

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER / SUPPLIER / CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 345185	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING _____ B. WING _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 07/02/2020
NAME OF PROVIDER OF SUPPLIER PREMIER LIVING AND REHAB CENTER		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP 106 CAMERON STREET LAKE WACCAMAW, NC 28450	
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<p>Level of harm - Minimal harm or potential for actual harm</p> <p>Residents Affected - Few</p>	<p>Ensure that a nursing home area is free from accident hazards and provides adequate supervision to prevent accidents.</p> <p>**NOTE- TERMS IN BRACKETS HAVE BEEN EDITED TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIALITY**</p> <p>Based on observations, record review and staff interviews, the facility failed to apply nonskid socks to 2 of 2 residents (Resident #1 and Resident #2) observed for accidents who were known to get out of the bed on their own without assistance and sustained a fall. Findings included: 1) Resident #1 was admitted to the facility on [DATE]. [DIAGNOSES REDACTED]. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated [DATE] discharge assessment revealed the resident was cognitively impaired. Resident #1 required limited assistance with one person physical assistance with bed mobility, extensive assistance with two person physical assistance with transfers, extensive assistance with one person physical assistance with walking in the room. Resident #1 required extensive assistance with one person physical assistance with locomotion on and off the unit and with dressing, toileting and personal hygiene. Resident #1 was not steady but able to stabilize without staff assistance with moving from seated to standing position, walking, turning around, moving on / off toilet and surface to surface transfers. He had no impairments and used a walker and wheelchair. Resident #1 had one fall with major injury during this assessment period. A review of the care plan revealed Resident #1 had a plan of care in place for falls updated on 10/01/19. The care plan indicated the resident was at risk for falls related to use of [MEDICAL CONDITION] medications, and a [DIAGNOSES REDACTED]. An intervention included to apply nonskid soled shoes every day. A nursing note written by Nurse #1 on 03/11/20 at 1:40 AM revealed the resident was observed in the hallway across from the dining room on his buttocks with legs stretched out in front of him. The note stated the resident was actively bleeding with visible lacerations to his forehead and across the bridge of his nose. The note reported the resident stated I don 't know what happened. A review of the incident report dated 03/11/20 documented under other info by Nurse #1 revealed a note indicating the resident did not have skid proof socks on, the resident had on his socks and the resident had ambulated to an unfamiliar area approximately 75 feet from his room near the dining room. The note indicated there were no witnesses. The incident report stated the resident was observed in the hallway across from the dining room on his buttocks with his legs stretched out in front of him. The resident was actively bleeding with visible lacerations to his forehead and across the bridge of his nose. The incident report revealed the resident stated I don 't know what happened and Nurse #1 applied pressure to the bleeding areas and called 911. The incident report indicated the resident sustained [REDACTED]. The incident report revealed the predisposing situation factors that were checked off by Nurse #1 included the resident had been ambulating without assistance and had on improper footwear. An interview was conducted with Nursing Assistant (NA) #1 via phone on 06/30/20 at 3:25 PM. She stated she did not remember working with Resident #1 on the night of 03/10/20 during the 3:00 to 11:00 PM shift. NA #1 stated she was familiar with Resident #1 and when she took care of him she assisted him to the bathroom. She stated he could ambulate, but he did require assistance at times, but he had a steady gait and used a walker and a wheelchair. NA #1 stated he was alert and some days he was more oriented than others. NA #1 added when she got him ready for bed on her shift she would check to see if he needed to use the bathroom, remove his dentures, and put on his night clothes. NA #1 reported whenever she worked with him she put on his nonskid socks because he would sometimes get out of bed without letting staff know, so she would put them on as a safety measure. NA #1 reported Resident #1 would bring himself to the bathroom, at times, unassisted. An interview