

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 555786	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 03/26/2025
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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - 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** 48026</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, for one of five sampled resident (Resident 1), Resident 1 who fell in the facility on 1/15/2025, the facility failed to ensure:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Certified Nurse's Aide (CNA) 2, closely monitored and supervised Resident 1 while assigned as Resident 1's one to one (1:1- a caregiver provides dedicated, focused attention and assistance to a single individual, ensuring their needs and well-being are met with personalized support) sitter on 3/02/2025 on the 11 PM to 7 AM shift. 2) CNA 2 immediately notified a licensed nurse that Resident 1 fell on [DATE] at 4:30 AM to ensure timely assessment and intervention(s) for the resident. 3) CNA 2 was not assigned as a 1:1 sitter for two residents (Residents 1 and 5) on 3/02/2025 on the 11 PM to 7 AM shift 4) Resident 1, who was a high risk for falls, had a care plan (CP - a guideline for nurses to help them create and achieve a solid plan of action in the treatment of a patient) for 1:1 sitter to closely monitor and supervise to prevent the resident from falling. 5) CNA 2 was close and at arm's length to immediately assist Resident 1 when the resident was getting out of bed on 3/03/2025 at 4:30 AM <p>As a result, on 3/03/2025 at 4:30 AM, Resident 1 fell and sustained a left hip fracture (break in a bone). Resident 1 suffered severe pain and mild swelling to the left hip on 3/03/2025 at 11:58 PM. Resident 1 sustained a comminuted (broken in three or more pieces) mildly displaced intertrochanteric fracture (a type of hip fracture where the broken pieces of the bone have moved or separated between the two bones that protrudes [sticks out]) of the left hip. On 3/04/2025, Resident 1 was transferred to a GACH) for further evaluation and care.</p> <p>Findings:</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 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>A review of Resident 1's (Resident 5's roommate) Admission Record was admitted to the facility on [DATE] with the following diagnoses: generalized muscle weakness (lack of physical or muscle strength), difficulty in walking (inability to walk which includes problems standing, moving, and loss of balance), and unspecified dementia (a condition in which a person loses the ability to think, remember, learn, make decisions, and solve problems).</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's MDS dated [DATE], indicated, Resident 1 had severely impaired cognition (when a person has trouble remembering, learning new things, concentrating, or making decisions that affect their everyday life). The MDS also indicated, Resident 1 used a walker and a wheelchair (devises used to assist a person walk or move from place to place when one has a disability or injury). The MDS also indicated, Resident 1 needed maximal assistance with toileting hygiene (maintaining cleanliness before and after using the toilet) due to urinary and bowel incontinence (lack of voluntary control over urination or bowel movement).</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's initial Fall Risk assessment dated [DATE], indicated, Resident 1 fall risk score was 18 (a fall risk score of 10 or above represents high risk for falls).</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's Fall Risk assessment dated [DATE] indicated, Resident 1 score for fall was 19 (high fall risk).</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's Interdisciplinary Team (IDT - a group of different healthcare professionals working together towards a common goal for a resident) Progress Notes dated 1/15/2025 at 2:27 PM, indicated, IDT recommended a 1:1 sitter to ensure safety for Resident 1.</p> <p>A review of the facility's In-Service Education (a professional development for workers aimed to enhance their skills, knowledge, and competence to improve job performance) sign-in sheet dated 1/09/2025, indicated, CNA 2 signed confirming that CNA 2 received training on Preventing falls in the elderly.</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's history and physical (H&P - a physician's complete patient examination) dated 1/15/2025, indicated, Resident 1 was confused and disoriented, had impaired mobility (a condition that limits or prevents a person's ability to move or perform physical tasks, ranging from fine motor skills to gross motor skills like walking) and activities of daily living (ADL - routine tasks/activities such as bathing, dressing and toileting a person performs daily to care for themselves), and generalized weakness. The H&P also indicated Resident 1 lacked the capacity to make medical decisions.