wall behind the headrest of the recliner.</p> <p>-There were multiple scratch-like gouges from the bottom of the floor to 12 inches up [NAME] the entrance and the bathroom doorframes.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER]: There were multiple scratch-like gouges from the bottom of the floor to 12 inches up of the entrance and bathroom doorframes.</p> <p>-There was missing portion of the door panel on the front portion of the entrance door.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER]: Had an area of exposed sheetrock positioned along the wall next to the sink, and two dime-size holes inside the exposed sheetrock.</p> <p>*room [ROOM NUMBER]: Had multiple scratch-like gouges from the bottom of the floor to 12 inches up from the bathroom doorframe.</p> <p>-There was an approximate ten-inch long by ten-inch wide white square-shape patch on the wall next to the toilet.</p> <p>51816</p> <p>3. Observation on 11/4/24 at 3:05 p.m. in room [ROOM NUMBER] revealed:</p> <p>*Gouges and areas where paint was scraped off both sides of the doorframe entering the resident's room.</p> <p>*Multiple areas of missing paint and exposed sheetrock on the wall that extended the length of the resident's bed.</p> <p>*Gouges and areas where paint was scraped off both sides of the bathroom doorframe.</p> <p>*A large area of paint was scraped off the wall opposite the sink in the bathroom.</p> <p>*A privacy curtain in the room was visibly soiled and had an area with an unknown brown substance on it.</p> <p>42558</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0584</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>-She confirmed that according to their 2022 South Dakota Department of Health survey and plan of correction for a homelike environment, there had been a designated empty room to move a resident into while the resident's room was being painted and repaired. However, they had an emergency resident admission in October and were room blocked (no empty room) from continuing with the scheduled painting and repairs.</p> <p>Review of the 2024 contracted drywall and paint invoices revealed seven visits in 2024 (3/20, 5/1, 6/3, 6/7, 9/18, 9/21, and 10/5/2024) had occurred. Resident rooms that had been billed as completed were listed as rooms 104, 205, 303, 308, and 314. There were other repairs listed in those invoices that were not related to resident rooms.</p> <p>Further interview on 11/7/24 at 7:43 a.m. with administrator A regarding paint touch-ups and room repairs performed in between complete room painting revealed:</p> <p>*She was actively trying to hire a full-time maintenance person.</p> <p>*They planned on resuming with complete room painting next week, as an empty room had just become available. She stated room painting was a slow process.</p> <p>*Regarding preventative room maintenance she stated:</p> <p>-Touch-up painting had occurred in the past, but they had backed off as we were looking at permanent fixes.</p> <p>-I should have given more directive to follow through with completion of touch-ups.</p> <p>*She confirmed paint touch-ups should have occurred in between a complete room repainting and agreed the missing paint and exposed drywall had created an uncleanable surface and was not a homelike environment for the residents who resided in those rooms.</p> <p>Interview on 11/7/24 at 8:41 a.m. with housekeeping supervisor G revealed:</p> <p>*He had worked as the housekeeping supervisor for one year.</p> <p>*He agreed numerous rooms had scratched paint and exposed drywall.</p> <p>-He stated he verbally told (name of prior maintenance supervisor) when he received a report of a room in need of repair.</p> <p>*He stated none of the housekeeping or laundry staff had log-in access to the electronic TELS maintenance system.</p> <p>Review of the provider's October 2019 Homelike Environment policy revealed:</p> <p>*Policy: Residents are provided with a safe, clean, comfortable homelike environment and encouraged to use their personal belonging to the extent possible.</p> <p>-2. i. Walls and door scuffs/chips repaired with paint/stain when needed[.]</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide appropriate treatment and care according to orders, resident's preferences and goals.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40788</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, record review, and job description review, the provider failed to ensure physician's orders were followed for the use of:</p> <p>*TED Hose (thromboembolic deterrent compression stockings used by non-ambulatory residents) by one of one sampled resident (39).</p> <p>*Redi-Wraps (adjustable compression wrap) by one of one sampled resident (8).</p> <p>*Gradual compression stockings (compression stockings that are tightest around the ankle and gradually loosen up the leg) by one of one sampled resident (65).</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation and interview on 11/4/24 at 2:26 p.m. with resident 39 in her room revealed:</p> <p>*She was sitting in her recliner with the leg rests elevated.</p> <p>-On the wall behind her recliner was a sign that read [NAME] Hose on in AM and off in PM.</p> <p>*The resident was wearing regular socks on her feet.</p> <p>-She had no TED Hose that fit her and had not worn TED Hose since the summer.