

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 455959	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 03/31/2025
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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Protect each resident from all types of abuse such as physical, mental, sexual abuse, physical punishment, and neglect by anybody.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 47339</p> <p>Based on interview, and record review the facility failed to ensure residents the right to be free from abuse and neglect for 1 of 6 (Resident #4) residents reviewed for abuse and neglect.</p> <p>The facility failed to ensure Resident #4 was free from verbal abuse from Resident #3 on 10/31/2024 during a resident to resident verbal altercation.</p> <p>These deficient practices could place residents at risk for abuse, neglect, and not having their needs met.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <p>1.Record review of Resident #4's electronic face sheet revealed a [AGE] year-old-female who was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with most recent admission on 2/24/2024. Resident #4's diagnoses included: nontraumatic subarachnoid hemorrhage (bleeding in the brain), seizures (disruption of normal brain function), and muscle weakness.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #4's Quarterly MDS, dated [DATE] indicated a BIMS of 03 indicating a severe cognitive impairment. The MDS indicated Resident #4 was dependent for all bed mobility.</p> <p>Record Review of Resident #4's care plan dated 12/7/2021 and revised on 2/5/2024 indicated: Resident #4 had a communication problem related to cerebrovascular accident causing aphasia, dysphagia and cognitive deficit with interventions that included: Use effective strategies: facial expression, eye contact, gestures, tone of voice, non-threatening posture, short direct phrases, speak slowly, speak in a calm, distinct manner, interpreter, time to communicate, 1 to 1, quiet setting for communicating with resident.</p> <p>2.Record review of facility electronic face sheet indicated Resident #3 was a [AGE] year-old female admitted to facility on 5/01/2024 with the most recent admission on 11/05/2024. Resident #3's diagnosis included: dementia (decline in mental ability), anxiety (excessive worry, fear, and nervousness), and bipolar disorder (extreme shifts in mood, energy, and behavior).</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 0609</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Timely report suspected abuse, neglect, or theft and report the results of the investigation to proper authorities.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 47339</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure that all alleged violations involving abuse, neglect, exploitation or mistreatment, including injuries of unknown source and misappropriation of resident property, were reported immediately, but not later than 2 hours after the allegation was made, if the events that caused the allegation involved abuse or resulted in serious bodily injury, to the administrator of the facility and to other officials (which included to the State Survey Agency and adult protective services where state law provides for jurisdiction in long-term care facilities) in accordance with State law through established procedures for 2 of 6 residents (Resident #4 and Resident #3) reviewed for abuse.</p> <p>The facility failed to keep Resident #4 safe from verbal abuse from Resident #3. On 10/31/2025 at 4:15 AM Resident #4's roommate was found on Resident #3 's bed threatening to kill her.</p> <p>This failure could place residents at risk of further potential abuse.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <p>1. Record review of Resident #4's electronic face sheet revealed an [AGE] year-old-female who was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with most recent admission on 2/24/2024. Resident #4's diagnoses included: nontraumatic subarachnoid hemorrhage (bleeding in the brain), seizures (disruption of normal brain function), and muscle weakness.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #4's Quarterly MDS, dated [DATE] indicated a BIMS of 03 indicating a severe cognitive impairment. The MDS indicated Resident #4 was dependent for all bed mobility.</p> <p>Record Review of Resident #4's care plan dated 12/7/2021 and revised on 2/5/2024 indicated: Resident #4 had a communication problem related to cerebrovascular accident causing aphasia(affects the ability to communicate), dysphagia (difficulty swallowing) and cognitive deficit with interventions that included: Use effective strategies: facial expression, eye contact, gestures, tone of voice, non-threatening posture, short direct phrases, speak slowly, speak in a calm, distinct manner, interpreter, time to communicate, 1 to 1, quiet setting for communicating with resident.