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<p>F 0572</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Give residents a notice of rights, rules, services and charges.</p> <p>Based on resident interviews, staff interviews, facility document review and policy review the facility failed to provide ongoing education to residents and/or their representatives on Resident Rights in a format that is understandable to them. The facility had a census of 28. Findings include: On 1/27/26 at 10:25 AM during the Resident Council meeting, the residents present indicated they were unaware of having rights, knowing what the Resident Rights were or if they were posted within the facility for their knowledge. Review of Resident Council Minutes for 11/25, 12/25 and 1/26 revealed a variety of facility leadership in attendance at the meetings with no education provided to the residents on Resident Rights. During the Resident Council meeting on 1/27/26 Staff K, Life Enrichment Director, stated she normally assisted with leading the Resident Council, but if she was not available an Activity Coordinator filled her position. Staff K acknowledged the staff had not been reviewing/educating residents on Resident Rights during Resident Council meetings. The Director of Nursing, DON, during the Resident Council meeting on 1/27/26 stated the residents were provided the Resident Rights as part of their admission packets, but concurred the Resident Rights needed to be reviewed with the residents on an ongoing basis. Neither Staff K nor the DON could confirm the Resident Rights were posted and readily available for the residents. The facility's Resident Rights Policy, undated, revealed the residents had the right to be supported by the facility in exercising their rights, be informed about their rights and the resident rights were to be posted throughout the facility.</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 0657</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Develop the complete care plan within 7 days of the comprehensive assessment; and prepared, reviewed, and revised by a team of health professionals.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on clinical record review, policy review, resident interviews, family interviews, and staff interviews the facility failed to provide an opportunity for a comprehensive care plan to be reviewed and revised by an interdisciplinary team composed of each resident and resident representative to allow developing the care plan and making decisions about his or her care. The facility also failed to complete revisions to care plans when there was a change in the residents care to 10 of 20 residents reviewed (Resident #23, #11, #7, #8, #21 #2, #3, #9, #29, and #30). The facility reported a census of 28 residents. Findings include: 1. According to the quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment tool with a reference date of 10/24/2025, Resident #23 had a Brief Interview of Mental Status (BIMS) score of 3. A BIMS score of 3 suggested severe cognitive impairment. The MDS documented the following diagnoses for Resident #23: Alzheimer's disease, hip fracture, anxiety, depression, muscle weakness and diabetes mellitus. The MDS documented an admission date of 2/7/2025.</p> <p>Record review revealed a document titled Baseline Care Plan Summary with an effective date of 12/17/2024. The resident's Power of Attorney (POA) signed and dated on 1/9/2025.</p> <p>Record review revealed no care conference attendance sheets or documents.</p> <p>On 1/20/2026 at 11:28 AM Resident #23's emergency contact #1 stated since the new company has taken over, the family has not been a part of her care plan meetings. The previous owners were holding meetings quarterly with family present but that has not happened since January 2025.</p> <p>On 1/23/2025 at 10:39 AM via email communication the Administrator acknowledged facility was unable to locate Resident #23's care plan attendance sheets.</p> <p>2. Review of Resident #11's MDS dated [DATE] revealed a BIMS score of 15 indicating intact cognitive functioning. The MDS further revealed that Resident #11 was dependent on staff for chair/bed to chair transfers, transferring to the toilet, and tub/shower transfer. The MDS then revealed a diagnosis of unspecified fracture of the lower end of the right femur, muscle weakness, and difficulty in walking.</p> <p>Interview 1/20/26 at 10:43 AM with Resident #11 revealed that the staff utilize a whole body mechanical lift when transferring him with a sling. Resident #11 then revealed that sometimes there will only be one staff when transferring him with the lift, and sometimes there will be two staff.</p> <p>Review of Resident #11's Care Plan with a created date of 12/9/25 revealed Resident #11 requires staff assistance of one staff member for toilet transfer, and toileting with a gait belt. The Care Plan further revealed that Resident #11 was a stand pivot assist with one staff member and a gait belt.</p> <p>Interview 1/21/26 at 12:20 PM with Staff G Occupational Therapist Assistant revealed Resident #11 was a whole body mechanical lift transfer. Staff G then revealed on 12/17/25 she documented Resident #11 was a whole body mechanical transfer. Staff G further revealed when the physical therapy does the evaluation physical therapy will inform the nursing staff of how the resident transfers. Staff G then revealed Resident #11 was non-weight bearing on the right leg because of a right hip fracture that was on 12/3/25.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0657</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Interview 1/21/26 at 2:10 PM with the DON revealed that care plans should be updated accordingly.</p> <p>Interview 1/21/26 at 2:14 PM with Staff H LPN revealed that she did not get the update on the whole body mechanical lift from OT/PT and would expect them to update the care plan accordingly.</p> <p>3. Resident #7's MDS dated [DATE] revealed a BIMS score of 11/15 indicating moderate cognitive deficit. The resident utilized a wheelchair (w/c) with partial/moderate assistance. The document disclosed diagnoses including chronic kidney disease, nonrheumatic aortic valve stenosis, unspecified osteoarthritis.</p> <p>The resident's Care Plan dated 1/7/25 contained 19 focus areas with goals/target dates and interventions. All 19 focus areas reflected goals that were revised on 1/7/25 with a target date of 4/8/25. 18/19 focus areas contained interventions for staff to follow that had not been changed since 4/23/24.</p> <p>The facility failed to revise Resident #7's Care Plan to reflect current needs, goals and target dates. The facility failed to reflect discontinuation of restorative nursing services as the facility does not offer this.</p> <p>Review of the Electronic Medical Record (EMR) on 1/21/26 identified no documentation in the Progress Notes or scanned documents indicating Care Conferences were held or updates were made to the Care Plan.</p> <p>On 1/22/26 at 1:40 PM Staff H, Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)/MDS Coordinator/Infection Preventionist, stated the resident's Care Plan should have been revised when reviewed with the Director of Nursing (DON) and should be dated to reflect the updates. Staff H stated she did not schedule Care Plan Conferences.