</p> <p>Observations on 11/5/24 at 9:11 a.m. and again on 11/6/24 at 9:41 a.m. of resident 39 in her room revealed she was sitting in her recliner with the leg rests elevated wearing regular socks on her feet.</p> <p>Review of resident 39's electronic medical record (EMR) revealed:</p> <p>*Her diagnoses included heart failure.</p> <p>*A 12/23/23 physician's order: TED hose on in the AM and off in the PM related to LE [lower extremity] edema [fluid retention].</p> <p>*Her November 2024 Treatment Administration Record (TAR) revealed it was documented from 11/1/24 through 11/5/24 that TED Hose had been put on her feet each of those mornings and removed each evening.</p> <p>2. Observations on 11/4/24 at 2:54 p.m., 11/5/24 at 9:45 a.m., and again on 11/6/24 at 9:45 a.m. of resident 8 in her room revealed:</p> <p>*She was either lying in her bed or sitting in her wheelchair during those times.</p> <p>*A sign near the head of her bed read Put on leg wraps in AM and off in PM.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>-At the time of each observation above the resident was wearing regular socks on her feet.</p> <p>Review of resident 8's EMR revealed:</p> <p>*Her diagnoses included edema.</p> <p>*A 2/14/24 physician's order: Redi-Wraps to bilateral LE [lower extremities] and remove per schedule.</p> <p>*Her November 2024 TAR revealed it was documented from 11/1/24 through 11/5/24 that Redi-Wraps had been put on the resident each of those mornings and removed each evening.</p> <p>3. Observations on 11/4/24 at 3:07 p.m., 11/5/24 at 9:38 a.m., and again on 11/6/24 at 9:57 a.m. of resident 65 in her room revealed:</p> <p>*She was sitting in her recliner wearing regular socks on her feet and a pair of Crocs foam [NAME].</p> <p>*A foot cradle [a device attached to the foot of the bed that kept sheets and blankets from touching or rubbing the legs and feet]was at the end of her bed.</p> <p>Review of resident 65's EMR revealed:</p> <p>*Her diagnoses included chronic embolism and thrombosis (blood clot formation) of the left femoral vein.</p> <p>*A 9/13/24 physician's order: Knee high 20-30 gradual compression stockings. On in am, off at HS [nighttime]. One time a day for left leg edema and remove per schedule.</p> <p>*A 9/13/24 progress note that indicated the resident's stockings were ordered through a local home health equipment provider.</p> <p>*Her November 2024 TAR revealed it was documented from 11/1/24 through 11/5/24 that her compression stockings had been put on each of those mornings and removed each evening.</p> <p>Interview on 11/6/24 at 9:50 a.m. with certified nurse aide (CNA) K revealed:</p> <p>*Resident 39 was waiting for a new pair of TED hose to replace her pair that were ripped.</p> <p>-Nursing staff were informed the resident had no other TED hose to wear.</p> <p>-She had been without TED hose for a few days.</p> <p>*Resident 8's Redi-Wraps had not returned from the laundry.</p> <p>-She had only one pair of Wraps.</p> <p>*Resident 65's compression stockings were too tight and she needed different-sized stockings.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>-Her family was expected to provide those.</p> <p>Interview on 11/6/24 at 2:50 p.m. with registered nurse (RN) J regarding the physician-ordered treatments above for residents 8, 39, and 65 revealed:</p> <p>*She had documented in residents 8, 39, and 65's TARs the Redi-Wraps, TED hose, and compression stockings had been put on those residents on the morning of 11/6/24.</p> <p>*CNA staff had dressed residents 8, 39, and 65 that morning.</p> <p>-That would have included their hose and stockings.</p> <p>*She had not known resident 8 had no Redi-Wraps, resident 39 had no TED hose, and resident 65 had no compression stockings.</p> <p>-Resident 8 should have had a back-up pair of wraps to wear and another pair of TED hose should have been obtained from the central supply room for resident 39. Resident 65's hospice nurse should have been contacted about providing her compression socks.</p> <p>Observation on 11/6/24 at 4:40 p.m. of the central supply room revealed there were:</p> <p>*Two packages of size large Redi Wraps and two packages of size extra-large Redi-Wraps.</p> <p>*Multiple packages of size small TED hose.</p> <p>Interview on 11/7/24 at 10:15 a.m. with Qualified Activity Director (QAD)/Central Supply staff F revealed:</p> <p>*She had been responsible for maintaining the facility's central supply room since August 2024.</p> <p>*She had known residents were without their physician-ordered compression socks, TED hose, and Redi-Wraps.</p> <p>-Resident 65's compression stockings were ordered through a specialty supply company a few weeks ago.</p> <p>-In the last week, she had unsuccessfully attempted to order the other supplies from various vendors.</p> <p>*She had notified the facility's corporate office of her difficulty in getting resident supplies.</p> <p>-On 11/6/24 she had talked with administrator A. Administrator A was contacting local sister facilities to determine if they were able to help obtain those needed resident supplies.</p> <p>*QAD/Central Supply staff F did not know how many residents required physician-ordered hose, stockings, and wraps or how many of those items were expected to have been on hand in the event a second pair was needed.</p> <p>Interview on 11/7/24 at 10:45 a.m. with director of nursing B revealed:</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>*Physician-ordered treatments for residents 8, 39, and 65 were not provided.</p> <p>*Nursing staff were expected to not document completion of physician-ordered treatments delegated to a CNA in a resident's TAR without first visually confirming for themselves the treatment had been completed.</p> <p>*She agreed a process was needed to ensure an adequate number of supplies were kept on hand for residents who required physician-ordered compression stockings, hose, and wraps.</p> <p>Review of the provider's updated 12/1/19 RN Floor Nurse job description revealed 12. Administer or supervise all treatments prescribed by physicians .</p>		

