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| <p>F 0637</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>Assess the resident when there is a significant change in condition</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 44970</p> <p>Based on interview and record review the facility failed to ensure that each resident who experiences a significant change in status is comprehensively assessed within 14 days for 1 of 3 residents (Residents #1) reviewed for significant change.</p> <p>The facility failed to ensure Resident # 1 had a Significant Change Assessment completed after she had a change in altered mental status.</p> <p>This failure could contribute to providing an inaccurate assessment of resident's most current medical condition and could lead to failure to not provide necessary care.</p> <p>Findings included:</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's face sheet, dated 04/11/2025, reflected the resident was a [AGE] year-old female admitted to the facility on [DATE] and discharged on [DATE]. DX included: unspecified dementia (cognitive decline) and Cognitive communication deficit (difficulties in communication skills from cognitive impairments, attention, memory.).</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's discharge MDS assessment, dated 03/31/2025, reflected the resident had a BIMS score of 8, indicating she was moderately impaired cognitively.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's care plan, dated 03/13/2025, reflected that Resident #1's had a potential for ADL Self-care Performance Deficit r/t Dementia. Resident required assistance from staff for toileting, bathing, personal hygiene, and dressing. Resident #1 required supervision and cuing for bed mobility and transfers. Resident had impaired cognitive function/impaired thought process r/t dementia .intervention Observe/document /report to MD any changes in cognitive function, specifically changes in: decision making ability, memory, recall and general awareness, difficulty expressing self, difficulty understanding others, level of consciousness, mental status.</p> <p>Record review of progress note dated 03/28/2025 at 2:48 PM by NP reflected Assessment and Plan: Pt currently will benefit from continuous 24hr care for medication, skin care, education, and reinforcement in therapies along with psychiatric medical care/recommendations for ongoing medical issues. Will need to include family education/training and possible DME assessment -Precautions: Acute Metabolic Encephalopathy [a brain dysfunction caused by a sudden imbalance in the body's metabolism, leading to changes in brain function, such as confusion, disorientation, or memory loss.] oriented X3, baseline dementia.</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 0637</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>Record review of Resident #1's progress note dated 3/31/2025 at 9:29 PM, NP reflected suspected progressive dementia - supportive care.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's MD orders dated 03/26/2025 reflected the following: Melatonin Oral Tablet 3 MG (Melatonin) Give 1 tablet by mouth every 8 hours as needed for Anxiety . Hydroxyzine Tablet 25 MG Give 1 tablet by mouth every 8 hours as needed for Anxiety.</p> <p>During a phone interview with ADON T on 04/11/2025 at 11:35 AM she stated that Resident #1 was observed during her stay (03/12/2025 to 03/31/2025) with increased impaired cognition, confusion, and altered mental status, t herefore, required more assistance with care and should not be discharged home alone to care for herself.</p> <p>During a phone interview with ADON N on 04/25/2025 at 12:35 PM she reported that this was the second admission for Resident #1. In her first admission she was cognitively alert and oriented, however her readmission on 03/12/2025 she had been observed with increased confusion, memory loss, and required more supervision for care needs during her stay (03/12/2025 to 03/31/2025P.</p> <p>During a phone interview with NP on 04/25/2025 at 10:45 AM she stated that Resident #1's confusion and cognition was progressive, and she required supervision if discharged home.</p> <p>During an interview on 04/26/2025 at 5:05 PM the DON stated her expectation was a Significant Change Assessment should have been completed within after 14 days of Resident #1 having an altered mental status related to dementia. The DON stated the MDS nurse was responsible to complete the Significant Change and nursing was responsible to notify MDS with the change. The DON stated the effect on residents could have received incorrect services and supervision at discharge.</p> <p>During an interview on 04/26/2025 at 3:59 PM with MDS R nurse she was responsible to complete the Significant Change Assessment. The nurse working with Resident #1 and IDT team should have triggered for a Significant Change Assessment to be completed and should have been completed when the resident was diagnosed with dementia, confusion, and decline in cognition and ADL's. The MDS R stated the MDS nurse was responsible to complete the MDS and the DON reviews, audits and signs the completed assessment. MDS R stated the effect on residents could have been plan of care not being updated . MDS Coordinator R said a MDS for significant change should be completed when a resident had changes in altered mental status, dx, medications, medical history .</p> <p>Review of CMS 'S State Operations Manual-Appendix PP February 24, 2025, revealed:</p> <p>INTENT S483.20(b)(2)(ii) To ensure that each resident who experiences a significant change in status is comprehensively assessed using the CMS-specified Resident Assessment Instrument (RAI) process.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> |

