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April 11, 2025

Licensee

Harmony River Living Center
1555 Sherwood Street Southeast
Hutchinson, MN 55350

RE: Project Number(s) SL30810016

Dear Licensee:

The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) completed a survey on March 13, 2025, for the purpose of evaluating and assessing compliance with state licensing statutes. At the time of the survey, MDH noted violations of the laws pursuant to Minnesota Statute, Chapter 144G, Minnesota Food Code, Minnesota Rules Chapter 4626, Minnesota Statute 626.5572 and/or Minnesota Statute Chapter 260E.

MDH concludes the licensee is in substantial compliance. State law requires the facility must take action to correct the state correction orders and document the actions taken to comply in the facility's records. The Department reserves the right to return to the facility at any time should the Department receive a complaint or deem it necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of residents in your care.

STATE CORRECTION ORDERS

The enclosed State Form documents the state correction orders. MDH documents state licensing correction orders using federal software. Tag numbers are assigned to Minnesota state statutes for Assisted Living Facilities. The assigned tag number appears in the far left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state statute number and the corresponding text of the state statute out of compliance are listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column. This column also includes the findings that are in violation of the state statute after the statement, "This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by . . ."

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.31 Subd. 4, MDH may assess fines based on the level and scope of the violations; **however, no immediate fines are assessed for this survey of your facility.**

DOCUMENTATION OF ACTION TO COMPLY

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.30, Subd. 5(c), the licensee must document actions taken to comply with the correction orders within the time period outlined on the state form; however, plans of correction are not required to be submitted for approval.

The correction order documentation should include the following:

- Identify how the area(s) of noncompliance was corrected related to the

resident(s)/employee(s) identified in the correction order.

- Identify how the area(s) of noncompliance was corrected for all of the provider's resident(s)/employees that may be affected by the noncompliance.
- Identify what changes to your systems and practices were made to ensure compliance with the specific statute(s).

CORRECTION ORDER RECONSIDERATION PROCESS

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.32, Subd. 2, you may challenge the correction order(s) issued, including the level and scope, and any fine assessed through the correction order reconsideration process. The request for reconsideration must be in writing and received by MDH within 15 calendar days of the correction order receipt date.

To submit a reconsideration request, please visit:

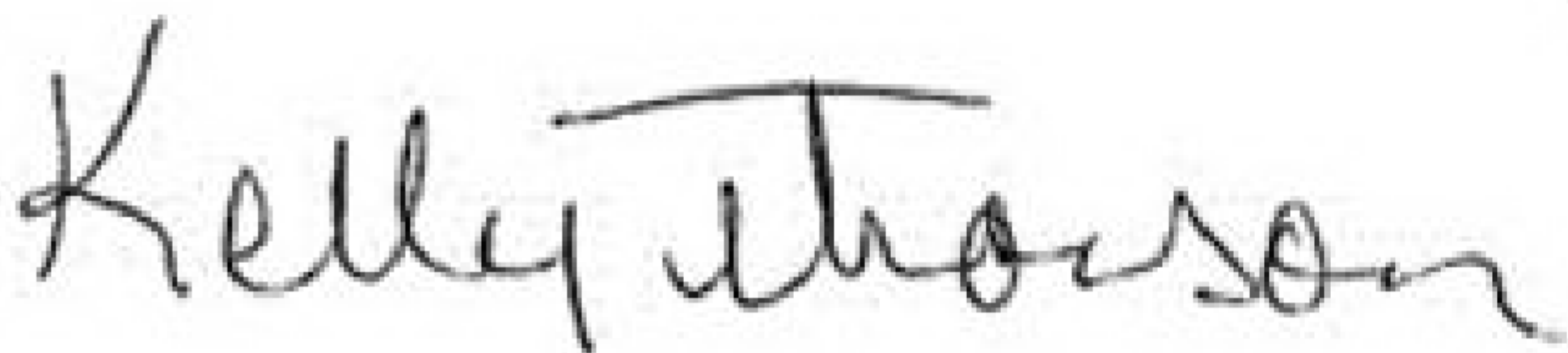
<https://forms.web.health.state.mn.us/form/HRDAppealsForm>

The MDH Health Regulation Division (HRD) values your feedback about your experience during the survey and/or investigation process. Please fill out this anonymous provider feedback questionnaire at your convenience at this link: **<https://forms.office.com/g/Bm5uQEphVa>**. Your input is important to us and will enable MDH to improve its processes and communication with providers. If you have any questions regarding the questionnaire, please contact Susan Winkelmann at susan.winkelmann@state.mn.us or call 651-201-5952.

