

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 435109	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 09/17/2024
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<p>F 0725</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide enough nursing staff every day to meet the needs of every resident; and have a licensed nurse in charge on each shift.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 49958</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, record review, and resident rights review, the provider failed to ensure staff were available to promptly respond to call lights for seven of seven sampled residents (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, and 9) who used call lights to alert staff of their assistance needs. Findings include:</p> <p>1. Observation on 9/16/24 at 3:45 p.m. throughout the facility revealed there was:</p> <p>*A sit-to-stand lift (mechanical lift used to assist to a standing position for transfers) and total lift (a mechanical lift with a body sling used for transfers) located in the hallway between rooms [ROOM NUMBERS].</p> <p>*A sit-to-stand lift located in the 400 hallway outside of room [ROOM NUMBER].</p> <p>-The lift had two safety slings stacked on top of it.</p> <p>*Two sit-to-stand lifts and two total lifts located in the 200 hallway.</p> <p>*A sit-to-stand lift located in the 100 hallway.</p> <p>Interview on 9/16/24 at 3:50 p.m. with certified nursing assistant (CNA) C revealed:</p> <p>*She worked as a bath aide in the 400 and 500 hallways.</p> <p>*She would have completed eight to ten baths during an 8-hour shift.</p> <p>*She estimated ten residents who resided in those hallways required a sit-to-stand lift for all transfers.</p> <p>-Some residents required one staff to assist them with that lift, some required two staff to assist with that lift.</p> <p>*She estimated five residents who resided in those hallways required a total lift for all transfers.</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 0725</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>-Residents always required two staff to assist them with a total lift.</p> <p>*She reported that they had two sit-to-stand lifts and two total lifts.</p> <p>*She stated, Residents sometimes have to wait for a lift to be available.</p> <p>*Residents who required two staff to assist with the transfer sometimes have to wait longer for two staff to be available.</p> <p>Interview on 9/16/24 at 3:54 p.m. with resident 1's daughter revealed:</p> <p>*She visited every day.</p> <p>*Her mother required a total lift for transfers.</p> <p>*It sometimes took 30 to 45 minutes or longer for one person to come to answer the call light and It's even longer if you have to wait for a second person.</p> <p>-She stated, They will come and shut off the call light while they wait for a second person to come to assist with transfers.</p> <p>*She did not feel the long wait times were not limited to a certain time of day or a certain day of the week. It varies.</p> <p>Review of resident 1's call light audit report from 8/29/24 to 9/3/24 revealed:</p> <p>*There were two call light response wait times over 25 minutes.</p> <p>*On 9/3/24 at 6:47 p.m. the wait time was 30 minutes.</p> <p>Interview on 9/16/24 at 4:12 p.m. with resident 2 revealed:</p> <p>*She required the sit-to-stand lift for transfers.</p> <p>-Sometimes one staff assisted her and sometimes they needed two staff to assist.</p> <p>*Sometimes they don't come for a very long time. I pull the string and they just don't come.</p> <p>-She clarified she felt a long time to wait was over 15 minutes.</p> <p>-She became visibly upset when she discussed how long she had waited for someone to answer her call light.</p> <p>*She preferred her bathroom door to be open just a little. If they close it [the door], I get scared because I have to wait so long.</p> <p>Interview on 9/16/24 at 4:19 p.m. with resident 3 revealed:</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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