

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 435101	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 05/08/2025
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<p>F 0742</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide the appropriate treatment and services to a resident who displays or is diagnosed with mental disorder or psychosocial adjustment difficulty, or who has a history of trauma and/or post-traumatic stress disorder.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 51370</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, record review, and policy review, the provider failed to ensure there was documentation to support interventions had been implemented or offered to treat clinical signs of depression for one of one sampled resident (36) who had a diagnosis of major depression and recently lost a loved one. Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation and interview on [DATE] at 1:43 p.m. with resident 36 revealed:</p> <p>*He was in his room, sitting in his recliner, and his head facing down towards his chest.</p> <p>*His affect (observable expression of emotion) was expressionless, and his tone of voice was unanimated when responding to questions.</p> <p>*He answered questions but did not initiate any further conversation from them.</p> <p>*When conversing with him he:</p> <p>-Stated; No, I am not depressed.</p> <p>-Started to cry and stated, My wife died a few years ago.</p> <p>-Stated, I take some meds [medication] for depression but feel like I should feel better.</p> <p>*He did not confirm if he had received or been offered any counseling services to help with his depression and grief regarding the loss of his spouse.</p> <p>2. Interview on [DATE] at 2:00 p.m. with social services designee (SSD) C regarding resident 36 revealed:</p> <p>*His wife's death had been unexpected, and he was not able to attend the funeral service in person.</p> <p>*She had sat with him during his wife's telephone bedside service that was provided.</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 0880</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide and implement an infection prevention and control program.</p> <p>32355</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, document review, and policy review, the provider failed to ensure appropriate infection control practices were followed by one of one observed housekeeper/laundry aide (E) when cleaning one of one sampled resident's (37) room who was on contact precautions for a highly infectious disease that had the potential to spread to others. Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation on 5/6/25 at 11:05 a.m. with housekeeper/laundry aide E revealed:</p> <p>*She had prepared to clean resident 37's room.</p> <p>*There was a sign on the resident's door that indicated she was on contact precautions and everyone must wear gloves and a gown when entering her room. Staff were to wash their hands with soap and water after assisting the resident.</p> <p>*The resident had been isolated to room for a diagnosis of Clostridium Difficile (C-DIFF) (a highly infectious disease that can easily spread to others).</p> <p>*Housekeeper/laundry aide E:</p> <p>-Sanitized her hands, put on gloves and a gown, and then entered the resident's room.</p> <p>-Took a spray bottle of toilet bowl cleaner and a container of bleach sanitary wipes into the resident's room and placed them onto the resident's dresser.</p> <p>*After housekeeper/laundry aide E finished cleaning the resident's room she:</p> <p>-Removed her gloves and gown, and placed the toilet bowl cleaner and the container of bleach wipes on top of an opened box of clean gloves. The box of clean gloves was on top of the housekeeper's cleaning cart that was located outside of the resident's room.</p> <p>*Housekeeper/laundry aide E:</p> <p>-Had not cleaned the toilet bowl spray bottle or container of bleach prior to taking it out of the resident's room and placing it on the opened box of clean gloves.</p> <p>-Left the resident's room without washing or sanitizing her hands.</p> <p>-Went to the soiled utility room that was approximately 25 feet from the resident's rooms, touched the door handle to open the door, and washed her hands.</p> <p>Interview on 5/6/25 with housekeeper/laundry aide E right after the observations above revealed:</p> <p>*She was not sure if supplies could have been brought out of the resident's room who was on contact precautions for an infectious disease.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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