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| STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION | (X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 555479 | (X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing | (X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 03/24/2026 |
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| <p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</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** Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to:Supervise one of three sampled residents (Resident 1) after Resident 1 attempted to commit suicide (when a person intentionally harms themselves with the goal of ending their life, and they die as a result). This failure resulted in Resident 1's second suicide attempt.Follow their policy and procedure for Suicide Prevention Guidelines, to monitor one of three sampled residents (Resident 1) after Resident 1 attempted to commit suicide. This had the potential for Resident 1 to successfully kill herself and/or harm herself.Findings:During a review of Resident 1's admission RECORD (AR), dated 3/25/26, the AR indicated, Resident 1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with a diagnosis of schizoaffective disorder (a chronic mental health condition which causes people to lose touch with reality, such as hearing voices or holding false beliefs, while also experiencing intense mood swings) bipolar type (a mental health condition characterized by extreme, often unpredictable shifts in mood, energy, and activity levels), cognitive communication deficit (difficulty with communication resulting from problems with memory, attention, or brain function), anxiety disorder (a mental health condition characterized by excessive, persistent, and uncontrollable fear or worry that interferes with daily life), and major depressive disorder (a serious mental health condition characterized by persistent, overwhelming sadness and a loss of interest in activities, lasting at least two weeks).During a review of Resident 1's Minimum Data Set (MDS) Assessment (a standardized assessment to evaluate a resident's functional abilities and healthcare needs), dated 1/15/26, under the section titled, Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS - an assessment of cognition [how well a person thinks, remembers, and learns]), the BIMS score was 14 (cognitively intact status).During a review of the facility 5 Day Investigation Summary (5DIS), dated 3/19/25. the 5DIS indicated, Resident 1 required a foley catheter (FC - tube inserted into the body to drain urine) for a diagnosis of urinary retention (the inability to empty the bladder [[NAME] like portion of the body that holds urine] meaning urine stays trapped inside even when you feel the need to pee).1. During an interview on 3/24/26 at 1:05 p.m. with Director of Nursing (DON), DON stated Resident 1 attempted to commit suicide in her room on 3/14/26 (no approximate time given) by using her call light (corded device used to call nurses for assistance). DON stated Resident 1 was placed on every 30-minute visual checks on 3/14/26 and 3/15/26 to monitor for any further suicide attempts. DON stated on 3/16/26 (two days after the suicide attempt) she had Resident 1 placed on one-to-one visual monitoring (one staff member dedicated to watching one specific resident at all times) when staff informed her Resident 1 attempted another suicide using her FC (3/14/26). DON stated she changed the 30-minute visual checks to one-to-one visual monitoring because Resident 1 attempted to commit suicide twice, first time using her call light and second time using her FC to wrap around her neck the same day on 3/14/26.During a review of Resident 1's Progress Notes (PN), dated 3/16/26 at 9 a.m., the PN indicated, on 3/14/26 regarding (Resident 1's) attempt to harm herself by wrapping the call light and FC catheter (sic) tubing around her neck. (Resident 1) pulled out her foley catheter and used it to harm herself . (Resident 1) has been on suicide watch since 3/14/26. FC is necessary to manage her (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 0943</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>Give their staff education on dementia care, and what abuse, neglect, and exploitation are; and how to report abuse, neglect, and exploitation.</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to ensure one of two sampled staff (Certified Nursing Assistant [CNA] 1, completed annual abuse training. This failure had the potential to put residents at risk for abuse. Findings: During a review of Resident 1's IDT (Interdisciplinary Team- group of professionals from different disciplines who work together toward common, patient-centered goals) Notes dated 3/16/26, the IDT indicated, Responsible party reported. (Resident 1) complained that a nurse (Certified Nursing Assistant [CNA] 1) from the NOC (night) shift was rude and mean. During a concurrent interview and record review on 3/17/26 at 1:55 p.m. with Human Resource Assistant (HRA), CNA 1's abuse training dated 2/7/23 was reviewed. The abuse training indicated CNA 1 last received training on 2/7/23 (more than three years prior) HRA was unable to provide more recent abuse training for CNA 1. During an interview on 3/17/26 at 2:05 p.m. with Administrator, Administrator stated that abuse training should have been completed annually. During an interview on 4/8/26 at 3:05 p.m. with Director of Staff Development (DSD), DSD stated abuse training should have been completed annually. During an interview on 4/13/26 at 4:15 p.m. with CNA 1, CNA 1 stated her last abuse training completed prior to the allegation was completed on 2/7/23. During a review of the facility's policy and procedure (P&P) titled Abuse Prevention Program dated 7/22/2021, the P&P indicated, In-Service Training. All new employees are required to attend the facility's resident rights and abuse prevention in-service training during their orientation. Training shall be provided on an annual basis and as needed.</p> | | |