</p> <p>On 1/22/26 at 1:49 PM Staff N, Interim Director of Social Services, stated she had been in the position since 5/25. The staff stated Care Plans were reviewed quarterly. When asked about Care Conferences the staff stated she would have to locate the documents indicating the conferences were held with the resident representative.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 8:44 AM Staff N provided documents from Social Services indicating Care Plans were reviewed with the resident's representative on 6/16/25, 9/5/25 and 11/26/25.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 8:58 AM Staff N stated invitations for Care Conferences would go out to the resident/resident representative and interdisciplinary team (IDT) and a note should be placed in the Progress Notes. The staff acknowledged there were no entries in the Progress Notes for Care Conference invitations. The staff stated notices for conferences should go out 2-3 weeks in advance.</p> <p>At this time the Progress Notes revealed late entries dated 6/13/25 (time stamp 1/22/26 3:18 PM), 9/5/25 (time stamp 1/22/26 3:20 PM) and 11/26 (time stamp 1/22/26 3:21 PM) phone meetings were held for Care Plans. Staff N acknowledged she entered the Progress Notes following the interview on 1/22/26 at 1:49 PM. The staff stated the documents provided were completed by herself, but she could involve other IDT members. Staff N acknowledged Care Conference Notes should be in the Progress Notes and documentation should be put in the EMR at the time of the occurrence. The staff stated she had not been uploading documents into the EMR as part of the assessment/meeting process.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0657</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>The EMR Clinical Physician Orders revealed the following orders:</p> <p>Urinary catheter: output every shift; start date 12/23/25 and discontinued 12/24/25.</p> <p>Urinary catheter: output every shift; start date 12/23/25 and discontinued 12/24/25.</p> <p>Urinary catheter: change urinary catheter 16f 10cc bulb; start date 12/23/25 and discontinued 12/24/25.</p> <p>Urinary catheter: catheter diagnosis: urinary retention; revision date 12/24/25 and discontinued 12/24/25.</p> <p>Urinary catheter: provide urinary catheter care every shift; start date 12/23/25 and discontinued 12/24/25.</p> <p>The EMR Progress Note entry on 12/24/25 disclosed staff observed the resident had removed her catheter with the balloon still inflated. The nurse obtained a physician order to discontinue the catheter use due to placing the resident at risk; the resident's daughter was present at the time and updated.</p> <p>The resident's Care Plan dated 12/30/25 revealed a focus area for indwelling catheter initiated on 12/23/25 and revised on 12/30/25. The interventions for staff included Enhanced Barrier Precautions (EBP) (initiated 12/24/25), monitor/record report signs/symptoms of urinary tract infection (UTI) (initiated 12/23/25), keep per area clean, position catheter bag and tubing below the level of the bladder, provide catheter care daily and as needed, record output every shift all dated 12/30/25. A focus area related to a pressure injury revised 12/30/25 included an intervention for use of EBP related to the wound and catheter.</p> <p>The facility failed to revise the Care Plan to reflect the discontinuation of the indwelling catheter per physician order on 12/24/25 and revise an intervention related to EBP needs on a pressure injury focus area.</p> <p>On 1/22/26 at 1:40 PM when asked about Resident #21's catheter, Staff H stated the resident did have a catheter. When asked about the Significant Change MDS dated [DATE] revealing the resident did not have a catheter and was incontinent of bowel and bladder, the staff responded the resident had a significant change related to hospice services being initiated. When provided with knowledge the catheter was discontinued on 12/24/25, Staff H acknowledged the Care Plan should have been updated to reflect that change in status. The staff stated any nurse could revise the Care Plan to reflect a change in a resident's status.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 8:58 AM Staff N stated Care Conferences were held quarterly and IDT members have their own components to complete. The staff stated the MDS Coordinator updates the Care Plan; however there may be sections in the Care Plan that were updated by whoever was assigned and the MDS Coordinator oversees the Care Plan to ensure all sections were completed.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 2:39 PM Staff J, Registered Nurse (RN), stated he did not update Care Plans. The staff stated when the residents were admitted as part of the admission process an initial Care Plan was started. The staff stated the MDS Coordinator and Social Services complete the Care Plans.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0657</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>On 1/26/26 at 10:12 AM the DON and the Administrator discussed Care Plans and Care Plan Conferences. The Administrator stated that in normal circumstances he would expect the IDT to be in attendance at the Care Plan Conferences. Neither the Administrator nor the DON could answer to the frequency of Care Plan Conferences. The Administrator stated he was not aware the Care Plan Conferences were not being held with IDT members present. The Administrator acknowledged there was not a corporate liaison for the facility regarding skilled care social services. The DON stated she started to notice the previous week there might be a problem as she thought a Care Plan Conference should be held regarding a resident's change in needs. The DON expected Care Plans to be revised as needed, including the goals and target dates. The DON and Administrator concurred that the Care Plans and Kardex needed to be current regarding the resident's needs to allow for pulled staff and/or contract staff to meet the needs of the residents.</p> <p>6. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] documented Resident #2 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment. MDS documented Resident #2 was at risk for developing pressure ulcers/injuries and Moisture Associated Skin Damage (MASD) present.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's MAR-TAR documented a physician's order with a start date of 1/11/26 and discontinued 1/12/26 to paint right heel deep tissue injury (DTI) daily with betadine and cover with dry dressing. A physician's order with a start date of 1/12/26 and discontinued 1/14/26 for the right heel to be cleansed, dry, painted with betadine and covered with mepilex foam once a day related to DTI. A physician's order with start date of 1/14/26 for wound on the right heel to be cleansed with wound cleanser, pat dry, apply Triple Antibiotic Ointment (TAO) and cover with foam dressing one time a day. A physician's order with a start date of 1/11/26 to evaluate right heel wound / peri-wound for complications including symptoms of infection. A physician's order with a start date of 11/28/25 to cleanse buttocks with soap and water, pat dry, apply Z guard every shift until healed. A physician's order with a start date of 11/28/25 to evaluate buttocks wound / peri wound for complications including symptoms of infection. A physician's order with a start date of 1/15/26 to cleanse sacral stage 2 pressure ulcer with wound cleanser, pat dry, apply a foam dressing and change every 3 days and as needed (PRN). A physician's order with a start date of 1/15/26 to evaluate stage 2 pressure wound/peri-wound for complications including symptoms of infection.