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<p>F 0812</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Procure food from sources approved or considered satisfactory and store, prepare, distribute and serve food in accordance with professional standards.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 40788</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, job description review, and policy review, the provider failed to ensure:</p> <p>*The kitchen and dishroom were maintained in a clean and functional manner.</p> <p>*Food items placed on trays and delivered to residents to eat in their rooms (room trays) were kept covered during transport until they were delivered to their rooms.</p> <p>*Insulated dinner plate covers were handled in a sanitary manner.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation and interviews with food service manager (FSM) E, cook N, and dietary aide O on [DATE] from 5:00 p.m. through 6:40 p.m. during the initial kitchen tour and the evening meal service revealed:</p> <p>*Plastic drinking cups were being filled for the evening meal by cook N.</p> <p>-Twelve of 20 unfilled cups on one of two trays had white-colored build-up on their bottoms and/or their insides. Scratch-like marks on the insides resembled scrub brush marks.</p> <p>*FSM E stated the cup discoloration was lime build-up and commented to cook P Are you the only one who knows how to use a brush?</p> <p>*One side of the dual plate warmer near the serving area held regular plates and the other side held adapted blue plates with raised edges. The side of the warmer that contained the blue plates was not working.</p> <p>-The top surface area of that plate warmer including the areas around the openings where the plates were removed from was littered with food crumbs.</p> <p>-FSM E was aware the warmer was not functioning properly and agreed the top of the unit was unclean.</p> <p>*Near the coffee makers was a four-cup plastic measuring cup that was stained brown throughout its inside. [NAME] N stated coffee from the coffee makers was poured into that cup then transferred to carafes for serving.</p> <p>-FSM E said the cup should no longer have been used since it was unable to be thoroughly cleaned. *The window ledge and window frame above the coffee makers was covered with a brown-colored film of unknown origin.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0812</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>*On the cook's prep table was a knife holder attached to the side of that table. The surface of the holder and in and around where the knives were inserted was covered with food crumbs that were not removable when swiped with a finger.</p> <p>-Cooking utensils were stored in a lined drawer attached to the cook's prep table. The liner resembled a plastic net. There were dried food particles in the open areas of the liner.</p> <p>-A Saf-T-Wrap (plastic wrap) dispenser holder was opened and was on top of the cook's prep table. The inside of the opened lid had individual compartments for holding things like packaged alcohol pads and pre-printed food labels. The bottoms of those compartments had a build-up of an unknown substance on them. The area surrounding the opening where the plastic wrap was pulled through to be torn off had an unknown build-up around it.</p> <p>*Beneath the Vulcan oven stand was an open area of racked storage for cookie sheets and baking pans. The surface on both sides of those racks was covered with a film of unknown origin and was unable to be removed when swiped with a finger.</p> <p>*A fluorescent light was on the ceiling between refrigerator units one and two and freezer units one through three. The plastic light covering was cracked and broken.</p> <p>*The test strips in the dishroom used to measure the concentration of sanitizer to water for disinfection had expired in [DATE] but were still being used.</p> <p>-FSM E was made aware of the expired strips last week by a service technician. She had not known the test strip holder was labeled with an expiration date. She had not reached out to a sister facility for unexpired test strips to use while she waited for new strips to arrive.</p> <p>*The individual slats of the air conditioner that was running in the dishroom were covered with a film of gray dust.</p> <p>-The air was blowing over clean dishware and a metal rack that held clean cooking pots, pans, soup bowls, cutting boards.</p> <p>*Dietary aide O was responsible for loading and transporting prepared resident food trays in an insulated cart to three of four dining rooms.</p> <p>-She used her bare hand to hold the inside of the insulated covers until she placed them over the top of the individually prepared resident meal plates instead of using the knob on top of the covers to hold them in a sanitary manner.