</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's CP on impaired ambulation (act of walking) dated 1/15/2025, indicated, Resident 1 had difficulty in walking. The CP goal indicated stand-by assist (SBA) for ambulation, and that Resident 1 used a front wheel walker (FWW) for mobility. The CP interventions included gait training (focuses on improving a person's ability to walk, often involving exercises to strengthen muscles, improve balance, and enhance overall mobility), and caregiver education (equip caregivers with the knowledge and skills needed to effectively care for others).</p> <p>A review of Resident 1's CP on ADLs dated 1/16/2025, indicated, Resident 1 demonstrated ADL decline because of generalized weakness, decreased overall safety awareness, and fall risk. The CP goal indicated Resident 1 will demonstrate improved safety awareness and decreased risk of fall. The CP interventions included caregiver education.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0689</p> <p>Level of Harm - Actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>During an interview on 3/17/2025 at 2:25 PM with RNS, RNS stated that on 3/03/2025 at 9:25 AM LVN 1 reported to RNS that Resident 1 had pain to the left hip area. RNS stated RNS assessed and identified that Resident 1's left hip and left leg areas was swollen with no discoloration (any change in your natural skin tone). RNS stated Resident 1 said dolor (pain) and ouch during the assessment. RNS stated RNS asked CNA 4 to translate what Resident 1 was saying. RNS stated CNA 4 told RNS that Resident 1 answered yes when asked if in pain and then pointed to the [Resident 1's] the left hip area. RNS stated [Resident 1] said a guy picked [Resident 1] up from the floor [NAME] (night). RNS stated, I was called into [Resident 1's] at 9:30 AM. I know nothing bad happened to [Resident 1] from the time we started our shift at 7 AM. RNS stated RNS instructed LVN 1 to administer pain medicine to Resident 1, instructed the nursing staff not to move Resident 1, and contacted the MD and Resident 1's family regarding Resident 1's COC. RNS stated MD ordered an x-ray of Resident 1's left hip which was completed after RNS left work at 3:30 PM on 3/03/2025. RNS stated [Resident 1] climbs out of bed, this is a daily thing and that is why we put a 1:1 sitter for the resident. RNS did state for how long CNA 2 was assigned as a sitter for Resident 1.</p> <p>During a telephone interview on 3/17/2025 at 3:35 PM with CNA 2, CNA 2 stated that on 3/03/2025 at around 4:30 AM, Resident 1 got out of bed and I rushed to [Resident 1] because [Resident 1] was struggling. [Resident 1] started lowering himself, so I assisted [Resident 1] to the floor. CNA 2 stated CNA 2 asked CNA 5 to assist CNA 2 place Resident 1 back in bed and that CNA 3 assisted CNA 2 clean Resident 1 because Resident 1 had a bowel movement (stool/feces). CNA 2 stated, Resident 1, There is nothing to report (about the fall). CNA 2 then stated, it was important to report a fall incident so the resident can be evaluated right away. CNA 2 also stated if the fall incident is not reported, Resident 1, may get hurt, more sick. CNA 2 stated Resident 1 never got out of bed until that time (fall incident on 3/03/2025 at 4:30 AM). CNA 2 also stated that on 3/02/2025 on 11 PM to 7 AM shift, the facility assigned CNA 2 as a sitter for Resident 1 and Resident 5 and also to care for Resident 1 and Resident 5. CNA 2 stated that Resident 1 and Resident 5 were roommates.</p> <p>A review of the facility undated document titled Assisted Falls, indicated, . If a resident is going down to the ground and you assist them to the floor , this is a fall and must be reported.</p> <p>During a phone interview on 3/26/2025 at 11:19 AM with CNA 2, CNA 2 stated that on 3/03/2025 at around 4:30 AM, I was sitting in a chair against the wall by the bedside by the door in Resident 1's room. CNA 2 stated, I rushed to [Resident 1] when I saw [Resident 1] trying to get out of bed on the other (opposite) side. I was sitting by the side of the resident's bed, between the resident's bed and the door. CNA 2 stated Resident 1 took two to three steps, was struggling to balance and held on to CNA 2. CNA 2 stated as a 1:1 sitter CNA 2 is responsible in making sure Resident 1 does not fall because the resident is a fall risk, keep an eye on the resident, take Resident 1 to the bathroom, and perform care on Resident 1.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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