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COMMISSIONER

January 28, 2020

BARBARA PAGE BAGGETT, ADMINISTRATOR  
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Dear Ms. Baggett:

On September 17, 2019 through October 10, 2019, the Department of Health conducted a complaint survey and on November 4, 2019 through November 6, 2019, the Department of Health conduct an annual health survey at your Assisted Living Facility pursuant to T.C.A. § 68-11-210. Upon exiting the facility on October 10, 2019 and November 6, 2019, the surveyor(s) notified you or your representative of the possibility of the issuance of a Suspension of Admissions, due to deficient practices in the facility which were, or were likely to be, detrimental to the health, safety, or welfare of the residents. T.C.A. § 68-11-252. As Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Health, I therefore suspended the admission of new residents to the facility pursuant to T.C.A. §§ 68-11-252(a) due to the deficient practices above, effective December 11, 2019.

On January 22-23, 2020, surveyor(s) for the Department of Health conducted a follow-up survey at your facility pursuant to T.C.A. § 68-11-210 to determine if the deficient practices which were, or were likely to be, detrimental to the health, safety, and welfare of the residents had been corrected, as stated in the facility's approved plan of correction. Upon exiting the facility on January 23, 2020, the surveyor(s) determined that those deficient practices have been corrected and the facility has returned to substantial compliance for state licensing purposes.

Therefore, I find, based upon the follow-up survey report that the deficient practices detrimental to the health, safety, or welfare of the residents were corrected and the facility has returned to substantial compliance. On January 28, 2020, I ordered the lifting of the Suspension of Admission of new residents to the facility pursuant to T.C.A. § 68-11-252 and ordered the release of the special monitor who was appointed pursuant to T.C.A. § 68-11-221 to observe the operation of the facility.

You will be subsequently notified under separate letter of the costs of the monitor for which the facility is liable. No part of such monitoring costs for which the facility is liable is recoverable by the facility, either directly or indirectly, from the medical assistance program administered pursuant to T.C.A. Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 1.

Sincerely,

Lisa Piercey, MD, MBA, FAAP  
Commissioner

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