</p> <p>2. Record review of facility electronic face sheet indicated Resident #3 was a [AGE] year-old female admitted to facility on 5/01/2024 with the most recent admission on 11/05/2024. Resident #3's diagnosis included: dementia (decline in mental ability), anxiety (excessive worry, fear, and nervousness), and bipolar disorder (extreme shifts in mood, energy, and behavior).</p> <p>Record Review of Resident #3's comprehensive care plan dated 1/08/2025 indicated Resident #3 refused medications at times with intervention of a negotiated risk assessment signed. Resident #3 had impaired cognitive function dementia or impaired thought processes with a intervention to administer medications as ordered. Resident #3 had verbal behaviors threatening to kill roommate and staff with an intervention of assist resident in avoiding resident that may incite outburst. Resident #3 required antipsychotic medications with an intervention to administer medications as ordered, monitor and document for side effects and effectiveness.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 47339</p> <p>Based on observation, interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure the resident environment remained as free of accident hazards and each resident received adequate supervision as is possible for 2 of 6 resident (Resident #1 and Resident #2) reviewed for accidents and hazards.</p> <p>1.The facility failed to ensure Resident #1 did not wander outside of the facility and down the road while wearing a wander guard. On 1/04/2025 Resident #1 while wearing a wander guard left the facility through the front door and was seen walking down the road by another resident's family member who notified the facility of Resident #1's whereabouts.</p> <p>The non-compliance was identified as past non-compliance. The Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) began 01/04/2025 and ended on 01/08/2025. The facility corrected the non-compliance before surveyor's entrance.</p> <p>2.The facility failed to ensure Resident #2 was properly strapped down in the van to prevent Resident #2's wheelchair from flipping over backwards during transport. On 2/21/2025 during transport to dialysis by the contract transport service Resident #2's wheelchair flipped over backwards in the van causing Resident #2 to have head and neck pain.</p> <p>The non-compliance was identified as past non-compliance. The Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) began 02/21/2025 and ended on 02/25/2025. The facility corrected the non-compliance before surveyor's entrance.</p> <p>This failure could place residents at risk of harm and serious injuries due to lack of supervision and failure to follow protocols.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <p>Record review Resident #1's Face sheet dated 3/25/2025 indicated Resident #1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with the most recent admission on 12/04/2023. Resident #1 was a [AGE] year-old female admitted with diagnosis of severe dementia with anxiety (agitation, restlessness, and difficulty concentrating stemming from confusion and disorientation), hypertension (high blood pressure), and muscle weakness.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's quarterly MDS assessment dated [DATE] revealed a BIMS score of 04 indicating severe cognitive impairment. The MDS Assessment indicated Resident #1 required supervision or touching assistance with walking 150 feet.</p> <p>Record review of Resident#1's care plan dated 11/04/2021 indicated: Resident #1 was at risk for wandering, Resident #1 had a wander guard in place with interventions that included: .3. Distract resident from wandering by offering pleasant diversions, structured activities, food, conversation, television, book. 4. Identify pattern of wandering: is wandering purposeful, aimless, or escapist? Is resident looking for something? Does it indicate the need for more exercise? Intervene as appropriate. 5. If the resident is exit seeking, stay with the resident and notify the charge nurse by calling out, sending another staff member, call system, etc.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>

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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Record review of nursing progress note dated 2/21/2025 at 10:30 AM written by the DON indicated Resident denied any pain medication at this time and stated he would let us know if he needed anything.</p> <p>Record review of nursing progress note dated 2/21/2025 at 11:40 AM written by the DON indicated Down to check on resident at this time to see how he is doing; resident is stating that his head/neck is bothering him and asked if he could get something for pain at this time. MD was notified and new order for Tylenol 325mg every 4 hours as needed for pain. (medication was administered at this time to resident) Attempted to notify [family] but no answer at this time.</p> <p>Record review of nursing progress note dated 2/21/2025 at 12:03 PM written by the DON indicated Down to follow up with resident and he does state that the Tylenol was effective.