</p> <p>-FSM E and dietary aide O both agreed not having used the knob to hold the covers increased the risk of cross-contamination of resident food items.</p> <p>*Room trays with covered drinking cups and uncovered dishes of mixed fruit sat on the cook's prep table from 6:15 p.m. through 6:40 p.m. At 6:40 p.m. when the room tray was completely plated and covered with an insulated cover. An unidentified aide then transported that room tray out of the dining room to a resident room with the fruit still uncovered.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0880</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Provide and implement an infection prevention and control program.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 42558</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and policy review, the provider failed to maintain the environment and resident use items in a clean and odor-free condition for:</p> <p>*A soiled utility room located directly across from the entrance into the secured unit.</p> <p>*Two of sixteen sampled resident rooms (103 and 108) located in the 100 hallway.</p> <p>*One of one laundry room.</p> <p>*One of one clean utility room located in the secured unit.</p> <p>*A urine-soaked chair from one of one sampled resident's (58) room.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation during the initial tour on 11/4/24 at 12:45 p.m. revealed a strong urine odor upon entrance through the double doors that led into the secured unit of the building where the 100, 200, and 400 hallways were located.</p> <p>Observation on 11/5/24 at 1:48 p.m. and at 1:52 p.m. revealed a strong urine odor was again present upon entrance into the secured unit described above.</p> <p>*A soiled utility room was located directly across the hall from the entrance into the secured unit.</p> <p>-That room had soiled linen and garbage containers in it that were overflowing with soiled clothing, soiled incontinence briefs, and garbage, which caused the container's lids to remain open.</p> <p>-A putrid odor of urine and feces emanated from those containers.</p> <p>-At 1:52 p.m., those items had been removed from the containers and clean liners had been placed in the container however the room continued to emit a strong odor of urine and the floor was sticky.</p> <p>2. Observation on 11/4/24 at 2:00 p.m. of room [ROOM NUMBER] revealed the room had a strong odor of urine and the bathroom floor was sticky with an odor of urine.</p> <p>Observation on 11/4/24 at 3:02 p.m. of room [ROOM NUMBER]B revealed visible brown fingerprint smudges along the wall right above the resident's mattress.</p> <p>Interview on 11/7/24 at 8:20 a.m. with housekeeper Q regarding cleaning and mopping of resident rooms revealed:</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0880</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>*He stated he had fallen behind on completing the room cleaning schedules for his staff and there was no deep cleaning schedule available.</p> <p>-He stated, I am not sure deep cleanings are being done, but it is supposed to be once a week.</p> <p>*He stated he used to complete a walk-through inspection of the facility every week, then it became once a month, and lately he had fallen behind and had not inspected the facility in about four weeks.</p> <p>*He confirmed the laundry room was not on a cleaning schedule. He was unaware of the washer's leaking hose.</p> <p>-He was not sure why a pipe was draining into the handwashing sink.</p> <p>*After a walk-through of the facility and viewing the above observations, he stated I agree it [cleanliness of the facility] could be better.</p> <p>Review of the 7/2/24 Administrative Policies regarding housekeeping and laundry revealed:</p> <p>*Cleanliness is a must for a safe, comfortable, and orderly environment. The activity of our housekeeping and laundry departments has a direct effect on the comfort, morale, and safety of the residents, the staff and our visitors.</p> <p>Review of the housekeeping and laundry services policies revealed they did not include on how often resident rooms and generalized cleaning should occur.</p> <p>47780</p> <p>5. Observation and interview on 11/4/24 at 1:59 p.m. in resident 58's room revealed:</p> <p>*A brown lift chair was turned around and faced the wall.</p> <p>*Resident 58 was seated in a different chair.</p> <p>*She was unsure why the brown lift chair was turned towards the wall.</p> <p>*She would have liked the brown lift chair turned forward to face her television.</p> <p>*She would have preferred to sit in that brown lift chair as the chair she was sitting in was not a lift chair.</p> <p>Interview on 11/4/24 at 3:10 p.m. with certified nursing assistant (CNA) M revealed the brown lift chair in resident 58's room had a soiled spot and it was to be cleaned.</p> <p>Observation on 11/5/24 at 10:10 a.m. revealed that the brown lift chair had been turned forward, and resident 58 was seated in it in a reclining position.</p> <p>Observation on 11/5/24 at 4:06 p.m. in resident 58's room revealed:</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Avantara Saint Cloud		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 302 St Cloud Street Rapid City, SD 57701	

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