</p> <p>Resident #2's MDS dated [DATE] documented treatments for skin injury included pressure reducing device for chair, pressure reducing device for bed, nutrition hydration intervention to manage skin problems.</p> <p>Resident #2's EHR titled, Care Plan documented a focus initiated on 11/28/25 that Resident #2 had potential for pressure injury development. Resident #2's care plan did not have MASD documented or intervention in place. Resident #2's care plan did not have treatments for skin injury including pressure reducing device for chair or bed, nutrition hydration interventions to manage skin problems documented. Resident #2's care plan identified Resident #2 required the assistance of 1 staff for bed mobility and required the assistance of 1 staff for personal hygiene.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 11:20 am an observation of Resident #2 lying on a scoop mattress.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's EHR dated 1/11/26 at 7:53 AM entered by Staff P, RN, ADON, Assistant Director of Health and Wellness, and Wound Nurse titled, Wound Evaluation documented a DTI to the right heel minutes old that was in-house acquired that had an area of 1.25 cm², length of 2.42 cm, and width of 1.1 cm.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0657</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Review of Resident #2's EHR dated 1/6/26 at 7:41 PM titled, Skin Check documented no injury to right or left heel.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's EHR dated 1/11/26 at 9:54 PM titled, Progress Notes documented reported on the am shift Resident #2 had an open area to the right heel. The exam showed suspected DTI. The area was cleansed, painted with betadine and protective dressing applied.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's EHR dated 11/28/25 at 2:50 PM entered by Staff P titled, Wound Evaluation documented incontinence associated dermatitis that was present on admission on the buttocks that had an area of 1.42 cm², length of 3.42 cm, and width of 0.61 cm.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's EHR titled, Care Plan documented a focus initiated on 11/28/25 that Resident #2 had potential for pressure injury development. Resident #2's care plan did not have MASD or DTI on the right heel documented or intervention in place. Resident #2's care plan did not have treatments for skin injury including pressure reducing device for chair or bed, nutrition hydration interventions to manage skin problems documented. Resident #2's care plan identified Resident #2 required the assistance of 1 staff for bed mobility and required the assistance of 1 staff for personal hygiene.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 1:59 PM Resident #2, stated with Staff A present in the room, that her left foot heel protecting boot was applied 1/12/26. Resident #2 stated she had not been assisted with repositioning the whole day. Resident #2 stated it was hard for her to turn to the right because she had a left sided stroke. Resident #2 stated the triangle wedges helped her to stay on her side when staff use them. Resident #2 stated it feels good because then she is off her back.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 1:59 PM an observation revealed no triangle wedges present in Resident #2's room.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 2:00 PM Staff R, CNA stated the facility was supposed to get Resident #2 an air mattress.</p> <p>On 1/21/26 at 1:51 PM Staff J, RN explained frequently on the long term side of the facility the positioning wedges were not utilized appropriately. Staff J acknowledged Resident #2 had a scoop mattress in her bed and that was not appropriate for pressure relief. Staff J stated the scoop mattress prevented Resident #2 from turning in bed. Staff J stated Resident #2 did not have any interventions in place that were being utilized when the MASD was present on her buttocks. Staff J stated the wedges in Resident #2's room were not being utilized. Staff J explained he assessed Resident #2's MASD the area had turned into a stage 2. Staff J stated that was when the pressure relief wedge was being utilized.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 11:35 AM Staff H, Licensed Practical Nurse / MDS Coordinator / Infection Preventionist stated she was familiar with Resident #2. Staff H stated she was not aware of any MASD on Resident #2's buttocks. Staff H stated the MASD should have been addressed on the care plan but everybody should be updating the care plan. Staff H stated she would not expect any other interventions in place besides creams for MASD on Resident #2 for pressure ulcer prevention.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 3:13 PM the DON explained the scoop mattress that Resident #2 had in her room was not appropriate for pressure relief.</p> <p>7. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] documented Resident #3 had a Brief Interview for Mental (continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0657</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Many</p>	<p>Status (BIMS) of 11 indicating moderate cognitive impairment.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 10:49 am Resident #3 stated she had not been invited to any care conferences.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 4:11 PM Resident #3's son stated he had not been contacted every 3 months to discuss his mothers care at the facility. Resident #3's son stated he had not been invited to a care conference for his mother since she had been at the facility.</p> <p>Review of Resident #3's EHR titled, Progress Notes documented no family invitation or Care Conference meetings held with resident or family.</p> <p>Review of Resident #3's EHR documented admission to the facility on 4/9/25.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 9:00 AM Staff N, Interim Social Services Director stated she would enter resident and resident family invites to care conferences in resident's EHR titled, Progress Notes. Staff N stated she could complete the Social Services Comprehensive Quarterly assessment by herself without any IDT but she invites the IDT. Staff N stated there was a base care plan meeting, then one at 30 days and then there was a care conference completed quarterly (every 3 months). Staff N explained things were dropped a little on her part. Staff N acknowledged a lot of the care conferences were not completed. Staff N stated she could not find any care conference meetings for Resident #3. Staff N stated the assessment should include who was present for the meeting. Staff N acknowledged the family and residents had not been a part of the quarterly assessments or the Social Services Comprehensive Quarterly assessment. Staff N stated the family, resident and team members should be identified in the comments sentence. Staff N stated she had discussed concerns with care conferences not being completed appropriately with the previous Administrator and then brought it to the current Administrator. Staff N stated she spoke to the Administrator about the concern when he started. Staff N stated the Administrator would work on getting more resources to help her get caught up to help things move smoothly and would reach out to corporate to ask if there was someone she could talk to about things she was unsure of. Staff N explained the corporation did not have anybody to help but to reach out to somebody that might have that knowledge because they do not have any other skilled facilities. Staff N stated she had reached out to a previous Social Services Director at the facility. Staff N explained during the care conference meeting the IDT should be invited and a part of development. Staff N stated the family and resident should be a part if they can. Staff N explained family and residents should be invited and the care conference meeting should be completed quarterly.