</p> <p>Record review of nursing progress note dated 2/21/2025 at 1:46 PM written by the DON indicated Went down to check on resident at this time and he stated that he was feeling ok. Inquired again if resident was wanting to go to ER (resident had been asked when incident initially occurred if he would like to go be he did not feel he needed to go at that time and wanted to proceed going to dialysis) to get checked out and he stated well I feel like I guess I should. Explained that xrays had been taken and results were pending when I last looked however if felt he needed to be checked out we could certainly send him. He thought for a minute and stated he felt like he ought to go ahead and go just to be safe. MD notified of request and new orders given to transport to ER for evaluation and treatment.</p> <p>Record review of nursing progress noted dated 2/21/2025 at 5:42 PM written by ADON B indicated Resident returned via wheelchair with [facility] van transport from [hospital] ER related to fall, resident cleared from ER and sent back to facility with no changes in medications or orders.</p> <p>Record review of facility incident report dated 2/21/2025 at 6:00 AM indicated Resident #2 had a fall with no other information.</p> <p>Record review of hospital paperwork dated 2/21/2025 indicated no acute findings and Resident #2 was discharged back to the facility with no new orders.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/24/2025 at 10:33 AM Resident #2 said on the day he fell in the van the Contract Van Driver did not strap him down in the van. He said the Contract Van Driver was trying to go up the hill in the driveway and his wheelchair flipped backwards. He said the Contract Van Driver stopped and picked him back up in the van. He said he told the Contract Van Driver he was having pain but the Contract Van Driver continued on to dialysis. He said he told them at dialysis he was in pain also. He said when he got back to the facility the nurse checked him over and he complained of head and neck pain. He said the facility sent him out to the ER to get checked out. He said he no longer is having any pain to his head and neck.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0690</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Provide appropriate care for residents who are continent or incontinent of bowel/bladder, appropriate catheter care, and appropriate care to prevent urinary tract infections.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 50071</p> <p>Based on observation, interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure that residents received treatment and care in accordance with professional standards of practice, the comprehensive person-centered care plan, and the residents' choices, as based on the comprehensive assessment of the residents; in that: 4 out of 5 residents reviewed incontinence (Resident #5, #6, #7, #8)</p> <p>The facility failed to ensure Residents #5, #6, #7, and #8 were not wearing two briefs after incontinent care was provided. Residents #5, #6, #7, and #8 were observed wearing two briefs at the same time.</p> <p>These deficient practices could place residents at-risk for infections and skin break downs due to improper care practices.</p> <p>The findings included:</p> <p>Record review of a facility face sheet dated 3/26/25 for Resident #6 indicated she was a [AGE] year-old female admitted to the facility 4/6/2022 with diagnoses including Seizures, Morbid Obesity, and Pressure Ulcer.</p> <p>Record review of a Comprehensive MDS assessment dated [DATE] for Resident #6 revealed a BIMS score of 11, indicating moderate cognitive impairment. She required maximal assistance with all ADLs, and she was incontinent to bowel and bladder.</p> <p>Record review of a care plan dated 3/26/25 for Resident #6 indicated potential/actual impairment to skin integrity related to immobility and Obesity.</p> <p>Record review of a comprehensive care plan dated 3/26/25 for Resident #6 indicated impaired cognitive function/dementia or impaired thought processes related to diagnosis of Alzheimer's.</p> <p>Record review of a facility face sheet dated 1/01/2024 for Resident #5 indicated he was a [AGE] year-old male admitted to the facility on [DATE] with diagnoses including cerebral vascular accident (stroke), pneumonia, pressure ulcer to the head and urinary tract infection.</p> <p>Record review of a Comprehensive MDS assessment dated [DATE] for Resident #5 revealing a BIMS score of 13, indicating intact cognitive functioning. She required maximal assistance with all ADLs, and incontinent to bowel and bladder.</p> <p>Record review of a comprehensive care plan dated 1/01/2024 for Resident #5 indicated he was dependent on staff for immobility, physical limitations, and social interactions.