

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 455942	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/01/2022
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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>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** 27430</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, and record review the facility failed to ensure each resident receives adequate supervision and assistance devices to prevent accidents for 1 of 5 residents (Resident #1) reviewed for accident hazards/supervision.</p> <p>The facility failed to use a two-person mechanical lift transfer from the wheelchair to the bed causing Resident #1's foot to get caught between the bed and the Hoyer lift, resulting in an acute nondisplaced fracture of her left distal tibia (ankle).</p> <p>The noncompliance was identified as PNC. The noncompliance started on 05/21/2022 and ended on 05/22/2022. The facility had corrected the noncompliance before the survey began.</p> <p>This failure could result in residents experiencing accidents, injuries and/or a diminished quality of life.</p> <p>The findings include:</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's facesheet revealed a [AGE] year-old female admitted to the facility on [DATE], with a readmitted [DATE]. Her diagnoses included: history of right hip fracture, chronic pain syndrome, weakness and paralysis following a stroke affecting left non-dominant side, type 2 diabetes mellitus with hyperglycemia, protein-calorie malnutrition, seizures, major depressive disorder, insomnia, and hypertension.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's annual MDS assessment dated [DATE], revealed a BIMS score of 15 (normal cognition). Resident #1 required extensive assistance with two-person physical assistance with bed mobility, dressing, and toileting. Resident #1 required total assistance with two-person physical assistance with transfers. The MDS reflected Resident #1's range of motion was impaired on one side to the upper and lower extremity. She utilized a wheelchair.</p> <p>Record review of Resident #1's Care Plan last reviewed 04/08/2022 revealed:</p> <p>Problem: ADL self-care deficit related to effects of CVA (cerebrovascular accident) with left hemiparesis. Prefers staff to assist/complete ADLs for her. Needs encouragement to participant in ADL care. Intervention included: Requires a lift for all transfers with two assist and/or may stand and pivot with two assist.</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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