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| <p>F 0637</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>DEFINITIONS S483.20(b)(2)(ii) Significant Change is a major decline or improvement in a resident's status that 1) will not normally resolve itself without intervention by staff or by implementing standard disease-related clinical interventions; the decline is not considered self-limiting (NOTE: Self-limiting is when the condition will normally resolve itself without further intervention or by staff implementing standard clinical interventions to resolve the condition.); 2) impacts more than one area of the resident's health status; and 3) requires interdisciplinary review and/or revision of the care plan .Significant Change in Status Assessment (SCSA) is a comprehensive assessment that must be completed when the Interdisciplinary Team (IDT) has determined that a resident meets the significant change guidelines for either major improvement or decline . GUIDANCE S483.20(b)(2)(ii) . The facility should document in the medical record when the determination is made that the resident meets the criteria for a Significant Change in Status Assessment Examples of Decline include, but are not limited to o Resident's decision-making ability has changed;</p> <p>Record review of facility policy dated December 2016 titled Change in a Resident's Condition or Status</p> <p>Policy Statement Our facility shall promptly notify the resident, his or her Attending Physician, and representative (sponsor) of changes in the resident's medical/mental condition and/or status (e.g., changes in level of care, billing/payments, resident rights, etc.). Policy Interpretation and Implementation:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The nurse will notify the resident's Attending Physician or physician on call when there has been a(an): significant change in the resident's physical/emotional/mental condition. 2. A significant change of condition is a major decline or improvement in the resident's status that: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Will not normally resolve itself without intervention by staff or by implementing standard disease-related clinical interventions (is not self-limiting); .Impacts more than one area of the resident's health status; . Requires interdisciplinary review and/or revision to the care plan; .Prior to notifying the Physician or healthcare provider, the nurse will make detailed observations and gather relevant and pertinent information for the provider, including (for example) information prompted by the Interact SBAR Communication Form . There is a significant change in the resident's physical, mental, or psychosocial status. | | |

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| <p>F 0656</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p> | <p>Develop and implement a complete care plan that meets all the resident's needs, with timetables and actions that can be measured.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 44970</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review the facility failed to develop and implement a person-centered comprehensive care plan to include measurable objectives and timeframes to attain or maintain the resident's highest practical physical, mental, and psychosocial well-being for 4 of 10 (Resident #1, #6, #7, and #8) residents reviewed for comprehensive care plans in that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.The facility failed to ensure Resident #1's care plan addressed her anxiety and discharge goals, objectives, and interventions. 2. The facility failed to ensure Resident #6, #7, and #8's care plan addressed their discharge goals, objectives, and interventions. <p>Findings included:</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's face sheet dated 04/11/2025 Revealed she was a 73- year-old female admitted to the facility on [DATE] and discharged on [DATE]. DX included: Acute kidney failure (failing kidney function), unspecified dementia (cognitive decline), abnormalities of the gait, unsteadiness on fee, Lack of coordination, Cognitive communication deficit (difficulties in communication skills from cognitive impairments, attention, memory .), hypokalemia (low potassium levels).</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's discharge MDS assessment, dated 03/31/2025, reflected the resident had a BIMS score of 8, indicating she was moderately impaired cognitively. The MDS assessment reflected section GG for resident functional abilities were left empty, indicating she was not assessed at discharge on 03/31/2025. The discharge MDS was not signed by authorized personnel.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's care plan, dated 03/13/2025, reflected that Resident #1's has a potential for ADL Self-care Performance Deficit r/t Dementia. Resident requires assistant from staff for toileting, bathing, personal hygiene, and dressing. Resident #1 requires supervision and cuing for bed mobility and transfers. Resident has impaired cognitive function/impaired thought process r/t dementia .intervention Observe/document /report to MD any changes in cognitive function, specifically changes in: decision making ability, memory, recall and general awareness, difficulty expressing self, difficulty understanding others, level of consciousness, mental status .resident was at risk of falls r/t tunable gate, dementia. Resident #1's care plan did not address discharge goals, objectives, and interventions.</p> <p>During an interview with Resident #1 on 04/25/2025 at 10:00 AM she was interviewable, confused and could not recall daily routines, where she lived, nor her discharge home details. She has lost her ID card, purse, and cell phone. She can't recall the last time she used the items.</p> <p>Resident # 6</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> | | |