</p> <p>Record review of a facility face sheet dated 3/26/25 for Resident #8 indicated he was a [AGE] year-old male admitted to the facility on [DATE] with diagnoses including Type-2 Diabetes mellitus, foot ulcer, hypertension, cerebral infraction (Stroke).</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0690</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>During an interview on 3/25/2025 at 1:11pm CNA K she said she do not know about any resident being double briefed and she as well as other CNA's use single briefs daily on several of the incontinent residents. She said she was not sure of the number of residents that use briefs in the facility. She said that's the way it was done when she started work at the facility, and she just continued with the resident's normal daily care. She said they have frequent in-services on abuse/neglect, incontinent care, residents' rights, and other direct care trainings.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/24/2025 at 3:25pm CNA I she said she uses briefs on some residents but do not use two at one time. She said she have witnessed double briefing a couple of times in the past but not lately and do not know who applied the double briefs. She said she know that double briefing is wrong and not sure of the negative effects but knows to only use one brief at a time.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/24/2025 at 2:14pm with CNA J she said she have witness aides doubled briefing residents. She said she reported to the charge nurses when she found double briefing. She said double briefing or leaving briefs on too long could cause skin break downs and irritation to residents.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/24/2025 at 2:45pm with LVN L she said she have not witnessed any residents wearing double briefs. She said she normally observes her residents very close. She said she knows they wear briefs but do not know if they are care planned to wear briefs. She said wearing briefs increase the chance of residents having skin issues and urinary tract infections.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/25/2025 at 2:20pm with the RN G, she said she's aware of aides double briefing some residents. She said she never reported the inappropriate practice due to it becoming a normal thing in the facility. She said she's aware that she should have reported the neglectful practice. She said double briefing the residents and leaving them up in one position too long may increase the chance of skin break downs and urinary tract infections.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/25/2025 at 3:00pm with the DON she said she was not aware of staff double briefing residents. She said double briefing residents was a big no, no. She said a brief can increase chances of urinary tract infections and ulcers/sores. Double briefing will hold the moister, warmth and bacteria more and cause a greater chance for the resident to have negative effects from using briefs.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/25/2025 at 3:20pm with the administrator he said he did not know the staff were double briefing residents. He said double briefing is not proper practice and could cause negative effects to the residents by irritating their skin and increase chances of infections.</p> <p>Record review on 3/25/2025 of a facility policy titled Abuse/Neglect revised on March 29, 2018, read . The facility will provide and ensure the promotion and protection of resident rights. It is each individual's responsibility to recognize, report, and promptly investigate actual or alleged abuse, neglect exploitation, mistreatment of residents or misappropriation of resident property abuse and situations that may constitute abuse to any resident in the facility.</p> <p>Record review on 3/25/2025 of a facility policy titled Residents Rights dated 2003 revised on November 28, 2016, read .</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0690</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Planning and implementing care-The resident has the right to be informed of, and participate in, his or her treatment, including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The right to be fully informed in language that he or she can understand of his or her total health status, including but not limited to, his or her medical condition. 2. The right to participate in the development and implementation of his or her person-centered plan of care, including but not limited to: 3. The right to be informed, in advance, by the physician or other practitioner or professional that will furnish care. 4. The right to be informed in advance, by the physician or other practitioner or professional, of the risk and benefits of proposed care, of treatment and treatment alternatives or treatment options and to choose the alternative or option he or she prefers. 5. The right to request, refuse, and/or discontinue treatment, to participate in or refuse to participate in experimental research, and to formulate an advance directive. 		

