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FACILITY EVALUATION REPORT

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA - HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY **FACILITY EVALUATION REPORT**	CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES COMMUNITY CARE LICENSING DIVISION FRESNO RO, 1314 E SHAW AVE FRESNO, CA 93710

FACILITY NAME:	POSITIVE DIRECTIONS #9		FACILITY NUMBER:	157203358
ADMINISTRATOR/DIRECTOR:	MARIA ORTIZ		FACILITY TYPE:	740
ADDRESS:	329 EL CAMINO DRIVE		TELEPHONE:	(661) 721-3525
CITY:	DELANO	STATE: CA	ZIP CODE:	93215
CAPACITY: 4		CENSUS: 4	DATE:	08/03/2026
TYPE OF VISIT:	Required - 1 Year	UNANNOUNCED	TIME VISIT/ INSPECTION BEGAN:	02:20 PM
MET WITH:	Administrator Maria Alicia Ortiz		TIME VISIT/ INSPECTION COMPLETED:	05:30 PM

NARRATIVE

Licensing Program Analysts (LPA) B. Miranda conducted an unannounced visit today August 3, 2026 for the facility's annual inspection. LPA introduced themselves and was allowed entrance into the facility. LPA met with Administrator Maria "Alicia" Ortiz.

Facility is licensed for 4 residents and has a current census of 4. There are 0 residents on hospice and 0 with home health. Water temperature was checked in the kitchen and read at 105.3 degrees Fahrenheit. Fire Extinguisher was serviced August 5, 2025 and is within the safety regulation period. Smoke and carbon monoxide detectors were tested and in working order.

Alicia's Administrator Certification expires November 24, 2027. Staff files were reviewed, are complete, and current. Resident files were reviewed, complete, and current. Facility provided a log for disaster drills that are conducted monthly. First aid kit on site. Toxins and cleaning supplies are locked and inaccessible. There is a locked storage for medications. Sample of medication was checked.

LPA inspected the interior and the exterior of the facility including the common living spaces, resident bedrooms, bathrooms, medication storage, kitchen, garage and outdoor areas. Bedrooms were clean, properly furnished, with adequate lighting, and in good repair. Food supply is adequate for 2-day perishable and 7-day nonperishable.

There were no deficiencies observed or cited during today's inspection per California Code of Regulations, Title 22.
LPA is requesting the following documents: LIC 500 Personnel Report, LIC 308 Designation of Administrative Responsibility, LIC 610-E the Emergency Disaster Plan and copy of current Administrator's Certificate to update the facility file. *Listed documents shall be sent to Licensing August 14, 2026.*

Exit interview conducted and a copy of this report LIC809 was provided to Alicia Ortiz.

Alexandria Walton
Brianna Miranda



DATE: 08/03/2026

I acknowledge receipt of this form and understand my licensing appeal rights as explained and received.

FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE:



DATE: 08/03/2026

This report must be available at Child Care and Group Home facilities for public review for 3 years.

FACILITY EVALUATION REPORT California law requires a public report of each licensing visit/inspection. This report is a record for the facility and the licensing agency. This report is available for public review; therefore, care is taken not to disclose personal or confidential information. Inquiries concerning the location, maintenance, and contents of these reports may be directed to the Licensing Program Analyst or Regional Office whose address and telephone number are listed on the front of this form.

DEFICIENCIES A deficiency is an instance of noncompliance with licensing requirements, including applicable statutes, regulations, interim licensing standards, operating standards, and written directives. Applicants/ licensees must be notified in writing of all licensing deficiencies. Deficiencies are listed on the left side of this form, and the applicable licensing requirement upon which the deficiency is identified. There are two types of deficiencies:

- Type A deficiencies are violations of licensing requirements that, if not corrected, have a direct and immediate risk to the health, safety, or personal rights of persons in care.

- Type B deficiencies are violations of licensing requirements that, without correction, could become a risk to the health, safety, or personal rights of persons in care, a recordkeeping violation that could impact the care of said persons and/or protection of their resources, or a violation that could impact those services required to meet the needs of persons in care.

PLANS OF CORRECTION (POCs) The licensing agency is required to establish a reasonable length of time to correct a deficiency. In order to set the time, the licensing agency must take into consideration the seriousness of the violation, the number of persons in care involved, and the availability of equipment and personnel necessary to correct the violation. Applicants/licensees are requested to provide a specific plan for each violation on the right side of the form across from each deficiency. The more specific the plan, the less chance exists for any misunderstanding in setting time limits and reviewing corrections. The applicant/licensee who encounters problems beyond their control in completing the corrections within the specified time frame may request and may be granted an extension of the correction due date by the licensing agency.

CORRECTION NOTIFICATION The applicant/licensee is responsible for completing all corrections and promptly notifying the licensing agency of corrections. Applicants/licensees are advised to keep a dated copy of any correspondence sent to the licensing agency concerning corrections, or if corrections are telephoned to the licensing agency, the date, person contacted, and information given.

CIVIL PENALTIES The licensing agency is required by law to issue a Penalty Notice, when applicable, to all facilities holding a license issued by the licensing agency, or subject to licensure, except Certified Family Homes, Resource Families, and Foster Family Homes, or any governmental entity.

PENALTY NOTICE GIVEN The statement concerning civil penalties serves as a penalty notice on this Licensing Report and failure to correct cited licensing deficiencies will result in civil penalties. Applicants/ licensees are required to pay civil penalties when administrative appeals have been exhausted and in accordance with any payment arrangements made with the licensing agency.

APPEAL RIGHTS The applicant/licensee has a right without prejudice to discuss any disagreement in this report with the licensing agency concerning the proper application of licensing requirements. The applicant/ licensee may request a formal review by the licensing agency to amend or dismiss the notice of deficiency and/ or civil penalty. Requests for review shall be made in writing within 15 business days of receipt of a deficiency notification or civil penalty assessment. Licensing deficiencies may be appealed pursuant to the

procedures in the LIC 9058 Applicant/Licensee Rights.

AGENCY REVIEW The licensing agency review of an appeal may be conducted based upon information provided in writing by the applicant/licensee. The applicant/licensee may request an office meeting to provide additional information. The applicant/licensee will be notified in writing of the results of the agency review within 60 business days of the date when all necessary information has been provided to the licensing agency.

EMAIL REQUIREMENT Adult Community Care Facilities, Residential Care Facilities for the Chronically Ill, and Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly are required to provide and maintain an active email address of record with the licensing agency.