

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 145000	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/10/2022
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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>33973</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure safe resident transfers for three residents (R1, R4, and R5) of six residents reviewed for falls and transfers in a sample of six. These failures caused R1 to sustain a left hip fracture and pain, and R4 and R5 to sustain lacerations requiring sutures.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>The facility's policy Falls and Fall Risk, Managing, revised August 2008, documents Based on previous evaluations and current data, the staff will identify interventions related to the resident's specific risks and causes to try to prevent the resident from falling and to try to minimize complications from falling.</p> <p>1. On 6-3-22, at 9:24am, R1 was in bed. R1 stated the following: The girl (V6 Certified Nursing Assistant/CNA) was trying to fix my chair. I was trying to put my other hand on the walker and lost my balance. (V6) was adjusting the foot rest so it would stay up. I was getting out of the chair so they could work on it. (V6) couldn't catch me because (V6) had her back to me.</p> <p>R1's Progress Note, dated 5-22-22, at 7:23pm, V3 Registered Nurse/RN writes: Staff (V6 CNA) reported observing resident during a fall in room.</p> <p>R1's Minimum Data Set/MDS assessment, dated 5-9-22, documents R1 as cognitively intact and requires one person physical assist for transfers and walking in the room. R1's MDS assessment also documents R1's balance during transitions and walking as not steady, only able to stabilize with staff assistance for moving from seated to standing position, for walking (with assistive device if used), for turning around and facing the opposite direction while walking, and for surface-to-surface transfers (transfer between bed and chair or wheelchair).</p> <p>On 6-3-22, at 11:40am, V6 CNA stated what occurred on 5-22-22: (R1) pressed the call light. I went in and (R1) was already standing up. (R1) was all upset because her recliner wasn't swiveling. (R1) was standing up at her walker. I was talking to (R1) and said let's sit down. I'll try to fix it. (R1) started back pedaling and shuffling backwards and started to lose (R1's) balance. I tried to catch (R1), but it happened too fast. Supervision with limited assist is what (R1) is supposed to be, but sometimes (R1) does it by herself. Supervision means to be with (R1) and help her. (R1) can do a lot by herself. My intention was to sit her on the bed and then fix the chair.</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>On 6-3-22, at 1:30pm, V9 Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant/COTA assisted R1 to stand at the bedside three times with rest periods in between. R1 rubbed R1's left hip surgical area and stated, it hurts. At this time, conversation between R1 and V9 included R1 stating They thought that since I walk with a walker that I don't need help. But I did need help. V9 replied Yes, you need them to help you.</p> <p>R1's left hip X-ray report, dated 5-23-22, documents Left hip slightly impacted subcapital fracture of left femoral neck with no significant displacement.</p> <p>2. The facility's Safe Lifting and Movement of Residents policy, revised August 2008, documents Policy Statement: In order to protect the safety and well-being of staff and residents, and to promote quality care, this facility uses mechanical lifting devices for the lifting and movement of residents.</p> <p>The facility's policy Lifting Machine, Using a Portable, revised August 2008, documents Purpose: The purpose of this procedure is to help lift residents using a manual lifting device. 1. Review the resident's care plan to assess for any special needs of the resident .3. To transfer a resident from a bed to a chair, you should .(m.) To position the resident comfortably in the chair, grasp the top of the sling with one hand and pull back on the sling while lowering the resident into the chair. (Note: You can also push gently on the resident's knees while lowering the resident into the chair).</p> <p>On 6-8-22, at 10:24am, R4 was in bed with dressings noted to bilateral forearms and left lower leg. At this time V20 and V21 Certified Nursing Assistants/CNAs transferred R4 from his bed to a wheelchair using a mechanical lift device.</p> <p>On 6-8-22, at 10:30am, R4 stated the following occurred on 5-27-22: Two girls were getting me up (with the mechanical lift). When letting me down into the wheelchair they had not unhooked the hooks yet. One CNA (V18) was operating the lift and the other CNA (V17) was behind me tried to straighten me up and the (mechanical lift) fell and tipped over the top of me. It hit my arms and caused my left leg to hit against the wheel chair. Both arms got skin tears and my leg injury required sutures at the hospital. A CNA said it was a malfunction of the (mechanical lift).