

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:  045267	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED  10/12/2022
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER  Legacy Health and Rehabilitation Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 3310 North 50th Street Fort Smith, AR 72904	

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<p>F 0697</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide safe, appropriate pain management for a resident who requires such services.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 37145</b></p> <p>Based on record review and interview the facility failed to ensure pain management consistent with professional standards of practice was provided for one resident (resident #1) of six (R#1, R#2, R#3, R#4, R#5, R#6) residents reviewed who were admitted with Physician Orders for pain medication. This failed practice had the potential to affect 1 resident who was at risk of pain due to fracture and resulted in past immediate jeopardy that caused or was likely to cause serious harm, injury, or death to Resident #1. The Administrator, Director of Nursing (DON) and the Consultant were notified of the Past Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) on 10/12/22 at 9:38 AM. The Immediate Jeopardy began on 09/28/22 at 6:30 pm and ended on 09/29/22 at 9:25 pm. The facility corrected the noncompliance prior to this current survey by obtaining and administering Resident #1's pain medication as ordered by the physician.</p> <p>This failed practice resulted in R #1 having 8 out of 10 post surgical pain for twenty seven hours which could have impaired wound healing and caused physical or psychological suffering to the resident.</p> <p>1.R#1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE] at 6:30 pm with Diagnoses of closed three (3) part fracture of proximal end of right Humerus post repair for aftercare. Acute midline back pain, and frequent falls. A 5-day Medicare Admission Minimum Data Set (MDS) with Assessment Reference Date (ARD) of 10/04/22 documented a scored 15(13-15: Cognitively Intact) on the brief interview of mental status (BIMS), required extensive one-person physical assistance for bed mobility, toileting, dressing, two-person extensive physical assistance for transfer, and limited one person assistance for eating. Section J documented received as needed (PRN) pain medication per resident interview. J0400 frequency 2. Frequent. J0500B limited daily activities J0600 verbal descriptor scale 2. Moderate and Received Antidepressant and Opioids 5 of the 7-day look back period.</p> <p>a. On 10/11/22 at 8:42 am, Record Review of resident # 1's Physician Order dated 09/28/22 documented . Percocet 7.5/325 MG (milligram) tablet give one tablet by mouth every four hours as needed. (Do not exceed more than 3 grams of Acetaminophen in 24-hour period. Dx [Diagnosis] pain .</p> <p>b. On 10/11/22 at 8:42 am, Record Review of resident # 1's September 2022 Medication Administration Record (MAR) documented .Percocet 7.5/325 mg tablet give one tablet by mouth every 4 hours as needed. Order date 09/28/22 . The MAR documented the first dose of pain medication was given on 09/29/22 at 9:28 pm. 27 hours after admission to facility.</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.

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE
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