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March 31, 2023

Licensee
Harmony House
26886 143rd Street
Pierz, MN 56364

RE: Project Number(s) SL20172015

Dear Licensee:

The Minnesota Department of Health completed an evaluation on February 17, 2023, for the purpose of evaluating and assessing compliance with state licensing statutes. At the time of the evaluation, the Minnesota Department of Health 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.

LICENSING ORDERS

The enclosed State Form documents the state licensing orders. The Department of Health 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 and enforcement actions based on the level and scope of the violations; **however, no immediate fines are assessed for this evaluation of your facility.**

DOCUMENTATION OF ACTION TO COMPLY

Per Minn. Stat. § 144G.30, Subd. 5(c), the licensee must document any action taken to comply with the correction order by the correction order date. A copy of the provider's records documenting those actions may be requested for follow-up evaluations. The licensee is not required to submit a plan of correction 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 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 the Department of Health within 15 calendar days of the

correction order receipt date.

A state licensing order under Minn. Stat. § 144G.91, Subd. 8, Free from Maltreatment is associated with a maltreatment determination by the Office of Health Facility Complaints. If maltreatment is substantiated, you will receive a separate letter with the reconsideration process under Minn. Stat. § 626.557.

Please email reconsideration requests to: **Health.HRD.Appeals@state.mn.us**. Please attach this letter as part of your reconsideration request. Please clearly indicate which tag(s) you are contesting and submit information supporting your position(s).

Please address your cover letter for reconsideration requests to:

Reconsideration Unit
Health Regulation Division
Minnesota Department of Health
P.O. Box 64970
85 East Seventh Place
St. Paul, MN 55164-0970

You are encouraged to retain this document for your records. It is your responsibility to share the information contained in this letter and the results of this visit with the President of your organization's Governing Body. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,



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0 000	Initial Comments *****ATTENTION***** 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: SL20172015 On, February 13, 2023, through February 15, 2023, the Minnesota Department of Health conducted a survey at the above provider, and the following correction orders are issued. At the time of the survey, there were four 22 residents, all of whom received services under the provider's Assisted Living with Dementia Care license.	0 000	Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Licensing Correction Orders using federal software. Tag numbers have been assigned to Minnesota State Statutes for Assisted Living License Providers. 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 surveyors' 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 subd. 1, 2, and 3.	
0 480 SS=F	144G.41 Subd 1 (13) (i) (B) Minimum requirements (13) offer to provide or make available at least the	0 480		

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

TITLE

(X6) DATE

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0 480	Continued From page 1 following services to residents: (B) food must be prepared and served according to the Minnesota Food Code, Minnesota Rules, chapter 4626; and This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to comply with Minnesota Food Code chapter 4626. This had the potential to affect all residents residing at the facility. 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 is issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has the potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents). The findings include: Please refer to the included document titled, Food and Beverage Establishment Inspection Report dated February 13, 2023, for the specific Minnesota Food Code deficiencies.. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-One (21) days	0 480		
0 660 SS=D	144G.42 Subd. 9 Tuberculosis prevention and control (a) The facility must establish and maintain a comprehensive tuberculosis infection control program according to the most current	0 660		

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0 660	Continued From page 2 tuberculosis infection control guidelines issued by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Division of Tuberculosis Elimination, as published in the CDC's Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report. The program must include a tuberculosis infection control plan that covers all paid and unpaid employees, contractors, students, and regularly scheduled volunteers. The commissioner shall provide technical assistance regarding implementation of the guidelines. (b) The facility must maintain written evidence of compliance with this subdivision. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure annual tuberculosis (TB) education was provided to one of two employees (unlicensed personnel (ULP)-C). 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) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: The Facility TB Risk Assessment dated June 30, 2022, identified the facility was at a low risk for TB transmission. ULP-C was hired on February 19, 2019. ULP-C's undated Educare training transcript (an online training platform) included the OSHA and	0 660		

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0 660	Continued From page 3 Infection Control course which included TB training/education. ULP-C's last OSHA training was completed on February 2, 2022. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D stated the OSHA and Infection Control was assigned to ULP-C but had not yet been completed and LALD-D will follow up on it with the staff member. The licensee's Tuberculosis and Staff Screening policy dated June 17, 2022, indicated, "Based on the Community TB Risk Assessments, TB training should be conducted annually in medium risk settings. Low-risk settings should annually evaluate the need for TB training, and conduct training as needed." No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	0 660		
0 680 SS=F	144G.42 Subd. 10 Disaster planning and emergency preparedness (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	0 680		

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0 680	Continued From page 4 (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 observation, interview and record review, the licensee failed to prominently displayed their emergency preparedness (EP) plan to be readily available for residents, staff and visitors. This had the potential to effect all residents, staff and visitors at the facility. 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 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 included: During the facility tour with the licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D on February 13, 2023, at 10:58 a.m., the EP plan was not posted. On February 14, 2023, at 6:30 a.m., LALD-D stated the EP binder was in her office in a yellow	0 680		