</p> <p>R4's current care plan includes (R4) has impaired skin integrity to BLE (bilateral lower extremities) r/t (related to) multiple ruptured hematomas, date initiated 5-16-22. This focus has interventions/tasks including Ensure resident's legs are supported during transfers, date initiated 5-11-22. This same care plan also documents (R4) has a Transfer ADL (Activities of Daily Living) Self Care Performance Deficit r/t (related to) Limited ROM (Range of Motion). Goal: (R4) will transfer using safe technique to/from bed, wheelchair, with total x two assist with (mechanical lift) for safety by review date. Transfer: (R4) requires (mechanical lift) x two staff for transfers.</p> <p>R4's Progress Note, dated 5-27-22 at 11:45am by V25 Licensed Practical Nurse/LPN, documents: While transferring from bed to wheelchair with (mechanical lift), (R4) obtained skin tears on both forearms and on left leg. Left leg wound was bleeding profusely, and it was this nurse's opinion that resident be sent to ED (Emergency Department) for evaluation .Resident transferred to (hospital) via AMT (ambulance medical transportation).</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>The facility's final report to State Agency for R4 documents On 5-27-22 at 11:45am (R4)sustained a laceration to left lower leg .Staff interviews noted that there were two CNAs and a (mechanical lift) was used to transfer (R4) to wheelchair .As (R4) was being lowered down into wheelchair, staff grabbed positioning straps on the (mechanical lift) to position (R4) in the wheelchair as that occurred the (mechanical lift) tipped towards (R4) when (R4) was right above the wheelchair, causing skin tears to right and left upper extremity and laceration to left posterior leg.</p> <p>R4's Minimum Data Set/MDS assessment, dated 5-11-22, documents R4 is cognitively intact, requires total dependence and two person physical assist, weighs 332 pounds and is six foot three inches in height.</p> <p>On 6-7-22, at 11:56am, V17 CNA stated the following occurred on 5-27-22: Therapy (V9 COTA/Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant) came in while we were getting (R4) up. Another agency CNA (V18) was there to help me. (V9) was just outside the room during the (mechanical lift) transfer. I said (R4) might need a bigger sling and (V9) said there were none. (V9) was standing behind me, (V18) maneuvered the (mechanical lift), and I was holding onto the sling by the handles so (R4) didn't twist or turn in the air. While up in the air you have to pull on the sling to position (R4) into the chair. While we did that the (mechanical lift) tipped over while (V18) was trying to lower and I'm trying to align (R4). It fell over (R4's) head and was on its front wheels only, the other two were off the floor. It gashed (R4's) leg, a big gash. They had to call 911. It was bad. And both (R4's) arms had skin tears too .Not sure why it tipped. It wasn't (R4's) weight, it was the old (mechanical lift). And (R4) needed a bigger sling.</p> <p>On 6-8-22, at 10:44am, V18 CNA stated the following: (On 5-27-22) I was in the process of transferring (R4) with another girl (V17 CNA) .We attached the (mechanical lift) and it made a funny noise but it seemed to be okay. It was making a clicking noise as we were lifting him off the bed as though it would break, but all was still okay. I was controlling the (mechanical lift) and (V17) had (R4) and was holding the sling. I extended the legs to the fullest and put it at the side of the wheelchair - one leg in front of the wheelchair and one through the middle. After making sure it was extended, we lowered (R4) into the wheelchair .The problem was with (R4's) weight. Once V17 CNA grabbed (R4's) weight by the sling, (R4) went properly into the wheelchair, but the mechanical lift fell on top of (R4) - tilted towards (R4) .It didn't make sense. The (mechanical lift) was extremely old .If not mistaken I don't think the legs were locked. I don't think it had locks and don't recall locking it or seeing a lock for it. The shifter handle didn't lock. The legs never moved and were fully extended .The sling provided in (R4's) chair is too skinny for (R4). (R4) needed a wider sling. Whatever snagged (R4's) leg gashed it really bad.</p> <p>On 6-7-22, at 1:53pm, V9 COTA (Certified Occupational Therapy Assistant) stated the following: (On 5-27-22) The CNAs were ready to get (R4) up and his chair was in the hallway so I put it in the doorway for them. I stepped out in the hallway and was observing. The back of the wheel chair was facing the doorway. They lifted (R4) up with the (mechanical lift) coming in on the side of (R4's) chair with one leg (of the lift) in between the front and back wheels and second leg (of the lift) out in front of the chair. (R4) was positioned over a reclining type of. One CNA (V17) was at the back of (R4's) chair and one (V18 CNA) was operating the (mechanical lift). Once (R4) was elevated and positioned over the chair the other CNA (V17) reclined the chair. (V17) took the handles at the sides of the sling and pulled him back to position (R4) to go down and that's when the (mechanical lift) tilted towards (R4) on its side and took (R4) into the chair - (R4) rapidly descended into the chair, cockeyed a little, and (R4's) legs were off center.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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