

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 505009	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 01/07/2026
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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** Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure residents were free from physical abuse for 2 of 4 residents (Residents 1 and 2) reviewed for resident-to-resident altercations. Resident 1 sustained skin injuries (a skin tear & bruises) when their arm was grabbed by another resident in the facility (Resident 3). The facility also failed to ensure Resident 2 was free from physical abuse when their hair was pulled by another resident in the facility (Resident 3). These failures had the potential to cause more than minimal physical harm, psychological harm, mental anguish and fear. Findings included. Review of the facility's Freedom from Abuse Policy, dated September 2022, documented that each resident has the right to be free from abuse. Residents must not be subjected to abuse by anyone, including but not limited to other residents. The abuse policy also showed that willful is defined in the definition of abuse and means the individual must have acted deliberately, not that the individual must have intended to inflict injury or harm.</p> <p><RESIDENT 1> Review of Resident 1's quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS-a required assessment) assessment dated [DATE] showed the resident was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. The MDS assessment also showed Resident 1 had intact thinking and memory. Review of the facility incident investigation dated 11/28/2025 showed Resident 1 was talking in the hallway with a resident (Resident 2) when another resident (Resident 3) grabbed their left arm. Resident 1 sustained a skin tear on the left arm when the other resident grabbed their left arm, the skin tear measured 3.5 centimeters (cm-a unit of measurement) by 3.0 cm and had two bruises on the side of the left arm that measured 2.0 cm by 2.5 cm and another bruise on the left side of the arm that measured 4.0 cm by 4.0 cm. In an interview on 12/22/2025 at 2:25 PM Resident 1 stated, I was in my wheelchair in the hallway, talking with a resident [Resident 2] that lives nearby, when another resident [Resident 3] came up to me and grabbed my left arm. I don't know why they did this; I was not talking to them and had not noticed them until I felt them grab my left arm. It all happened so fast. They pulled really hard on my left arm and tore my skin open; it bled a lot at first. My arm bruised up right away, I had bruising all around my arm. It is all healed now. Review of the December 2025 Treatment Administration Record (TAR) with an order dated 11/29/2025 showed, left arm skin tear, cleanse with normal saline, pat dry. Apply dry dressing daily [every evening shift] for wound healing. The treatment stopped being applied on 12/21/2025. Further review of the December 2025 TAR with an order dated 12/01/2025 showed, monitor bruises to left arm until resolved, every evening shift [every Wednesday]. Discontinue date 12/21/2025. Review of the facility's incident investigation dated 11/28/2025 showed that physical abuse was substantiated when Resident 3 grabbed Resident 1's left arm which caused a skin tear that measured 3.5 cm by 3.0 cm and two bruises on the side of the left arm that measured 2.0 cm by 2.5 cm and another bruise on the left side of the arm that measured 4.0 cm by 4.0 cm. <RESIDENT 2> Review of Resident 2's admission MDS dated [DATE] showed the resident was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. The MDS assessment also showed Resident 2</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 0645</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>PASARR screening for Mental disorders or Intellectual Disabilities</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on interview and record review the facility failed to ensure a Level II Preadmission Screening and Resident Review (PASARR-an assessment used to identify people referred to nursing facilities with Serious Mental Illness [SMI], Intellectual Disabilities [ID]; or related conditions (RC) are not inappropriately placed in nursing homes for long-term care) screening form was completed, for an exempted hospital discharge resident who remained in the facility for more than 30 days for 1 of 3 residents (Resident 3) reviewed for PASARR screening. This failure placed the residents at risk of not receiving the appropriate care and services for their needs and/or lacking access to specialized services for individuals with identified mental health diagnoses or disabilities. Findings included .Review of the admission Minimum Data Set assessment (MDS-a required assessment) dated 09/24/2025 documented Resident 3 was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. Review of the Level I PASRR assessment form dated 09/22/2025 showed Resident 3 had Serious Mental Illness Indicators, known or suspected mood disorders, and had evidence that they exhibited functional limitations related to a known or suspected behavioral health disorder. Further review of the Level I PASRR assessment form dated 09/22/2025 showed Resident 3 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] and was discharged from the hospital as an Exempted Hospital Discharge, the form showed Section II.A. Exempted Hospital Discharge, the individual's attending physician certifies that the individual is likely to require fewer than 30 days of nursing facility services. Review of the Level I PASRR assessment form dated 09/22/2025 also showed, no Level 2 evaluation indicated at this time due to exempted hospital discharge: Level 2 must be completed if scheduled discharge does not occur. Review of the discharge MDS assessment dated [DATE] showed Resident 3 was discharged from the facility on 11/28/2025. Review of the Electronic Health Record did not show that a Level 2 PASRR evaluation was completed. In an interview on 12/23/2025 at 2:24 PM Staff C, Social Services Director (SSD) said when a resident admits to the facility with an exempted hospital discharge Level I PASRR, the resident must discharge from the facility within 30 days or a Level 2 PASRR form must be completed and sent out to the PASRR office for evaluation within 30 days if the resident does not discharge. Staff C also said Resident 3 did not have a Level 2 PASRR evaluation completed within 30 days, and was in the facility from 09/22/2025 to 11/28/2025, which was past 30 days. Staff C stated, I did not know that Resident 3 admitted to the facility on [DATE] with an exempted hospital discharge Level I PASRR. In an interview on 12/23/2025 at 2:41 PM Staff A, Administrator stated, the Level 2 PASRR form should have been completed within 30 days for Resident 3. Reference WAC 388-97-1975(5)</p>

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