</p> <p>On 1/26/26 at 10:08 AM the DON stated she expected nursing to be part of a care conference meeting. The DON explained the MDS Coordinator was a nurse and would represent both the nurse department and MDS. The DON stated care conferences should be completed when there was a significant change or if the resident had reached a plateau. The DON stated social services set the care conferences up. The DON stated residents and or family should be invited to the care conferences.</p> <p>8. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] documented Resident #9 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment. The MDS documented Resident #9 was at risk for developing pressure ulcers/injuries and one or more unhealed pressure injuries.</p> <p>On 1/20/26 at 11:31 AM Resident #9 stated the area on her buttocks started as a bed sore. Resident #9 explained the area got better then got worse. Resident #9 stated she did not remember if she was wearing heel protectors or not when she was in bed before she had the area on her right heel. Resident #9 stated she did not have the area on her right heel when she entered the facility.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0677</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Provide care and assistance to perform activities of daily living for any resident who is unable.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on observations, record review, staff and family interviews, and facility policy review. The facility failed to provide oral cares for 5 of 5 residents (Resident #22, #2, #3, #29, and #30) reviewed and also failed to provide toileting and repositioning for Resident #29. The facility reported a census of 28 residents. Findings include:1. According to the Quarterly Minimum Data Set (MDS) assessment tool with a reference date of 10/31/2025 documented Resident #22 had a Brief Mental Status (BIMS) score of 4. A BIMS score of 4 suggested severe cognitive impairment. The MDS documented the resident required substantial/maximal assistance with oral hygiene. Resident #22 had the following diagnoses listed: multiple sclerosis, neurogenic bladder, dementia and depression.</p> <p>The Care Plan Focus Area with a revision date of 11/18/2020 documented Resident #22 had activities of daily living (ADL) self-care performance deficit due to her multiple sclerosis diagnoses and required the assistance of one staff for daily grooming (personal hygiene and oral care).</p> <p>On 1/20/2026 at 10:30 AM observed a sign on top of her heating/cooling unit. A hand written note was present that stated please brush Resident #22's teeth every day.</p> <p>On 1/20/2026 at 11:15 AM Resident #22's emergency contact #1 stated sometimes her teeth are not brushed much. She has noticed this a lot when she visits. When asked if Resident #22 would refuse her teeth be brushed, she indicated the resident would allow staff to complete oral cares on her.</p> <p>On 1/22/2026 at 8:25 AM Resident #22 was asked if staff brushed her teeth this morning, she stated not today.</p> <p>On 1/27/2026 at 11:02 AM the Director of Nursing (DON) was informed of the sign in Resident #22's room informing staff to brush her teeth every day. She stated that has not been brought to her attention and she has not been in her room. She indicated oral cares should be completed at least twice a day. When asked who is to complete this task, she indicated ideally the Certified Nurses Assistants (CNA) but nurses or anyone on the clinical team could complete oral cares. She added if the resident is receiving occupational therapy (OT) oral care can be completed with them as well.</p> <p>2. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] documented Resident #2 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment. The MDS indicated Resident #2 required supervision or touching assistance from staff for oral hygiene.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's EHR documented no documentation of oral care provided.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 11:21 AM Resident #2 stated she does have a toothbrush in her bathroom. Resident #2 stated it does depend on the staff if oral care was provided. Resident #2 stated her husband came to the facility in the evenings and would help her with brushing her teeth. Resident #2 stated in the morning if she was going to therapy she would be in the wheelchair and would go to the bathroom. Resident #2 stated Occupational Therapy used to help her but she no longer saw OT. Resident #2 stated occasionally a Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA) would assist her with oral care.</p> <p>Review of Resident #2's Electronic Health Record (EHR) titled, Care Plan with initiation date of 12/5/25 documented Resident #2 required an assist of 1 staff for oral care.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0677</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>3. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] documented Resident #3 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) of 11 indicating moderate cognitive impairment. The MDS indicated Resident #3 required partial / moderate assistance with oral hygiene.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 4:11 PM Resident #3's son stated his mother would require staff to complete oral care for her because she can not get out of bed by herself.</p> <p>Review of Resident #3's EHR titled, Care Plan with initiation date of 4/12/25 documented Resident #3 required an assist of 1 staff for oral care.</p> <p>Review of Resident #3's EHR documented no documentation of oral care provided.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 10:49 AM an observation revealed no toothbrush in Resident #3's room.</p> <p>On 12/26/26 at 1:00 PM an observation of Staff P, Assistant Director of Health and Wellness / Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON) entered Resident #3's room, looked for a sponge dental swab or a toothbrush.</p> <p>On 12/26/26 at 1:05 PM Staff P acknowledged there was no equipment in Resident #3's room to provide oral care.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 12:17 PM Staff C, CNA stated the staff provide oral care to the residents. Staff C stated she completed oral care with Resident #3 that morning. Staff C stated she gets Resident #3 a new toothbrush everyday because she does not know what happened to the toothbrush the day prior. Staff C stated she offers Resident #3 a basin and toothbrush and Resident #3 did her own brushing. Staff C stated she Resident #3 only required set-up only according to the care plan.</p> <p>4. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] documented Resident #29 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment. MDS documented Resident #29 required supervision or touching assistance for oral hygiene.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR titled, Care Plan documented an intervention / task for oral care dated 11/19/25 that Resident #29 required an assistance of one for oral care.