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| <p>F 0656</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p> | <p>Record review of Resident #6's face sheet dated 04/14/2025 reflected he was an [AGE] year-old male that was admitted on [DATE]. Resident's current DX: muscle wasting and atrophy, multiple sites (age related loss of muscles), Malignant neoplasm prostate (cancerous tumor in the prostate gland), DM 2 (irregular blood sugar levels), abnormal gait.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #6 's entry MDS revealed entry date 04/03/2025 from hospital to facility for skilled care.</p> <p>Record review of Resident # 6's BIMS assessment dated [DATE] was a score of 15, indicating he was cognitively intact.</p> <p>Record review of Resident # 6 's Care Plan dated 04/03/2025 reflected Resident has a skin tear and is at risk for skin tears due to Fragile skin .resident is on Anticoagulant therapy r/t Atrial fibrillation (irregular heartbeat resident has the potential for s/sx of complications of cardiac problems due to coronary artery disease (heart disease) r/t atrial fibrillation, hypercholesterolemia (abnormal high levels of cholesterol in blood), hypertension (high blood pressure) .resident has an ostomy and is At risk for complications including but not limited to stoma (surgical opening in abdomen), irritation, bleeding and ischemia (reduced blood supply to areas of the body). Cancer (uncontrolled growth of cells), Bowel obstruction, Trauma, ileus (intestine stop moving properly), Hernia (condition of part of an organ is displaced), Sigmoid volvulus (condition where the lower part of the large intestine, twist, and cause bowel obstruction) Resident has disorder/diagnosis uses antidepressant medication. At risk for side effects. Depression. Resident #6's care plan did not address his discharge goals, objectives, and interventions.</p> <p>During an observation and interview with Resident #6 on 04/14/25 at 11:04 AM revealed the resident lying in bed with no concerns with hygiene or room hazards. His call light was within reach, ostomy bag, and interviewable. Resident #6 stated he was at the facility for a short-term staff for therapy. He had no concerns with care, services, or treatment. Resident stated staff are responding and treating him with respect and dignity.</p> <p>Resident #7</p> <p>Record review of Resident #7's face sheet dated 04/25/2025 reflected he was a [AGE] year-old male that was admitted on [DATE]. Resident's current DX: single subsegmental thrombotic pulmonary embolism (blood clot in pulmonary artery) w/o acute Cor pulmonale (enlarge abnormal heart), sickle cell, emphysema (disorder affecting the tiny air sacs of the lungs), COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (damage to the airways or other parts of the lung), End stage renal disease (severely damaged kidneys unable to function properly) dependence on dialysis medical procedure that filters the blood, removes waste products).</p> <p>Record review of Resident #7 's quarterly MDS dated [DATE] reflected a BIMS score of 15 indicating he was cognitively intact. Health conditions of shortness of breath with, continuous oxygen and dialysis addressed and active discharge planning.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> | | |

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| <p>F 0656</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p> | <p>Record review of Resident #7's Care plan dated 03/31/2025 reflected [Resident] is on PO Antibiotic therapy r/t infection [Resident]Enhanced Barrier Precautions - [Resident] At risk for infection r/t Wounds, [Resident] Indwelling medical device . [Resident] is at risk for Ineffective Airway Clearance d/t COPD . [Resident] has the potential for s/sx of Congestive Heart Failure . [Resident] has Oxygen Therapy r/t COPD and Emphysema .at risk for falls r/t impaired balance unaware of safety needs. Resident #7's care plan did not address his discharge goals, objectives, and interventions.</p> <p>During an observation and interview with Resident #7 on 4/25/25 at 11:08 AM, he was in the hallway in his wheelchair with a NC with no concerns with hygiene or care. His ankles and feet were observed swollen and he denied pain. He stated that he would be discharging home soon with his sisters and they would transport.</p> <p>Resident #8</p> <p>Record review of Resident #8's face sheet dated 04/14/2025 reflected he was a [AGE] year-old male that was admitted on [DATE]Resident's current DX: anemia (limited red blood cells) , hyperlipidemia (high cholesterol), depression (feeling down), hypertension (high blood pressure) chronic systolic (congestive) heart failure (a long-term condition where the heart's left ventricle doesn't pump blood effectively, leading to a reduced ejection fraction.), seizure, atrial fibrillation, cerebral infarction (stroke) without residual deficits, hemiplegia and hemiparesis (impaired movement on one side, but hemiplegia is a more severe condition with a complete lack of motor function.), following cerebral infarction affecting left dominant side, muscle weakness, other lack of coordination, cognitive communication deficit (difficulty communicating) acute respiratory failure with hypoxia (respiratory can't deliver oxygen effectively).