

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 185315	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 05/08/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER Clinton County Care and Rehabilitation Center		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 404 North Washington Street Albany, KY 42602	
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<p>F 0812</p> <p>Level of Harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Procure food from sources approved or considered satisfactory and store, prepare, distribute and serve food in accordance with professional standards.</p> <p>Based on observation, interview, record review, and review of the facility's policy, it was determined the facility failed to store, prepare, and serve food in a sanitary manner and in accordance with professional standards for food service safety. This failure had the potential to affect all residents of the facility who consumed food prepared in the kitchen.</p> <p>The findings include:</p> <p>Review of the facility's Casper Report, last updated 05/04/2025, revealed 45 of 47 residents received their food from the kitchen.</p> <p>1. Review of the facility's Chemicals policy, revised 02/2023, revealed the purpose of the policy was to ensure all chemicals would be properly stored. Per the policy, all chemicals would be in a separate/secured area.</p> <p>2. Review of the facility's Equipment policy, revised 05/2014, revealed the purpose of the policy was to ensure that all food service equipment would be clean, sanitary, and in proper working order and areas would be maintained in a clean and sanitary condition. Per the policy, all equipment would be routinely cleaned and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's guidelines and training material. All staff members would be properly trained in the cleaning and maintenance of all equipment. All food contact equipment would be cleaned and sanitized after every use and all non-foods contact equipment would be clean and free of debris. The Dining Services Director would ensure that the physical plant would be maintained in a clean and sanitary manner.</p> <p>Review of the facility's attachment #1 Morning Daily Tasks to be completed revealed the opening dietary staff was to ensure equipment such as the microwave and can opener be cleaned, and the sink was cleaned and drained. Further morning dietary duties included to remove outdated/unmarked products from the refrigerators. In addition, the morning daily tasks included to wipe down the outside of stove, to include backsplash, top shelf, front of oven doors and knobs, remove stove burners and scrub and run through dishwasher. However, the cleaning schedule did not include that the stove grease trap and/or oven were scheduled to be cleaned.</p> <p>Review of the facility's attachment #2 Evening Daily Tasks to be completed revealed the closing dietary staff was to ensure equipment such as the stove to include the backsplash, top shelf, front of oven doors and knobs were wiped down and the stove trays were to be cleaned with no foil. Further dietary evening duties included to remove outdated/unmarked products from the refrigerators and to pull out counters/steam table/milk cooler to ensure to sweep and mop underneath. However, the cleaning schedule did not include that the stove grease trap and/or oven were scheduled to be cleaned.</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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