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR documented no documentation of oral care provided.</p> <p>On 1/15/26 at 1:30 PM Resident #29 stated she had to set an alarm on her phone to ensure the staff come to turn her every 2 hours or the staff will not reposition her. Resident #29 stated her doctor wants her repositioned every 2 hours. Resident #29 stated prior to going to the hospital the staff were not repositioning her every 2 hours some overnight shifts the staff would only come in at 3:00 AM or 4:00 AM to reposition her in bed. Resident #29 stated she had multiple sclerosis and was not able to reposition herself in bed. Resident #29 stated she required the assistance of staff for repositioning. Resident #29 stated the staff rarely provided oral care to her. Resident #29 stated she would like oral care but felt like she should be able to do it on her own but she could not even sit up in bed on her own. Resident #29 stated she would appreciate staff assisting with oral care.</p> <p>On 1/22/26 at 11:29 AM Resident #29 stated she was told last night by Staff EE, Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA) refused to change her brief. Resident #29 stated she was out of briefs and Staff EE refused to change her last night. Resident #29 stated she had not had a bowel movement but was</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0677</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>incontinent of urine and nobody changed her at all last night. Resident #29 stated the Staff EE only repositioned her at night but never changed her. Resident #29 stated she has had problems with Staff EE from the get go. Resident #29 stated Staff EE was not supposed to be caring for her because she had voiced concerns about how she cared for her in the past. Resident #29 stated Staff EE treated her undignified. Resident #29 stated she did not feel like Staff EE had provided her with the appropriate dignity or respect when requesting to be cleaned up and change her brief. Resident #29 stated she had told Staff R, CNA the concerns she had with Staff EE. Resident #29 said she thought Staff EE told Staff P, Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON) about the concerns with Staff EE.</p> <p>5. The MDS dated [DATE] documented Resident #30 had a BIMS of 13 indicating no cognitive impairment. The MDS documented Resident #30 required substantial / maximal assistance for oral hygiene.</p> <p>Review of Resident #30's EHR titled, Care Plan documented an intervention / task for oral care dated 12/3/25 that Resident #30 required an assistance of one for oral care.</p> <p>Review of Resident #30's EHR documented no documentation of oral care provided.</p> <p>On 1/20/26 at 1:05 PM Resident #30's daughter stated frequently she would come to the facility at random times and would have food on her mother's face and mouth. Resident #30's daughter stated it looked as though her mother's teeth had not been brushed.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 12:49 PM Staff P stated Resident #29 did not want Staff EE or RR in her room because they were talking about their own lives and another resident down the hall. Staff P stated Resident #29 thought it was disrespectful for them to talk about other residents in her room. Staff P stated it was an expectation that all residents receive oral care even if the resident does not have teeth. Staff P stated if the resident had dentures they should be cleaned or soaked overnight.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 on 1:09 PM the DON stated oral care should be completed or offered and documented if refused. The DON explained assistance the resident required should be on their care plan as well.</p> <p>On 1/21/26 at 8:11 AM Staff R, CNA stated if the resident is cognitive she would ask if the resident wanted their teeth brushed before or after the meal. Staff R stated if the resident was not cognitively aware she would complete the oral cares before breakfast. Staff R stated she frequently found residents with food on residents faces and hands not cleaned from dinner. Staff R stated she had brought it up to the management at the facility.</p> <p>On 1/27/26 at 11:03 AM the DON stated oral care should be completed twice a day ideally by CNA or the nurses if the CNA's are too busy.</p> <p>Review of undated policy titled, Oral Care documented the purposes of the procedure was to keep the resident's lips and oral tissues moist, to cleanse and freshen the resident's mouth, and to prevent oral infection. Review the resident's care plan to assess any special needs of the resident. Assemble the equipment and supplies as needed. The following information should be recorded in the resident's medical record: The date and time the mouth care was provided. The name and title of the individual(s) who provided the mouth care. All assessment data obtained concerning the resident's mouth. The certified nursing assistant should report to the licensed nurse to record in the medical record. Complaints of pain or discomfort of mouth. The certified nursing assistant should report to the licensed nurse to record in the medical record. If the resident refused the treatment, the reason(s) why and the intervention taken. The signature and title of the person recording the data.</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Provide appropriate treatment and care according to orders, resident's preferences and goals.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on clinical record review, provider interview, resident and family interview, staff interviews, and policy review the facility failed to appropriately assess a resident with a head injury and appropriately complete assessments / provide interventions for a diabetic ulcer for 2 of 8 residents (Resident #15, and #30). The facility reported a census of 28 residents. Findings include: 1. The MDS dated [DATE] documented Resident #15 had a BIMS of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment. On 1/20/26 at 11:49 AM Resident #15 stated she told Staff P RN / Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON) about the sore on her foot and she did nothing about it. Resident #15 stated Staff J, RN was the nurse that finally did something about it. Review of Resident #15's (Treatment Administration Record) TAR documented a physician's order with a start date of 1/15/26 to cleanse 2nd toe on left foot with wound cleanser, pat dry, apply Triple Antibiotic Ointment (TAO) and cover with band aid daily. Review of Resident #15's (Electronic Health Record) EHR dated 1/5/26 titled, Progress Note admission readmission Progress Note documented at 2:48 PM Resident #15 had an admission date of 1/5/26. The Progress Note documented reason for admission weakness post hospitalization for acute and chronic renal failure. The Progress Note documented no impaired skin integrity, no bruise, burn, deep tissue injury, diabetic ulcer, incontinence associated dermatitis, moisture associated skin damage, open areas, wound, rash, redness, skin tear or surgical incisions. Review of Resident #15's EHR dated 1/15/26 at 10:05 AM entered by Staff J, RN titled, Wound Evaluation documented a diabetic ulcer on left foot second digit that was present on admission that had an area of 0.33 cm², length of 0.98 cm, and width of 0.5 cm. Wound note described area red with slough and