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Community Care Licensing

FACILITY EVALUATION REPORT

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA - HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY	CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES COMMUNITY CARE LICENSING DIVISION CCLD Regional Office, 21731 VENTURA BLVD. #250 WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91364
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FACILITY NAME:	VARENITA OF SIMI VALLEY	FACILITY NUMBER:	567610007
ADMINISTRATOR/HELEN LEE		FACILITY TYPE:	740
DIRECTOR:			
ADDRESS:	3921 COCHRAN STREET	TELEPHONE:	(805) 327-1100
CITY:	SIMI VALLEY	STATE: CA	ZIP CODE: 93063
CAPACITY: 110		CENSUS: 96	DATE: 05/11/2026
TYPE OF VISIT:	Case Management - Legal/Non-compliance	UNANNOUNCED TIME VISIT/INSPECTION	02:00 PM
MET WITH:	Cassandra Sadowsky -	BEGAN: TIME VISIT/INSPECTION	04:00 PM
		COMPLETED:	

NARRATIVE	
1	Licensing Program Analyst (LPA) Martha Arroyo conducted an unannounced case management –
2	legal/non-compliance visit. The purpose of today’s visit was to ensure the facility is maintaining
3	substantial compliance. Upon arrival, the LPA met with the Resident Care Director (RCD), Cassandra
4	Sadowsky, and the reason for the visit was explained. The LPA conducted a plant tour with the RCD and
5	focused today’s visit on ensuring there are no health and safety hazards and facility is in compliance
6	with Title 22 Regulations.
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8	Starting at 02:25 p.m., ten (10) randomly selected resident bedrooms were observed. The LPA
9	inspected eight (8) bedrooms in Assisted Living and two (2) bedrooms in Memory Care. All bedrooms
10	were observed to be properly furnished and had sufficient lighting. Hot water temperatures in Assisted
11	Living bathrooms measured between 113.9 and 118.2 degrees Fahrenheit. In Memory Care bathrooms,
12	hot water temperatures measured between 115.3 and 117.0 degrees Fahrenheit at the time of the visit.
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14	At the time of the visit, common area furniture was observed to be in good condition. The facility
15	maintained a comfortable temperature. Several fire extinguishers were observed throughout the facility,
16	all fully charged and with a service date of 12/05/2025. The facility’s Annual Fire Alarm Inspection was
17	conducted on 12/11/2025 with no discrepancies noted. Required postings were observed throughout the
18	common areas. The facility includes a courtyard which was observed to have adequate patio furniture
19	for resident use. All interior and exterior passageways were observed to be free of obstructions.
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21	The kitchen and food service area were inspected during today’s visit. The LPA observed sufficient
22	perishable and non-perishable foods to meet the minimum two-day and seven-day supply of food and
23	water. An adequate amount of emergency food and water was observed during today’s visit.
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25	Exit interview conducted. Report was reviewed and copy was issued.

NAME OF LICENSING PROGRAM MANAGER: Desaree Perera
NAME OF LICENSING PROGRAM ANALYST: Martha Arroyo

LICENSING PROGRAM ANALYST SIGNATURE:



DATE: 05/11/2026

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

FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE:



DATE: 05/11/2026

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.