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| STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION | (X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 555542 | (X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing | (X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 07/18/2024 |
| NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Pioneer House | | STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 415 P Street Sacramento, CA 95814 | |

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| <p>F 0924</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p> | <p>Put firmly secured handrails on each side of hallways.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 47197</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure facility corridors had firmly secured handrails for the two out of two facility corridors (Unit A and Unit B corridors).</p> <p>This failure had the potential to result in increased falls and potential for injury to the residents that used the corridors.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>A review of Resident 2's clinical record indicated Resident 2 was admitted April of 2024 and had diagnoses that included difficulty in walking. A review of Resident 2's Minimum Data Set (MDS- an assessment tool used to guide care) Cognitive Patterns, dated 4/11/24, indicated Resident 2 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS- a tool to assess cognition) score of 7 out of 15 which indicated Resident 2 had severely impaired cognition.</p> <p>During an observation on 7/18/24 at 12:56 p.m. of the Unit A corridor, Resident 2 was observed walking back and forth using a walker. There were no secured handrails on either side of the corridor walls.</p> <p>During a concurrent observation and interview on 7/18/24 at 1:38 p.m. with Resident 2, at Resident 2's room, Resident 2 confirmed that there were no handrails on the walls of Unit A corridor. Resident 2 stated that it would be much safer for him if the corridor had handrails just in case he needed to hold on to a handrail for balance.</p> <p>During an observation on 7/18/24 at 2:56 p.m., two residents were observed going down the Unit B corridor. There were no secured handrails on either side of the corridor.</p> <p>During a concurrent observation and interview on 7/18/24 at 2:59 p.m., with the Maintenance Supervisor (MS), the MS confirmed that there were no secured handrails on either side of the walls on both Unit A and Unit B corridors. The MS stated, Yes, we removed it [handrails] .It's been more than 3 weeks now .We [staff] are painting them [handrails] and fixing things .I don't know when the plan is to put it [handrails] back on .</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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