Physician notified. Review of Resident #15's EHR dated 1/16/26 at 4:57 PM entered by Staff J, RN titled, Wound Evaluation documented a diabetic ulcer on left foot second digit that was present on admission that had an area of 0.33 cm², length of 0.98 cm, and width of 0.5 cm. Review of Resident #15's EHR dated 1/23/26 at 5:27 PM entered by Staff J, RN titled, Wound Evaluation documented a diabetic ulcer on left foot second digit that was present on admission that had an area of 0.11 cm², length of 0.62 cm, and width of 0.28 cm. Review of EHR documented no physician notification or treatment completed for Resident #15's wound since admission on [DATE] until 1/15/26 when Staff J RN addressed the area. On 1/26/26 at 3:26 PM the DON stated her concern was the initial admission skin assessment for Resident #15 was completed by Staff A, RN. The DON explained Staff A completed the assessment and left without documenting the assessment. The DON stated the evening nurse went in and completed the assessment again. The DON stated she did not think Staff A made an observation of her foot / toe. The DON explained Staff J documented the area as not facility acquired because Resident #15 stated she had the area before entering the facility. The DON stated Resident #15 was a good historian. The DON stated there were a lot of balls that were dropped when it comes to wound care in the facility. The DON stated the area should have been noticed on the admission skin assessment, the physician should have been notified then and a treatment started if the physician thought it warranted. The DON acknowledged Resident #15 was at the facility for a week and the wound was not assessed and not treated. The DON stated the CNA's should have noticed the wound when cleaning Resident #15's feet. 2. The MDS dated [DATE] documented Resident #30 had a BIMS of 13 indicating no cognitive impairment. Review of Resident #30's EHR dated 12/22/25 titled, Skin Check documented no skin issues. On 1/14/26 at 7:39 AM Staff M, Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) stated she had cared for Resident #30. Staff M stated she had reported an injury of unknown origin, a bruise to the forehead. Staff M stated on 1/4/26 she went into Resident #30's room at 7:00 AM or 7:30 AM. Staff M stated Resident #30 had a scratch on the right side of her forehead. Staff M explained Resident #30 reported she had hit</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0684</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>had completed an investigation and determined the injury was no longer of unknown origins. The DON stated that Resident #30 had a red area on the right side of her forehead at approximately 7:30 AM on 1/4/26. The DON explained Staff M notified her, an assessment was completed, and the physician was notified. The DON stated she asked Staff M if Resident #30 was on a blood thinner and Staff M told her no. The DON explained she would have only started neuro assessments if the resident was on a blood thinner and had an injury to the head of unknown origins or a change in cognition. The DON explained a neuro assessment was also completed. The DON stated Resident #30's daughter was notified. The DON stated Resident #30's daughter had come to the facility later in the afternoon and asked about the area on Resident #30 forehead as it was now a raised area. The DON stated Resident #30's daughter must have forgotten about the earlier notification. The DON stated the raised area was only there for about a day and had decreased and was almost gone the next day. The DON stated there was no other injuries to Resident #30 from the incident. The DON stated she completed an investigation and interviewed the staff. The DON explained the staff had stated Resident #30 did have a shower the day prior but had not fallen. The DON stated Resident #30 was aggressive and combative the night prior. The DON explained Resident #30 had kicked an employee in the groin and hit an employee. The DON stated Resident #30 stated she had hit her head on the bedside table on the morning of 1/4/26. The DON stated Resident #30's cognition was enough that she felt that is where the injury had come from. The DON explained the injury probably occurred from the aggression and combativeness of the evening before. The DON explained the staff had not notified the physician or family appropriately and some writes came from that incident. The DON stated she would have expected the staff would have notified the DON at 7:30 AM on the day the injury was found when the injury was found and the staff did not. The DON stated she expected the nurse would have notified the physician of the area on the head at 7:30 AM when it was found as well and that was not completed. The DON stated she would have expected the family of Resident #30 would have been notified of the injury as well at 7:30 when the injury was noticed. The DON stated neuro assessments should have been initiated when the area was found on Resident #30 forehead at 7:30 AM and the neuro assessments were not initiated. Review of Resident #30's EHR dated 1/4/26 titled, Neurological Assessment Flow Sheet documented neurological assessments were not started at 6:00 PM on 1/4/26. Review of Resident #30's EHR dated 1/4/26 at 7:49 PM titled, Skilled Note entered by Staff M documented Resident #30 had a hematoma to the right side of the forehead. On call provider made aware, DON made aware, Resident #30's daughter in and aware. Review of Resident #30's document dated 1/4/26 at 7:27 PM titled Fax documented physician notification that Resident #30 had a 3 cm x 2.5 cm hematoma to the right forehead of unknown origin. On 1/4/26 evening propranolol was held due to blood pressure 102/50 and pulse of 53. Called to inform the on call provider with no return call at this time. On 1/13/25 at 11:29 AM the Nurse Practitioner stated she was notified on 1/4/26 of Resident #30's area on her forehead. The Nurse Practitioner stated the staff reported Resident #30 gave several conflicting stories. The Nurse Practitioner stated she was not made aware of Resident #30 goose egg after the contusion or bruising anywhere else. The Nurse Practitioner stated she would expect staff to call with any head injuries and start neuro assessments immediately.</p>		

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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Provide appropriate pressure ulcer care and prevent new ulcers from developing.