was conducted with NA #2 on 07/01/20 at 2:46 AM via phone. NA #2 stated she was familiar with Resident #1. NA #2 reported during the night shift rounds she did not have to change Resident #1 because he would get up and use the bathroom on his own. NA #2 stated there was not much she had to do for him and if he got up in the middle of night, she would not know. NA #2 stated the resident understood the use of the call bell. NA #2 reported that other than his own socks, she was not aware of any footwear that he should have been wearing. NA #2 reported on the night of 03/11/20 she was next door (316B) and heard her nurse (Nurse #1) hollering down the hallway that she needed help and towels. NA #2 stated she saw Resident #1 on the floor. NA #2 stated she could not recall what the resident was wearing for clothes but stated he had no socks or shoes on his feet. An interview was conducted with Nurse #2 via phone on 07/01/20 at 3:05 PM. Nurse #2 worked on the 3:00 to 11:00 PM shift on 03/10/20. Nurse #2 reported Resident #1 was alert and oriented, but he was starting to decline some with his dementia. Nurse #2 stated he would get up to use the bathroom independently and he had a wander guard but he did not usually wander at night; it was more so during the day. Nurse #2 stated on the 3:00 to 11:00 PM shift, he stayed in his room except to get up and go to the bathroom. Nurse #2 reported the resident did not like to wear pajamas and he liked to be in his own clothes when he went to bed. Nurse #2 stated he always wore nonskid socks because he would get up by himself independently during the night. Nurse #2 stated she did not know if NA #1 put on his nonskid socks during the 3:00 to 11:00 PM shift on 03/10/20. An interview was conducted with Nurse #1 via phone on 07/02/20 at 9:25 AM. Nurse #1 stated she was familiar with Resident #1. Nurse #1 reported on the night of 03/11/20 when she got down the hall, she saw Resident #1 up against the wall and blood was on the floor. Nurse #1 stated she noted he had on his khaki slacks and a button up shirt and his white socks that had no grip on them. Nurse #1 stated there was blood on his face. Nurse #1 stated Resident #1 should have had nonskid socks on to prevent him from slipping since he did get out of bed without assistance. Nurse #1 stated she documented that he had improper footwear because he did not have nonskid socks on. Nurse #1 stated as part of the fall protocol we were trained to try and figure out how a resident had a fall and to document what we observed on the scene. Nurse #1 stated the fall was unwitnessed and she was not sure how he fell . An interview was conducted with the Director of Nursing (DON) at 12:30 PM via phone on 07/02/20. The DON reported Resident #1 was care planned to have nonskid soled shoes on during the day and should have had a specific care plan to have nonskid socks at night since he would ambulate without assistance. The DON reported nonskid sole shoes was an intervention that was in place for the ambulatory residents for ambulatory purposes to prevent them from slipping and we would want them to have on nonskid footwear whether it was day or night. The DON reported she would have expected Resident #1 to have nonskid footwear on to prevent a slip with ambulation whether it was day or night. 2) Resident #2 was admitted to the facility 09/08/17. [DIAGNOSES REDACTED]. A review of the MDS quarterly assessment dated [DATE] revealed Resident #2 was moderately cognitively impaired and required extensive assistance with two person physical assistance with bed mobility and one person physical assistance with transfers, locomotion on/off the unit, dressing, toileting and personal hygiene. Resident #2 was assessed as not being steady and only able to stabilize with staff assistance when moving from a seated to standing position and moving on and off the toilet. Resident #2 had an impairment to one side to the upper extremity and to both sides of the lower extremities and used a wheelchair. He was frequently incontinent of bladder and always incontinent of bowel. He was coded as having a fall during this assessment period two or more with no injury and one with injury not major. A review of the care plan updated on 02/10/20 revealed the resident had a plan of care in place for history of falls and at risk for falls related to the [DIAGNOSES REDACTED]. One of the interventions in place was to ensure the resident was wearing appropriate nonskid shoes or nonskid socks every day. An incident note written on 05/04/20 by Nurse #3 revealed, in</p>		
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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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