

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:  335659	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED  04/22/2022
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER  Fordham Nursing and Rehabilitation Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE  2678 Kingsbridge Terrace Bronx, NY 10463	

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<p>F 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Protect each resident from all types of abuse such as physical, mental, sexual abuse, physical punishment, and neglect by anybody.</p> <p><b>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 43285</b></p> <p>Based on observation, record review and interviews during an abbreviated and Partial Extended Survey (NY00294473), the facility failed to protect resident's rights to be free from sexual abuse and psychosocial harm using the reasonable person concept. The facility did not ensure each resident was free from abuse for 1 out of 6 residents (Resident # 1).</p> <p>Specifically, on 4/18/22 at approximately 11:30 PM, CNA #1 observed LPN #1 in the room of Resident #1 who was diagnosed with dementia and severely impaired cognition. CNA #1 observed LPN #1 naked from the waist down, with pants at the ankles and Resident #1 was observed lying across the bed naked from the waist down, not wearing disposable brief or underwear. Resident #1's buttocks were rested on the edge of the bed and legs elevated in the air. CNA#1 informed the RNS supervisor of the incident. The RNS immediately went to assess Resident #1 who refused physical assessment and denied (through Spanish interpreter) that a man was ever in their room or was assaulted. Resident #1 was transferred to the to the ER (emergency room ).</p> <p>This resulted in Substandard Quality of Care that was Immediate Jeopardy with the likelihood for serious injury and harm using the reasonable person concept for Resident #1.</p> <p>The findings are:</p> <p>The facility's Policy and Procedure entitled Reporting and Investigation of Resident Abuse, Neglect, Mistreatment, Misappropriation/Exploitation dated 11/2021, documented: All personnel have the responsibility to report any incident or suspected incident of resident abuse, including injuries of an unknown source. The facility shall conduct a thorough investigation of all alleged violations involving exploitation, mistreatment, neglect or abuse, and misappropriation of resident property and comply with State reporting regulations. Sexual Abuse was defined as non-consensual sexual contact of any type with a resident.</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 0600</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>The Facility investigation dated 04/18/2022, documented on 04/18/2022 at approximately 11:30PM, CNA #1 observed Resident #1 lying in bed on their back with their legs up in the air without a disposable brief. LPN #1 was standing in front of Resident #1, 1-2 feet away from Resident #1 with their pants down. LPN #1 immediately pulled up their pants and followed CNA #1 into the hallway as CNA #1 tried to use the elevator. CNA #1 stated that LPN #1 tried to hinder CNA #1 from reporting what was seen. CNA #1 reported what was witnessed to the Registered Nurse Supervisor (RNS #1). RNS #1 attempted to assess Resident #1, but Resident #1 refused the assessment. Resident #1 was interviewed with an interpreter, and Resident #1 denied seeing a man in their room. The Director of Nursing (DON) was notified and 911 was called. Police Officers arrived at the facility at 12:56 AM, obtained statements from the staff and directed LPN #1 not to leave the facility.</p> <p>Resident #1 with diagnoses that included Dementia, Peripheral Vascular Disease and Hypertension. Resident #1 resided on the Dementia Unit.</p> <p>The Quarterly Minimum Data Set 3.0 (MDS) assessment dated [DATE] documented Resident #1 had a Brief Interview of Mental Status (BIMS) score of 05 out of 15, indicating Resident #1 had severely impaired cognition.</p> <p>A Comprehensive Care Plan (CCP), dated 5/26/2021, identified that Resident #1 is at risk to be a victim of abuse, neglect and or mistreatment and documented interventions that are necessary to ensure the safety of Resident #1.</p> <p>A Physician's order dated 05/26/2021, ordered Donepezil HCl tablet 5 milligrams (mg), give 1 tablet orally at bedtime for Dementia; Memantine HCl tablet 5 mg, give 1 tablet orally every 12 hours for Dementia.</p> <p>A nursing note, by Registered Nurse Supervisor (RNS) #1, dated 04/19/2022 at 12:02PM, documented they received a call from CNA #1 regarding inappropriate behavior by a nurse LPN #1 with Resident #1 that was witnessed by CNA #1, while doing rounds on the unit.</p> <p>During an interview on 04/20/2022 at 10:15 AM, CNA #1 stated that he/she was employed at the facility for 2 years and worked with LPN #1 for six months on the Dementia unit on the 11-7 shift. CNA #1 arrived at the facility at 11:19 PM on 04/18/2022, to begin the 11-7 shift and went to the second dementia unit to start making their rounds on the unit. CNA #1 stated, upon arrival at Resident #1's room, the door was closed, and they opened the door. Upon opening the door, CNA #1 stated they observed LPN #1 standing at the side of Resident #1's bed. Resident #1 was lying across the bed with their nude buttock at the edge of the bed and both legs elevated in the air. CNA #1 stated that he/she observed LPN #1's pants were down around their ankles. CNA #1 stated that Resident #1 was not making any sounds when they opened the door to the resident's room and LPN #1 bent down to pull up their pants. CNA #1 stated that LPN #1 exited Resident #1's room and spoke to CNA #1, telling CNA #1 not to report what was witnessed. CNA #1 stated they reported what was seen to the RNS #1.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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