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY** Based on clinical record review, observations, provider interviews, resident interviews, staff interviews, family interviews and policy review the facility failed to ensure staff provided skin assessments, failed to notify the provider of deterioration timely and failed to implement interventions to prevent and treat the development and worsening of pressure ulcers for 7 of 8 residents reviewed (Resident #29, #2, #9, #30, #22, #23, and #21). The facility failure to assess a Stage II pressure ulcer from 12/16/25 through 1/3/26 resulted in Resident #29's wound to deteriorate to an unstageable ulcer due to necrosis (dead tissue) with infection that required debridement of the wound and then hospitalization. Significant debridement required with the wound base extending down into ligamentous structures running along the posterior sacrum and there was exposed bone. The facility reported a census of 28 residents. The State Agency informed the facility of the Immediate Jeopardy (IJ) that began as of January 2, 2026 on January 14, 2026 at 4:00 p.m. The facility staff removed the immediacy of the IJ on January 14, 2026, and decreased the scope to E through the following actions: In-service/education/training for pressure ulcer prevention and wound care - policy and practice update. a. All full time and part time clinical staff to complete the mandatory education/training before their next scheduled shift. All as needed (PRN) clinical staff to complete before their next scheduled shift. b. Audits to begin 1/15/26: completed weekly x 12 weeks. This was implemented due to an Immediate Jeopardy and focused on required practices to protect residents from avoidable skin breakdown and wound deterioration. Education Topics Covered: a. Review of updated Pressure Ulcer Prevention Policy b. Weekly wound assessment completion and weekly skin assessment completion. c. Weekly Wound Care Rounds every Friday (mandatory participation & documentation) New skin concerns evaluated by Interdisciplinary Team (IDT) for Director of Nursing (DON) / Assistant Director of Nursing (ADON) notification, pressure relief interventions, proper Medical Doctor (MD) notification and order entry. d. Mandatory notification to DON and ADON of any skin or wound changes. e. Mandatory MD notification for any wound decline, worsening, or lack of improvement. Resident repositioning at least every 2 hours to be audited by charge nurse or leadership team member each shift every 2 hours. f. Repositioning residents at least every 2 hours - importance, frequency, and documentation. Daily shower/bath completion form to be implemented beginning 1/15/26 that included a section for new skin concerns, nurse notification and DON/ADON notification. Nurse to sign stating they documented a progress note regarding the new findings. g. Nurse aides must immediately notify the nurse on duty of any skin changes noted during bathing/showering. Findings include: The MDS (Minimum Data Set) assessment identifies the definition of pressure ulcers:</p> <p>Stage I is an intact skin with non-blanchable redness of a localized area usually over a bony prominence. Darkly pigmented skin may not have a visible blanching; in dark skin tones only it may appear with persistent blue or purple hues.</p> <p>Stage II is partial thickness loss of dermis presenting as a shallow open ulcer with a red or pink wound bed, without slough (dead tissue, usually cream or yellow in color). May also present as an intact or open/ruptured blister.</p> <p>Stage III Full thickness tissue loss. Subcutaneous fat may be visible but bone, tendon or muscle is not exposed. Slough may be present but does not obscure the depth of tissue loss. May include undermining and tunneling.</p> <p>Stage IV is full thickness tissue loss with exposed bone, tendon or muscle. Slough or eschar (dry, black, hard necrotic tissue). may be present on some parts of the wound bed. Often includes undermining and tunneling or eschar.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>Unstageable Ulcer: inability to see the wound bed.</p> <p>Other staging considerations include:</p> <p>Deep Tissue Pressure Injury (DTP): Persistent non-blanchable deep red, maroon or purple discoloration. Intact skin with localized area of persistent non-blanchable deep red, maroon, purple discoloration or epidermal separation revealing a dark wound bed or blood filled blister. Pain and temperature change often precede skin color changes. Discoloration may appear differently in darkly pigmented skin. This area may be preceded by tissue that is painful, firm, mushy, boggy, warmer or cooler as compared to adjacent tissue. This injury results from intense and/or prolonged pressure and shear forces at the bone-muscle interface. The wound may evolve rapidly to reveal the actual extent of tissue injury, or may resolve without tissue loss. If necrotic tissue, subcutaneous tissue, granulation tissue, fascia, muscle or other underlying structures are visible, this indicates a full thickness pressure injury (unstageable, stage 3, or stage 4). Do not use DTI to describe vascular, traumatic, neuropathic, or dermatologic conditions.</p> <p>1. The MDS dated [DATE] documented Resident #29 had a BIMS of 15 indicating no cognitive impairment. The MDS documented Resident #29 had one or more unhealed pressure ulcers. The MDS documented a Stage 2 pressure ulcer present. The MDS documented Resident #29 had an admission date of 11/11/25.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's (Electronic Health Record) EHR dated 11/26/25 titled, Braden Scale for Predicting Pressure Sore Risk documented a Braden Score of 16 that indicated Resident #29 was at risk for development of a pressure ulcer.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29 TAR documented a physician's order with a start date of 11/28/25 and end date of 12/16/25 to cleanse the sacral wound with wound cleanser, pat dry and apply Plurogel and foam patch daily until healed. A physician's order with a start date of 12/16/25 and discontinued date of 1/2/26 to cleanse the sacral wound with wound cleanser, pat dry and apply Santyl and foam patch every other day.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR dated 11/11/25 titled, Braden Scale for Predicting Pressure Sore Risk documented a Braden Score of 20 that indicated Resident #29 was not at risk for development of a pressure ulcer.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR, titled Skin Check documented the following:</p> <p>On 11/12/25 completed by Staff M, LPN documented no concerns.</p> <p>On 11/29/25 open area on coccyx with no measurements or description.</p> <p>On 12/6/25 open area on coccyx with no measurements or description.</p> <p>On 12/6/25 slit above sacrum with current treatment in place with no measurements.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR titled, Wound Evaluation documented the following:</p> <p>On 11/28/25 at 7:37 AM entered by Staff MM, a minutes old in-house acquired Stage 2 pressure ulcer on the sacrum that had an area of 1.63 cm2, length of 3.24 cm, and width of 0.94 cm.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>stage 2 pressure ulcer with moderate amount of serous drainage and no odor. Wound Evaluation documented additional care of cushion, incontinence management, mattress with pump, nutrition / dietary supplementation and turning / reposition program.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR dated 1/5/26 titled, Skin and Wound Evaluation documented an unstageable pressure ulcer with slough and/or eschar that had an area of 15.8 cm², length of 6.6 cm, and width of 4.4 cm with no physician notification.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's EHR titled, Care Plan documented a focus for potential for pressure injury development related to assist needed initiated on 11/11/25 with a in house stage 2 pressure ulcer on sacrum initiated 11/28/25. No new interventions in place for in-house acquired a stage 2 pressure ulcer that was found from 11/28/25. The care plan does not reflect any new interventions since returning from the hospital with a surgically debrided stage 4 pressure ulcer that requires a wound vacuum.