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0 680	Continued From page 5 binder. LALD-D showed the surveyor another EP binder which was kept in the medication room in a cabinet. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., LALD-D and the director of operations (DO)-F both stated it will be a challenge to keep the EP plan available on the unit because many of their dementia population who often walk off with things that don't belong to them. The licensee's Emergency Preparedness Plan - Appendix Z Compliance policy, revised on June, 8, 2022, indicated the EP plan, "will be aligned with the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services State Operation Manual Appendix Z," guidance. No further information provided TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-One (21) days	0 680		
0 810 SS=F	144G.45 Subd. 2 (b)-(f) Fire protection and physical environment (b) Each assisted living facility shall develop and maintain fire safety and evacuation plans. The plans shall include but are not limited to: (1) location and number of resident sleeping rooms; (2) employee actions to be taken in the event of a fire or similar emergency; (3) fire protection procedures necessary for residents; and (4) procedures for resident movement, evacuation, or relocation during a fire or similar emergency including the identification of unique or unusual resident needs for movement or	0 810		

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0 810	Continued From page 6 evacuation. (c) Employees of assisted living facilities shall receive training on the fire safety and evacuation plans upon hiring and at least twice per year thereafter. (d) Fire safety and evacuation plans shall be readily available at all times within the facility. (e) Residents who are capable of assisting in their own evacuation shall be trained on the proper actions to take in the event of a fire to include movement, evacuation, or relocation. The training shall be made available to residents at least once per year. (f) Evacuation drills are required for employees twice per year per shift with at least one evacuation drill every other month. Evacuation of the residents is not required. Fire alarm system activation is not required to initiate the evacuation drill. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to prominently displayed their emergency preparedness (EP) plan to be readily available for residents, staff and visitors. This had the potential to affect all residents, staff and visitors at the facility. 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 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).	0 810		

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0 810	Continued From page 7 The findings include: During the facility tour with licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D on February 13, 2023, at 10:58 a.m., the surveyor did not observe the EP plan was posted. On February 14, 2023, at 6:30 a.m., LALD-D stated the EP binder was in her office in a yellow binder. LALD-D showed the surveyor another EP binder which was kept in the medication room in a cabinet. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., LALD-D and director of operations (DO)-F both stated it will be a challenge to keep the EP plan available on the unit because many of the residents with dementia who often walk off with things that don't belong to them. The licensee's Emergency Preparedness Plan - Appendix Z Compliance policy revised on June 8, 2022, indicated the EP plan, "will be aligned with the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services State Operation Manual Appendix Z," guidance. No further information provided TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-One (21) days	0 810		
01470 SS=D	144G.63 Subd. 2 Content of required orientation (a) The orientation must contain the following topics: (1) an overview of this chapter; (2) an introduction and review of the facility's policies and procedures related to the provision of assisted living services by the individual staff	01470		

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01470	Continued From page 8 person; (3) handling of emergencies and use of emergency services; (4) compliance with and reporting of the maltreatment of vulnerable adults under section 626.557 to the Minnesota Adult Abuse Reporting Center (MAARC); (5) the assisted living bill of rights and staff responsibilities related to ensuring the exercise and protection of those rights; (6) the principles of person-centered planning and service delivery and how they apply to direct support services provided by the staff person; (7) handling of residents' complaints, reporting of complaints, and where to report complaints, including information on the Office of Health Facility Complaints; (8) consumer advocacy services of the Office of Ombudsman for Long-Term Care, Office of Ombudsman for Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, Managed Care Ombudsman at the Department of Human Services, county-managed care advocates, or other relevant advocacy services; and (9) a review of the types of assisted living services the employee will be providing and the facility's category of licensure. (b) In addition to the topics in paragraph (a), orientation may also contain training on providing services to residents with hearing loss. Any training on hearing loss provided under this subdivision must be high quality and research based, may include online training, and must include training on one or more of the following topics: (1) an explanation of age-related hearing loss and how it manifests itself, its prevalence, and the challenges it poses to communication; (2) health impacts related to untreated	01470		

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01470	Continued From page 9 age-related hearing loss, such as increased incidence of dementia, falls, hospitalizations, isolation, and depression; or (3) information about strategies and technology that may enhance communication and involvement, including communication strategies, assistive listening devices, hearing aids, visual and tactile alerting devices, communication access in real time, and closed captions. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure required orientation was completed for one of two employees (licensed practical nurse (LPN)-B) upon hire. 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) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: LPN-B was hired on September 10, 2021, and provided direct care services to the licensee's residents. LPN-B's employee record contained an Educare (online education platform) transcript which listed completed trainings. The Educare transcript lacked documentation of orientation for the following: - overview of assisted living statutes; - review of provider's policies and procedures; - hearing loss training;	01470		