You are encouraged to retain this document for your records. It is your responsibility to share the information contained in the letter and state form with your organization's Governing Body.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,



Kelly Thorson, Supervisor

State Evaluation Team

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Telephone: 320-223-7336 Fax: 1-866-890-9290

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Minnesota Department of Health

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 30810	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING _____		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 03/13/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER HARMONY RIVER LIVING CENTER		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1555 SHERWOOD STREET SE HUTCHINSON, MN 55350			
(X4) ID PREFIX TAG	SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES (EACH DEFICIENCY MUST BE PRECEDED BY FULL REGULATORY OR LSC IDENTIFYING INFORMATION)	ID PREFIX TAG	PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION (EACH CORRECTIVE ACTION SHOULD BE CROSS-REFERENCED TO THE APPROPRIATE DEFICIENCY)		(X5) COMPLETE DATE
0 000	Initial Comments ASSISTED LIVING PROVIDER LICENSING CORRECTION ORDER(S) In accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 144G.08 to 144G.95, these correction orders are issued pursuant to a survey. Determination of whether violations are corrected requires compliance with all requirements provided at the Statute number indicated below. When Minnesota Statute contains several items, failure to comply with any of the items will be considered lack of compliance. INITIAL COMMENTS: SL30810016-0 On March 10, 2025, through March 13, 2025, the Minnesota Department of Health conducted a full survey at the above provider. At the time of the survey, there were 16 resident(s); 16 receiving services under the Assisted Living Facility with Dementia Care license.	0 000	Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Correction Orders using federal software. Tag numbers have been assigned to Minnesota State Statutes for Assisted Living Facilities. The assigned tag number appears in the far-left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state Statute number and the corresponding text of the state Statute out of compliance is listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column. This column also includes the findings which are in violation of the state requirement after the statement, "This Minnesota requirement is not met as evidenced by." Following the evaluators ' findings is the Time Period for Correction. PLEASE DISREGARD THE HEADING OF THE FOURTH COLUMN WHICH STATES,"PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION." THIS APPLIES TO FEDERAL DEFICIENCIES ONLY. THIS WILL APPEAR ON EACH PAGE. THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT TO SUBMIT A PLAN OF CORRECTION FOR VIOLATIONS OF MINNESOTA STATE STATUTES. THE LETTER IN THE LEFT COLUMN IS USED FOR TRACKING PURPOSES AND REFLECTS THE SCOPE AND LEVEL ISSUED PURSUANT TO 144G.31 SUBDIVISION 1-3.		
0 680 SS=F	144G.42 Subd. 10 Disaster planning and emergency preparedness	0 680			

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LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE

TITLE

(X6) DATE

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0 680	Continued From page 1 (a) The facility must meet the following requirements: (1) have a written emergency disaster plan that contains a plan for evacuation, addresses elements of sheltering in place, identifies temporary relocation sites, and details staff assignments in the event of a disaster or an emergency; (2) post an emergency disaster plan prominently; (3) provide building emergency exit diagrams to all residents; (4) post emergency exit diagrams on each floor; and (5) have a written policy and procedure regarding missing residents. (b) The facility must provide emergency and disaster training to all staff during the initial staff orientation and annually thereafter and must make emergency and disaster training annually available to all residents. Staff who have not received emergency and disaster training are allowed to work only when trained staff are also working on site. (c) The facility must meet any additional requirements adopted in rule. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to have a written emergency preparedness (EP) plan with all the required content. This had the potential to affect all residents receiving services under the Provisional Assisted Living license. This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death), and	0 680			

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0 680	Continued From page 2 was issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents). The findings include: On March 10, 2025, at 1:54 p.m., nursing home administrator/ licensed assisted living director (NHA/LALD) provided the licensee's emergency disaster preparedness plan dated February 10, 2025, which lacked evidence of the following required content: - identify at risk population needs like maintaining independence, communication, transportation, supervision and medical care. On March 11, 2025, at 12:07 p.m., NHA/LALD-A stated a report or instruction to pull the report wasn't previously in the EP binder which was an oversight and has been corrected. The licensee's Emergency Operations Preparedness Plan policy, revised on July 27, 2021, indicated EP planning is designed to give those having responsibility for the safety of residents, staff, volunteers, families and visitors' general guidelines to follow. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	0 680			

Type: Full
Date: 03/10/25
Time: 12:00:00
Report: 1033251108

Food and Beverage Establishment Inspection Report

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Location:

Harmony River Living Center
1555 Sherwood Street SE
Hutchinson, MN55350
Mc Leod County, 43

Establishment Info:

ID #: 0026369
Risk: Medium
Announced Inspection: No

License Categories:

Expires on: / /

Operator:

Hutchinson Senior Care Service

Phone #: 3204846000
ID #: 34669

The violations listed in this report include any previously issued orders and deficiencies identified during this inspection. Compliance dates are shown for each item.

