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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Dow Rummel Village		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1321 W Dow Rummel St Sioux Falls, SD 57104	
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F 0689 Level of Harm - Actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on South Dakota Department of Health (SD DOH) Facility Reported Incident (FRI), record review, interview, and policy review, the provider failed to ensure an environment free of accident hazards and supervision when the staff did not complete hourly safety checks according to the provider's policy and left a resident's bed in an elevated position for one of one sampled resident (1) who was not checked on for four hours and subsequently fell out of bed onto the floor and sustained a laceration to her left hand that was sutured in an emergency room. Findings include: 1. Review of the provider's 4/17/26 SD DOH FRI, revealed that on 4/16/26, resident 1 was found lying on the floor in her room at approximately 9:00 a.m. There was blood all over the floor, and to her bilateral [both] hands and right arm. She was bleeding from a skin tear to her left hand, a potential head injury, complaints of back pain, and a swollen right knee. She was transferred to the hospital emergency room (ER) for evaluation. Resident 1 returned to the facility on 4/16/26 with the laceration to her left hand sutured and a cock-up wrist splint [a rigid brace designed to hold the wrist in a neutral position] to be applied. The provider's investigation as documented on the SD DOH FRI revealed that the staff last checked on resident 1 on 4/16/26 at 5:00 a.m., and that her bed at the time of the incident was found in an elevated position. The provider's FRI did not indicate why resident 1 was not monitored by staff members for approximately four hours or why her bed was in an elevated position. Following this incident, a scoop mattress (specialized medical or care-facility mattress designed with raised edges and a lower center) was provided to the resident for border definition. Caregiver staff members present during that shift were educated on end-of-shift rounding (checking on residents' status and assistance needs) expectations with the oncoming staff members, and further staff education was to be provided on 4/22/26. There was no documented indication that audits were performed after resident 1's fall. 2. Review of resident 1's electronic medical record (EMR) revealed she was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. Her 2/4/26 Brief Interview of Mental Status (BIMS) assessment score was a 5, which indicated she had severe cognitive impairment. Her diagnoses included difficulty in walking, weakness, and osteoarthritis (gradual breakdown of the joint). Resident 1's 2/4/26 Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment (a tool used to evaluate a resident's health status and to develop an individualized care plan to manage the resident's care needs) indicated she was dependent on staff members for all of her care needs. She used a wheelchair and had impairment (difficulty with moving joints, feeling sensations, or gripping objects) on both sides of her upper body. While in bed, she required substantial assistance to roll from lying on her back to the left and right side. Resident 1's 6/10/26 care plan had a 2/2/26 dated focus area that indicated she had an activities of daily living self-care performance deficit with limited mobility and weakness. The 3/26/26 revised interventions for that focus included that resident 1 needed substantial assistance by one staff member to turn and reposition in bed, needed 2 staff members and a mechanical lift to transfer from one area to another. A 3/26/26 focus area indicated that she was at a low risk for falls related to her being unaware of her safety needs, and her total dependence on staff members for transfers. The 3/26/26 interventions included anticipate and meet my needs. A 4/16/26 nurses' progress note revealed that on 4/16/26 (continued on next page)		

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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F 0689 Level of Harm - Actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Resident 1's scoop mattress was implemented on 4/20/26.ADON B indicated she had completed audits through observation to ensure the beds were maintained at the correct height. She confirmed there were no audits related to staff members completing rounds before leaving their shift.6. CMA D was no longer employed by the provider at the time of the survey and was unavailable for interview.7. Review of the provider's January 2026 Resident Call System and Hourly Safety Checks policy revealed, Staff are required to respond promptly to all call lights and complete required hourly safety checks. Hourly Safety Checks. Visually confirm the resident's presence and safety.Review of the provider's March 2025 Fall Prevention and Post Fall policy revealed, nurse's notes should include the following information: New fall intervention implemented to prevent the recurrence of falls. The healthcare team will discuss the residents' [resident's] fall at the next fall's [fall] review and agree on at least one new intervention for the resident's fall risk care plan.Review of the provider's January 2025 Abuse Prevention, Intervention, Reporting, and Investigation policy revealed, Neglect is defined as failure to provide goods and services necessary to avoid physical harm, mental anguish, or mental illness. May be intentional[,] such as withholding or omitting care[,] or unintentional where the caregiver should have known that care was needed, but it [was] not provided.		