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<p>F 0755</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide pharmaceutical services to meet the needs of each resident and employ or obtain the services of a licensed pharmacist.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 47339</p> <p>Based on interview, and record review, the facility failed to provide pharmaceutical services, including procedures that assures the accurate acquiring, receiving, dispensing, and administering of medications for 1 of 6 residents (Resident #3) and reviewed for pharmacy services.</p> <p>The facility failed to ensure Resident #3 ingested all medications as prescribed and was not able to stash medications in room. On 10/31/2024 Resident #3 had a psychotic episode, and 40 to 50 pills were found on the floor in Resident #3's room. On 1/29/2024 Resident #3 had a psychotic episode, and 10 to 15 pills were found in Resident #3's room.</p> <p>These failures could place residents at risk for the unsafe administration of medications, not receiving prescribed doses of ordered medications and not receiving the intended therapeutic benefit of the medications.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <p>Record review of facility electronic face sheet indicated Resident #3 was a [AGE] year-old female admitted to facility on 5/01/2024 with the most recent admission on 11/05/2024. Resident #3's diagnosis included: dementia (decline in mental ability), anxiety (excessive worry, fear, and nervousness), and bipolar disorder (extreme shifts in mood, energy, and behavior).</p> <p>Record Review of Resident #3's comprehensive care plan dated 1/08/2025 indicated Resident # 3 refused medications at times with intervention of a negotiated risk assessment signed. Resident #3 had impaired cognitive function dementia or impaired thought processes with an intervention to administer medications as ordered. Resident #3 had verbal behaviors threatening to kill roommate and staff with an intervention of assist resident in avoiding resident that may incite outburst. Resident #3 required antipsychotic medications with an intervention to administer medications as ordered, monitor and document for side effects and effectiveness.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #3's Quarterly MDS dated [DATE] indicated Resident #3 had a BIMS of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment.</p> <p>Record review of physician orders dated as of 1/29/2025 indicated Resident #3 had an order for acetaminophen-codeine 300-60mg 1 tablet every 6 hours as needed, alprazolam 0.25mg 1 tablet at bedtime, amantadine 100mg 1 tablet twice daily, baclofen 10mg 1 tablet three times daily, ciprofloxacin 500mg 1 tablet twice daily, dicyclomine 20mg 1 tablet every 8 hours as needed, linzess 72mcg 1 tablet once a day, esomeprazole 40mg 1 tablet once a day, omega-3 capsule 1000mg 1 tablet once a day, oxcarbazepine 300mg give 2 tablets twice daily, probiotic capsule 1 capsule daily, rosuvastatin 5mg 1 tablet once daily, Seroquel 300mg 1 tablet twice daily, Seroquel 25mg 1 tablet twice daily, trazodone 50mg 2 tablets at bedtime, and Wellbutrin xl 150mg 1 tablet once daily.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #3's medication administration record dated 10/01/24-10/31/2024 revealed Resident #3 refused to take omega-3 on 10/29/24 and 10/31/24.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0755</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Record review of Resident #3's medication administration record dated 1/01/25-1/31/2025 revealed Resident #3 refused to take omega-3 on 1/1/24, 1/15/24, 1/16/24, 1/17/24, 1/21/24, and 1/23/24. She refused linzess 72mcg on 1/2/25, 1/10/25, 1/20/25, 1/21/25, 1/23/25, 1/27/25, and 1/28/25. She refused probiotic 1/3/25, 1/11/25, and 1/23/25. She refused Wellbutrin xl 150mg on 1/6/25, 1/9/25, and 1/29/25. She refused amantadine 100mg on 1/1/25, 1/6/25, and 1/7/25. She refused baclofen 10mg on 1/4/25, 1/6/25, 1/13/25, 1/14/25, 1/15/25, 1/17/25, 1/20/25, 1/22/25, 1/23/25, 1/24/25, and 1/26/25.</p> <p>Record review of nursing progress note dated 10/31/2024 at 4:15 AM written by RN D indicated: .I talked with [Resident #3] and convinced her to get into her own bed. She started to cry, got up and got into her bed and covered her head. I saw multiple pills on the floor. I picked them all up. I called [psych doctor] and spoke with NP. She gave orders to go 1 to 1 with [Resident #3] if it were possible. She also stated that resident needs to go to an inpatient psych facility as soon as possible.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/25/2025 at 1:05 PM LVN E said Resident #3 had a psychotic episode on 10/31/2025. She said RN D went to Resident #3's room and during the psychotic episode found approximately 50 pills scattered on the floor. She said RN D picked up the pills and put them in a cup for the DON. She said the next time Resident #3 had a psychotic episode was on 1/29/2025 and said Resident #3's room was searched after she transferred to the inpatient psych hospital and 10 to 15 more pills were found in different places in Resident #3's room.