</p> <p>Record review of Resident #8 's admission MDS dated [DATE] reflected a BIMS score of 12 indicating he was moderately impaired cognitively. Resident #8 required staff supervision and assistance for ADLS and eating.</p> <p>Record review of Resident # 8's Care Plan dated 03/26/2025 revealed: The resident has surgical incision to . resident is Moderate risk for falls r/t impaired mobility, left sided hemiparesis, HX of CVA the (Left Chest) r/t Pacemaker surgery .resident uses antidepressant medication. At risk for side effects. Depression .resident has pain related to impaired mobility . Resident #8's Depression. Resident #8's care plan did not address discharge, goals, objectives, and interventions.</p> <p>During an interview with Resident #8 on 04/11/2025 at 10:55 AM revealed he would be discharged home with his wife and family soon and they would provide transportation. He was not sure if additional services would be ordered for aftercare at this time.</p> <p>During an interview with ADON N on 04/26/25 at 12:35 PM she said all care plans should be completed timely and accurately to guide the resident's care needs while at a skilled facility and address the plan of discharge. Failure to complete and document discharge plans in the care plan could lead to goals for aftercare not being met.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> | | |

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| <p>F 0656</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p> | <p>During an interview with the DON on 04/26/2025 at 5:05 PM revealed she was responsible along with the nurses to monitor and update resident care plans for changes and goals while at the facility. She stated that care plans were not updated for discharge information as the discharge assessment plan conducted by the nurses provided this information. Discharge planning addresses the plan along with other disciplines (SW/CM)</p> <p>During an interview with the ADM on 04/25/2025 at 5:25 PM revealed she expects the staff to complete the care plans timely and accurately to address the residents' needs. ADM said resident's goals for treatment should include discharge planning. She stated the discharge planning will address the resident needs once the discharge was planned.</p> <p>The policy for the care plan was requested on 04/11/2025 and was not provided.</p> <p>Review of federal guidelines for care plans. S483.21(b) Comprehensive Care Plans S483.21(b)(1) The facility must develop and implement a comprehensive person-centered care plan for each resident, consistent with the resident rights set forth at S483.10(c)(2) and S483.10(c)(3), that includes measurable objectives and timeframes to meet a resident's medical, nursing, and mental and psychosocial needs that are identified in the comprehensive assessment. The comprehensive care plan must describe the following - (i) The services that are to be furnished to attain or maintain the resident's highest practicable physical, mental, and psychosocial well-being as required under S483.24, S483.25 or S483.40; and (ii) Any services that would otherwise be required under S483.24, S483.25 or S483.40 but are not provided due to the resident's exercise of rights under S483.10, including the right to refuse treatment under S483.10(c)(6). (iv) In consultation with the resident and the resident's representative(s)-(A) The resident's goals for admission and desired outcomes. (B) The resident's preference and potential for future discharge. Facilities must document whether the resident's desire to return to the community was assessed and any referrals to local contact agencies and/or other appropriate entities, for this purpose. (C) Discharge plans in the comprehensive care plan, as appropriate, in accordance with the requirements set forth in paragraph (c) of this section. S483.21(b)(3) The services provided or arranged by the facility, as outlined by the comprehensive care plan, must-</p> <p>(iii) Be culturally competent and trauma-informed.</p> | | |

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| <p>F 0835</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>Administer the facility in a manner that enables it to use its resources effectively and efficiently.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 44970</p> <p>Based on interview, and record review, the facility failed to be administered in a manner that enabled it to use its resources effectively and efficiently to maintain the highest practicable well-being of each resident reviewed for one (Resident #1) of four residents reviewed for Administration.</p> <p>The ADM and DON failed to ensure residents discharged home were provided the appropriate supervision and care before returning home. The ADM directed staff to discharge Resident #1 home without knowing she was diagnosed with dementia, confusion, altered mental status, and no POA.</p> <p>The IDT failed to notify the NP/MD of Resident #1's discharge home alone without services.</p> <p>The ADM, DON, and CM T returned Resident #1 to an unsafe home environment without investigating and following up prior to sending her home in an Uber (ride share).