

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 676315	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/14/2024
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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** 45831</p> <p>Based on observations, interviews, and record reviews, the facility failed to ensure residents received adequate supervision and assistance devices to prevent accidents for one (Resident #1) of seven residents reviewed for improper transfers.</p> <p>The facility failed to ensure Resident #1 was transferred according to his Care Plan using a Hoyer.</p> <p>An Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) was identified on [DATE] at 03:56 PM. The IJ template was provided to the facility on [DATE] at 3:58 PM and signed by the Administrator. While the IJ was removed on [DATE] at 12:26 PM, the facility remained out of compliance at a severity level of no actual harm with the potential for more than minimal harm and a scope of isolated due to the facility still monitoring the effectiveness of their Plan of Removal.</p> <p>These failures resulted in hospitalization due to an improper transfer whereas Resident #1 received a fracture and underwent surgery to repair the fracture.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <p>Review of Resident #1's quarterly MDS assessment, dated [DATE], revealed he was an [AGE] year-old male admitted to the facility on [DATE]. Resident #1's diagnoses included Age-related Osteoporosis (bone disease that develops when bone mineral density and bone mass decreases,), Osteopenia (loss of bone density), Muscle Weakness (decrease in muscle strength), Lack of Coordination, Congestive Heart Failure (heart muscle does not pump blood well), Acute Respiratory Failure (he lungs can't release enough oxygen into your blood), etc. The MDS reflected Resident #1 had a BIMS (a mandatory tool used to screen and identify the cognitive condition of residents upon admission into a long-term care facility) score of 13 indicating cognition was intact. The functional abilities and goals section indicated Resident #1 required extensive assist with bed mobility and transfers, mechanical lift with 2 persons.</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 - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Review of Resident #1's care plan revised on [DATE] revealed Resident #1 had an ADL Self Care Performance Deficit r/t Dementia (loss of memory, language, problem-solving and other thinking abilities that are severe), Impaired balance (Loss of balance or unsteadiness), Limited Mobility (any physical impairment that impacts a person's ability to move around freely, easily, and without pain), Musculoskeletal impairment (conditions that can affect your muscles, bones, and joints), chronic pain (pain that lasts for over three months), COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease), CHF (heart failure), abnormal posture (rigid body movements and chronic abnormal positions of the body), lack of coordination (problems coordinating how your muscles work), difficulty in walking, muscle wasting (thinning of muscle mass). Interventions included lying to sitting on bed side substantial/maximal assistance; sit to stand (not attempted due to medical condition or safety concerns); chair/bed-to-chair transfer dependent: Hoyer lift times 2 person assist, etc.</p> <p>Review of Resident #1's PT Sessions and Evaluations dated [DATE] under the Functional Mobility Assessment Section revealed, Transfers: Sit to stand and Chair/bed-to-chair transfer = Not attempted due to medical conditions or safety concerns. It also revealed, Amount of assist needed to sit at edge of bed: Current Value changed from Max (A) times 2 to Unable and Time patient can sit unsupported: Current Value changed from 20 seconds to Unable.</p> <p>Review of Resident #1's PT Encounter Summary dated [DATE], it revealed, We started our day as we usually do. Checked on the evaluations for the day, and reviewed notes as appropriate. After which, PT-student said she would go to round up patients to treat. I stayed at the gym to look over other documents due for the day. At 10:21am, PT-student called me saying she needed help. I asked where she was and said she's in [Resident #1]'s room. When I arrived in the room, PT-student was sitting on the floor beside [Resident #1]'s bed with Resident #1 beside her, laying on his back. I immediately alerted LVN A about [Resident #1]'s fall. LVN A went to the room with me to assess Resident #1. Resident #1 reported that his right hip hurts, there was also a scratch/abrasion on [Resident #1]'s right middle toe - but other than that, no other injuries were noted. I saw another staff member walk past and alerted her as well that we need help to get Resident #1 off the floor and then three male nurses arrived. The three male nurses attempted to get Resident #1 off the floor but was unable to. They put a Hoyer sling underneath and was able to use the Hoyer machine to lift Resident #1 off the floor. Resident #1 was positioned in bed, and I handed him the bed control so he can comfortably position himself. The bolster was put back in place, along with the 2 pillows underneath his calf, and the fall mat was returned beside his bed. We spoke to Resident #1 and made sure he was comfortable on his bed and asked if he needed anything else. We left the room and made sure his bedside table, bed control, and call light was within reach. I spoke to PT-student on the stairwell to clarify what happened. I have read her statement and it was what she told me as well. I educated PT-student on the indicators on how this particular patient was not appropriate for a 1-person transfer (PT-student has demonstrated good clinical judgement in the past that did not indicate anywhere near any kind of this incident happening or her missing these signs) 1) on ocular inspection, the patient was at least 6 feet tall, weighing at least 200 lbs; 2) There was no goal for transfers; 3) Patient required 2 person assist with supine side-lying activity due to poor trunk control and 2-/5 manual muscle testing of bilateral lower extremities - which we had always done together when treating him/we evaluated the patient together; and 4) There was a Hoyer sling on top of his wheelchair indicating patient was a Hoyer transfer.</p> <p>Review of Resident #1's Pain Evaluation dated [DATE] at 1:00 PM revealed his pain level was at a 3 and described as intermittent aching and he was given one HYDROcodone-Acetaminophen Oral Tablet 7XXX, d+[DATE] mg.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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