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/25/2025 at 3:00 PM the DON said she could not remember which psychotic episode it was but there were about 12 pills found in Resident #3's room. She said she used the computer pill identifier and said the pills mostly consisted of Resident #3's linzess, probiotic, and omega-3. She said Resident #3 had taken her antipsychotic medications and it was mostly her vitamins that were found not taken. She said she did 1 to 1 education with the weekend medication nurse LVN F that consisted of an in-service about not leaving medications at bedside. The DON said her expectation was for all medications to be administered per facility policy and physicians orders.</p> <p>Record review of in-service dated 11/1/2024 titled Leaving Medications at Bedside signed by LVN F.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/26/2025 at 8:29 AM ADON A said during Resident #3's psychotic episode on 10/31/2025 there were approximately 20 pills found in a basket on Resident #3's bedside table, in Resident #3's purse, and in Resident #3's dresser drawer. She said she recognized some of the pills as a multivitamin and said some of the pills she did not recognize that could have maybe been a stool softener, she said there were not any narcotics and none of the medications were psych medications. She said the episode that happened on 1/29/2025 approximately 5 or 6 pills more pills were found in the basket in Resident #3's beside table.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/26/2025 at 10:49 AM RN D said on 10/31/2025 at about 4:00 AM she entered Resident #3's room due to Resident #3 having a psychotic episode. She said she felt something crunching under her feet and there were pills all over the floor. She said there were approximately 50 pills on the floor. She said she picked up all the pills and gave them to the day shift nurse LVN C the next morning to give to the DON.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0755</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>During an interview on 3/26/2025 at 11:21 AM RN G said she was on call the night of 10/31/2024 and received a call from RN D regarding Resident #3 having a psychotic episode. She said RN D told her she had found a bunch of pills on the floor in Resident #3's room. She said she did not give RN D any instruction on what to do with the pills. She said on 1/29/2025 Resident #3 had a similar psychotic episode and thought there were pills found in Resident #3's room again.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/26/2025 at 1:19 PM CNA H said on the night of 10/31/2025 she remembered Resident #3 having a psychotic episode and remembered seeing approximately 30-50 pills scattered all over the floor and behind her bed. She said RN D picked up all the pills and put them in a cup. She said it looked like Resident #3 had been stashing the pills and had knocked them over scattering them all over the floor.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/26/2025 at 2:55 PM the Administrator said it was his expectation for all medications to be administered per the physicians' orders and facility policy. He said no medications should be left at bedside.</p> <p>During an interview on 3/31/2025 at 11:37 AM LVN F said there was an incident that she did leave medications at bedside for Resident #3. She said Resident #3 requested her to leave her medications on her bedside table. She said one day she forgot to go back and check to make sure Resident #3 took the medications. She said when she left the medications at bedside, she means she went back to computer right outside the door not that she left the hall. She said Resident #3 was never out of her line of vision when taking her medications. She said she did not know where Resident #3 could have gotten the pills that were found. She said Resident #3 never refused medication and always took all her medications after it was explained to her what they were. She said Resident #3 was the only resident she left pills at bedside for. She said she was not aware of the pills that were found after the psychotic incident on 10/31/2024 or 1/29/2025. She said she had been in serviced upon hire regarding medication administration. She said she was aware she was not supposed leave medications at bedside. She said she had been in-serviced 1 on 1 regarding leaving medications at bedside.</p> <p>Record review of facility policy titled Medication Administration Procedures dated 10/25/17 indicated: 5. After the resident has been identified, administer the medication and immediately chart doses administered on the medication administration record. It is recommended that medication be charted immediately after administration, but if facility policy permits, medication may be charted immediately before administration. Initials are to be used. Check marks are not acceptable. During the medication administration process, the unlocked side of the cart must always be in full view of the nurse . 6. If a dose of regularly scheduled medication is withheld or refused, the nurse is to initial and circle the front of the medication administration record in the space provided for that dosage administration and an explanatory note is to be entered in the nursing notes or in the PRN nurses notes section of the medication administration record. In the presence of individual facility policies concerning refused and held documentation, the facility policy supersedes this policy .</p>		