

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 676434	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 07/02/2024
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER North Houston Transitional Care		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 9814 Grant Rd Houston, TX 77070	
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F 0689 Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm Residents Affected - Few	Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents. **NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 47722 Based on interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure the resident environment remained as free of accident hazards as was possible for 1 (CR #1) of 5 residents reviewed for accident hazards. -The facility failed to securely strap CR #1's air mattress to the bed frame, causing the mattress with the resident to fall off the bedframe to the floor and CR #1 was sent to the hospital for evaluation. This failure could place residents at risk of falls, injuries, and hospitalization . Findings include: Record review of CR #1's undated face sheet revealed he was a [AGE] year-old male admitted to the facility on [DATE], with an original admitted [DATE]. He had diagnoses of unspecified dementia (impaired ability to remember, think, or make decisions that interferes with doing everyday activities), TIA (mini strokes), reduced mobility, lack of coordination, type 2 diabetes (body does not produce insulin or resists it), muscle wasting and atrophy, muscle weakness, cognitive communication deficit (does not recognize everyday social cues, both verbal and non-verbal), and seizures. Record review of CR #1's Quarterly MDS assessment dated [DATE], revealed a BIMS could not be performed due to his medical condition. His cognitive skills for daily decision making were severely impaired. The resident was dependent on all ADLs. He was also dependent with all mobility. The resident had not had any previous falls. CR #1 was on a feeding tube for nutrition due to trouble swallowing. He also had 2 Stage 3 pressure ulcers (sores through the first layer of skin where fat may be visible, but bone, tendon or muscle is not exposed) and 1 Stage 4 pressure ulcer (sore extends through all layers of skin where there is exposed bone, tendon, or muscle). CR #1 was receiving pressure ulcer/injury care and had a pressure reducing device for the bed. The resident was on an anticoagulant. Record review of CR #1's Care Plan dated 4/3/24, had a Focus: Resident is at risk for falls with or without injury related to altered mental status, history of falls (initiated: 4/3/24). Goal: Will not experience a fall related to risk factors (initiated: 4/3/24, target: 7/2/24). Will not have any major injuries related to fall (initiated: 4/3/24, target: 7/2/24). Interventions: Keep personal items frequently used within reach. Keep within supervised view as much as possible. (continued on next page)		

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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