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's document dated 1/6/26 at 5:06 PM titled, Operative Report documented Resident #29 had a known sacral decubitus pressure ulcer for the last 2 months, who presented to the hospital with fevers and concern for sepsis from her sacral decubitus wound. She has undergone some minimal debridement of this in the wound care clinic already. Her wound had a foul smell and significant necrotic tissue, warranting urgent debridement in the operating room. Debridement of all of the nonviable completely necrotic tissue which had a foul odor. The base of the wound was down onto the ligamentous structures running along the posterior sacrum and there was exposed bone. A bone biopsy which was sent separately. Area was debrided, removal of the necrotic soft tissue down to the bone centrally, and then to the bilateral gluteal muscles. The total debrided area was 6 cm x 5.5 cm.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's document dated 1/12/26 titled, Discharge Summary documented Resident #29 entered the Emergency Department (ED) at 4:40 PM with chief complaint of sacral wound ulcer. Resident #29 had a temperature of 101.3, a pulse of 116 and was found to be positive for influenza A. During review Resident #29 reported she underwent debridement though the wound care clinic on 1/2/26, at that time it was determined she may need a more aggressive surgical debridement and had been referred to the surgical clinic for debridement. Sacral dressing was removed to inspect the ulcer. Documented ulcer measured approximately 5cm x 5cm in surface area with significant soft tissue loss. There is a large necrotic area centrally, the ulcer itself was unstageable as the base was not able to be visualized. Foul smell from the wound consistent with tissue necrosis. Suspect the ulcer was down to at least muscle gluteal region, possibly down to the posterior aspect of the sacrum itself.</p> <p>Review of Resident #29's document dated 1/12/26 titled, Hospital Progress Notes documented Resident #29 was concerned about returning to the facility because she did not get repositioned. Document explained Resident #29 acknowledged she had never had an ulcer ever before entering the facility in November. Discharge plan for return to facility repositioning every 2 hours.</p> <p>On 1/12/26 at 1:09 PM the DON stated Resident #29 had an unstageable pressure ulcer on her sacrum. The DON explained Resident #29 had entered the facility on 11/11/25 and the wound must have been facility acquired. The DON acknowledged Resident #29's wound was not on the admission. The DON explained the first photograph of the wound was taken on 11/28/25. The DON stated the area on Resident #29 was on the gluteal fold or sacral area. The DON acknowledged the wound on Resident #29's sacral area had declined. The DON acknowledged the facility did not complete assessments with pictures, measurements, or description of the wound from 12/16/25 - 1/3/26. The DON acknowledged Resident #29's wound had deteriorated.</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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<p>F 0686</p> <p>Level of Harm - Immediate jeopardy to resident health or safety</p> <p>Residents Affected - Some</p>	<p>On 1/12/26 at 7:43 PM entered by Staff J, a stage 4 pressure ulcer on the sacrum that was present on admission that had an area of 22.4 cm², length of 6.98 cm, and width of 4.6 cm. Wound Evaluation documented stage 4 pressure ulcer with light amount of serosanguineous drainage and no odor. Wound Evaluation documented additional care of incontinence management, positioning wedge, repositioning device and turning / reposition program.</p> <p>On 1/13/25 at 11:29 AM the Nurse Practitioner stated she was not notified that Resident #29 had returned and currently had strict orders for 2 hour repositioning. The Nurse Practitioner stated just seen Resident #29 and the CNA had told her Resident #29 was not adequately turned last night. The Nurse Practitioner stated she was shown the picture of the wound on 12/16/25. The Nurse Practitioner stated she did not hear anything again until the week of Christmas. The Nurse Practitioner stated she received a text from Staff MM reporting the wound was looking worse and requested a wound care visit. The Nurse Practitioner stated she gave an order for Resident #29 to be seen at wound care. The Nurse Practitioner explained she never received a report as to what wound care said. The Nurse Practitioner stated Resident #29 was sent to the ED on 12/5/25 with fever and concerns with vitals. The Nurse Practitioner explained she had seen an updated picture. The Nurse Practitioner stated the wound looked awful. The Nurse Practitioner stated she did not know it was unstageable or was no longer a stage 2. The Nurse Practitioner stated with the changes in the wound she would have expected to be notified. The Nurse Practitioner explained Resident #29's wound was debrided all the way to the bone. The Nurse Practitioner stated she would have expected an update if the wound had deteriorated. The Nurse Practitioner stated the wound did appear to be preventable and should have never gotten to where it was at currently.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 2:00 PM Staff R, CNA stated she talked to the nurse about Resident #29 not being repositioned or changed appropriately last night. Staff R stated she spoke to Staff A, RN about it that morning. Staff R stated Resident #29 reported she had not been repositioned or changed the way she should have been last night. Staff R explained Resident #29s' care plan specified every 2 hours.</p> <p>On 1/13/26 at 2:50 PM Staff A, RN acknowledged that Staff R had told her Resident #29 had reported she had not been repositioned the night prior. Staff R stated Resident #29 had been soaked through the pad, the sheet to the bed when Staff R provided care that morning. Staff A stated the overnight nurse reported off to her that he repositioned her every 2 hours. Staff A acknowledged there was a dark ring around Resident #29 on the bed pad that appeared to be indicative of not checking or changing but, did know if Resident #29 was repositioned. Staff A stated she assisted Staff R with repositioning Resident #29 that morning.</p> <p>On 1/14/26 at 7:39 AM Staff M, Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) acknowledged she was the nurse that sent Resident #29 to the hospital the day she went out. Staff M stated when she came in on her shift at 2:00 PM that afternoon, Staff M explained Resident #29 had an elevated temperature and pulse. Staff M stated she was going to be seen by the surgeon on 1/5/26 or 1/6/26 and the surgeon canceled the appointment till 1/9/26. Staff M stated Resident #29 had just finished her course of antibiotic and requested to send Resident #29 to the hospital. Staff M stated Resident #29 had been seen by the wound clinic and they were going to schedule her consult for a surgical debridement of her wound. Staff M stated the wound clinic did a debridement in the office then scheduled her to see a surgeon. Staff M stated she had cared for Resident #29's wound a few days before when it was evaluated by the nurse practitioner. Staff M explained Resident #29's sacral wound had deteriorated. Staff M stated Staff MM said she did not know what had happened to the wound but it looked like it was worse overnight. Staff M explained she had been off a couple days during the holiday. Staff M stated the wound had eschar at the time and initially it was just a slit in the sacral area. Staff M stated the nurses</p> <p>(continued on next page)</p>		

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