No NEW orders were issued during this inspection.

Surface and Equipment Sanitizers

Hot Water: = at 166 Degrees Fahrenheit
Location: Dish Machine
Violation Issued: No

Food and Equipment Temperatures

Process/Item: Hot Holding
Temperature: 171 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: Pork Chop-Hot Table
Violation Issued: No

Process/Item: Hot Holding
Temperature: 174 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: Chicken Kiev-Hot Table
Violation Issued: No

Process/Item: Cold Holding
Temperature: 0> Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: Ice Cream Freezer
Violation Issued: No

Process/Item: Cold Holding
Temperature: 40 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: Cooler
Violation Issued: No

Total Orders In This Report	Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3
	0	0	0

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NOTE: Plans and specifications must be submitted for review and approval prior to new construction, remodeling or alterations.

I acknowledge receipt of the inspection report number 1033251108 of 03/10/25.

Certified Food Protection Manager Patricia A Herold

Certification Number: FM11299 Expires: 07/12/25

Inspection report reviewed with person in charge and emailed.

Signed: _____

Patricia A Herold

Signed:  _____

Isaiah Armendariz
Environmental Health Specialist
Mankato District Office
507-344-2743
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Report #: 1033251108		Food Establishment Inspection Report									
		No. of RF/PHI Categories Out			0		Date 03/10/25				
		No. of Repeat RF/PHI Categories Out			0		Time In 12:00:00				
		Legal Authority MN Rules Chapter 4626					Time Out				
Harmony River Living Center		Address 1555 Sherwood Street SE		City/State Hutchinson, MN		Zip Code 55350		Telephone 3204846000			
License/Permit # 0026369		Permit Holder Hutchinson Senior Care Service		Purpose of Inspection Full		Est Type		Risk Category M			
FOODBORNE ILLNESS RISK FACTORS AND PUBLIC HEALTH INTERVENTIONS											
Circle designated compliance status (IN, OUT, N/O, N/A) for each numbered item											
Mark "X" in appropriate box for COS and/or R											
IN= in compliance OUT= not in compliance N/O= not observed N/A= not applicable COS=corrected on-site during inspection R= repeat violation											
Compliance Status				COS		R					
Supervision											
1	IN	OUT	PIC knowledgeable; duties & oversight								
2	IN	OUT	N/A	Certified food protection manager, duties							
Employee Health											
3	IN	OUT	Mgmt/Staff;knowledge,responsibilities&reporting								
4	IN	OUT	Proper use of reporting, restriction & exclusion								
5	IN	OUT	Procedures for responding to vomiting & diarrheal events								
Good Hygienic Practices											
6	IN	OUT	N/O	Proper eating, tasting, drinking, or tobacco use							
7	IN	OUT	N/O	No discharge from eyes, nose, & mouth							
Preventing Contamination by Hands											
8	IN	OUT	N/O	Hands clean & properly washed							
9	IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	No bare hand contact with RTE foods or pre-approved alternate pprocedure properly followed						
10	IN	OUT		Adequate handwashing sinks supplied/accessible							
Approved Source											
11	IN	OUT		Food obtained from approved source							
12	IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	Food received at proper temperature						
13	IN	OUT		Food in good condition, safe, & unadulterated							
14	IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	Required records available; shellstock tags, parasite destruction						
Protection from Contamination											
15	IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	Food separated and protected						
16	IN	OUT	N/A		Food contact surfaces: cleaned & sanitized						
17	IN	OUT		Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned, & unsafe food							
GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES											
Good Retail Practices are preventative measures to control the addition of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.											
Mark "X" in box if numbered item is not in compliance Mark "X" in appropriate box for COS and/or R COS=corrected on-site during inspection R= repeat violation											
				COS		R					
Safe Food and Water											
30	IN	OUT	N/A	Pasteurized eggs used where required							
31				Water & ice obtained from an approved source							
32	IN	OUT	N/A	Variance obtained for specialized processing methods							
Food Temperature Control											
33				Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control							
34	IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	Plant food properly cooked for hot holding						
35	IN	OUT	N/A	N/O	Approved thawing methods used						
36				Thermometers provided & accurate							
Food Identification											
37				Food properly labeled; original container							
Prevention of Food Contamination											
38				Insects, rodents, & animals not present							
39				Contamination prevented during food prep, storage & display							
40				Personal cleanliness							
41				Wiping cloths: properly used & stored							
42				Washing fruits & vegetables							
Food Recalls:											
Person in Charge (Signature)											
Date: 03/11/25											
Inspector (Signature)											