</p> <p>An Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) situation was identified on 05/08/2025 at 11:00 AM after an administrative review determined that the noncompliance would be elevated to an IJ. The ADM was provided an IJ template and told that the current POR (Plan of Removal) that was accepted on 04/26/2025 at 1:22 PM was sufficient. While the IJ was removed on 04/26/2025 at 5:45 PM, the facility remained out of compliance at a scope of isolated and a severity level of no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that is not immediate jeopardy because the facility was still monitoring the effectiveness of their Plan of Removal (POR).</p> <p>This failure placed residents at risk of not receiving the appropriate care and services to maintain their highest practicable well-being and at risk of a diminished quality of life and supervision for safety.</p> <p>The findings included:</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's face sheet, dated 04/11/2025, reflected the resident was a [AGE] year-old female admitted to the facility on [DATE] and discharged on [DATE]. DX reflected unspecified dementia (cognitive decline), Lack of coordination, Cognitive communication deficit (difficulties in communication skills from cognitive impairments, attention, memory .), hypokalemia (low potassium levels). The face sheet did not list a POA or RP, only emergency contact #1 (FM S) and the name and phone number of FM J.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's entry MDS assessment, dated 03/12/2025 reflected entry date of 03/12/2025 from the hospital to a skilled nursing facility.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's discharge MDS assessment, dated 03/31/2025, reflected the resident had a BIMS score of 8, indicating she was moderately impaired cognitively. The MDS assessment reflected Resident #1 had no history of wandering; section GG for resident functional abilities was left empty, indicating she was not assessed at discharge on 03/31/2025. Section N - Medications reflected the resident was not taking any high-risk medications. The discharge MDS was not signed by authorized personnel.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> | | |

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| <p>F 0835</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p> | <p>Record review of Resident #1's care plan, dated 03/13/2025, reflected that Resident #1's has a potential for ADL Self-care Performance Deficit r/t Dementia. Resident requires assistant from staff for toileting, bathing, personal hygiene, and dressing. Resident #1 requires supervision and cuing for bed mobility and transfers. Resident has impaired cognitive function/impaired thought process r/t dementia .intervention Observe/document /report to MD any changes in cognitive function, specifically changes in: decision making ability, memory, recall and general awareness, difficulty expressing self, difficulty understanding others, level of consciousness, mental status. Resident #1 was at risk of falls.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's MD orders dated 03/12/2025 reflected the following:</p> <p>Hypoglycemic Protocol: Follow Hypoglycemic Protocol if blood sugar is less than 70 mg/dl (a unit of volume equal to one-tenth of a liter.) Assessment tab when protocol is required every shift -Start Date- 03/12/2025 6:00 PM -DC Date-04/01/2025 3:54 PM 03/12/2025 HS snacks .Monitor resident for abnormal bruising and/or bleeding from nose, gums, blood in urine or stool Q Shift every shift .order dated 03/26/2025 reflected .Melatonin Oral Tablet 3 MG (Melatonin) Give 1 tablet by mouth every 8 hours as needed for Anxiety . Hydroxyzine Tablet 25 MG Give 1 tablet by mouth every 8 hours as needed for Anxiety.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's progress note dated 03/28/2025 at 12:49 PM by RN G resident is A &O x 1 (alert and oriented times) indicating that she knew her name but not where they are, what time it is or what is happening, with confusion. cont. to require assist with ADL.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's progress note dated 03/28/2025 at 2:48 PM by the NP reflected Assessment and Plan: Impaired mobility and gait worsened state since PTA, continue rehabilitation efforts with multidisciplinary approach including PT for gait, OT for self-care skills and transfers. - Pt currently will benefit from continuous 24 hr care for medication, skin care, education, and reinforcement in therapies along with psychiatric medical care/recommendations for ongoing medical issues.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's progress note dated 3/31/2025 at 9:29 PM, by the NP reflected suspected progressive dementia - supportive care.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's insurance dated 03/30/2025 titled Medicare coverage of current skilled nursing services will end on 03/30/2025. Verbal notification given patient or RP on 03/27/2025. Additional information reason unable to sign cognitive impairment NOMNC given to [FM] via telephone the beneficiary's last day of coverage 03/30/2025 and the date when the beneficiary liability is expected to begin 03/31/2025 informed [FM] that appeal must be done as soon as possible, but no later than 12:00 noon of the day before the last covered day [FM] plans to take member to home on 03/31/2025.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's Physician discharge summary completed by NP RB dated 03/31/2025 reflected provisional diagnosis: Acute Kidney Failure, unspecified Condition at discharge stable .Discharge Diagnosis: aftercare acute kidney failure unspecified Prognosis: Fair. Disposition: home by uber. [name] home health. DME - NA signed by NP RB.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p> | | |

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