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01470	Continued From page 10 - consumer advocacy; and - principles of person-centered planning/service delivery. On February 13, 2023, at 10:15 a.m., registered nurse (RN)-A stated training was provided primarily on Educare. RN-A stated things like skill competencies and 30-day RN supervisions for ULPs were done by the RN on paper. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D stated education documentation should all be on Educare. LALD-D double checked and reviewed LPN-B's Educare transcript during the interview and acknowledged the required education was missing. The licensee's Orientation of Personnel and Content policy dated August 1, 2021, indicated the orientation must contain the following topics: - An overview of the appropriate Assisted Living statutes and rules - An introduction and review of the facility's policies and procedures related to the provision of assisted living services by the individual staff person - Principles of person-centered planning and service delivery and how they apply to direct support services provided by the staff person - Consumer advocacy services of the Office of Ombudsman for Long-Term Care, Office of Ombudsman for Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, Managed Care Ombudsman at the Department of Human Services, county-managed care advocates, or other relevant advocacy services - In addition to the topics listed above, orientation may also contain training on providing services to residents with hearing loss.	01470		

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01470	Continued From page 11 No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	01470		
01500 SS=D	144G.63 Subd. 5 Required annual training (a) All staff that perform direct services must complete at least eight hours of annual training for each 12 months of employment. The training may be obtained from the facility or another source and must include topics relevant to the provision of assisted living services. The annual training must include: (1) training on reporting of maltreatment of vulnerable adults under section 626.557; (2) review of the assisted living bill of rights and staff responsibilities related to ensuring the exercise and protection of those rights; (3) review of infection control techniques used in the home and implementation of infection control standards including a review of hand washing techniques; the need for and use of protective gloves, gowns, and masks; appropriate disposal of contaminated materials and equipment, such as dressings, needles, syringes, and razor blades; disinfecting reusable equipment; disinfecting environmental surfaces; and reporting communicable diseases; (4) effective approaches to use to problem solve when working with a resident's challenging behaviors, and how to communicate with residents who have dementia, Alzheimer's disease, or related disorders; (5) review of the facility's policies and procedures relating to the provision of assisted living services and how to implement those policies and procedures; and	01500		

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01500	Continued From page 12 (6) the principles of person-centered planning and service delivery and how they apply to direct support services provided by the staff person. (b) In addition to the topics in paragraph (a), annual training may also contain training on providing services to residents with hearing loss. Any training on hearing loss provided under this subdivision must be high quality and research based, may include online training, and must include training on one or more of the following topics: (1) an explanation of age-related hearing loss and how it manifests itself, its prevalence, and challenges it poses to communication; (2) the health impacts related to untreated age-related hearing loss, such as increased incidence of dementia, falls, hospitalizations, isolation, and depression; or (3) information about strategies and technology that may enhance communication and involvement, including communication strategies, assistive listening devices, hearing aids, visual and tactile alerting devices, communication access in real time, and closed captions. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure employees received at least eight (8) hours of annual training for each 12 months of employment to include all required training topics for two of two employees (licensed practical nurse (LPN)-B, and unlicensed personnel (ULP)-C). 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) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of	01500		

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01500	Continued From page 13 residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: LPN-B LPN-B was hired on September 10, 2021, and provided direct care services to the licensee's residents. LPN-B's employee record contained an Educare (online education platform) transcript which listed completed trainings. The Educare transcript lacked documentation of annual training for the following: - review of provider's policies and procedures; - hearing loss training; and - principles of person-centered planning/service delivery. ULP-C ULP-C was hired on February 19, 2019, and provided direct care services to the licensee's residents. ULP-C's employee record contained an Educare transcript which listed completed trainings. The Educare transcript lacked documentation of annual training for the following: - hearing loss training; and - review of provider's policies and procedures. On February 13, 2023, at 10:15 a.m., registered nurse (RN)-A stated training was provided primarily on Educare. RN-A stated things like skill competencies and 30-day RN supervisions for ULPs were done by the RN on paper. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., licensed	01500		

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01500	Continued From page 14 assisted living director (LALD)-D stated education documentation should all be on Educare. LALD-D double checked and reviewed LPN-B's Educare transcript during the interview and acknowledged the required education was missing. The licensee's Required Annual Training policy dated August 1, 2021, indicated the following: "The following training elements MUST be included every 12 months to all staff who performs direct care services: - Review of the site policies and procedures relating to the provision of assisted living services and how to implement those policies and procedures; - Principles of person-centered planning and service delivery and how they apply to direct support services provided by the team member; and - In addition to the topics listed above, annual training may also contain training on providing services to residents with hearing loss. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	01500		
01540 SS=D	144G.64 (a) TRAINING IN DEMENTIA CARE REQUIRED (3) for assisted living facilities with dementia care, direct-care employees must have completed at least eight hours of initial training on topics specified under paragraph (b) within 80 working hours of the employment start date. Until this initial training is complete, an employee must not provide direct care unless there is another	01540		

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01540	Continued From page 15 employee on site who has completed the initial eight hours of training on topics related to dementia care and who can act as a resource and assist if issues arise. A trainer of the requirements under paragraph (b) or a supervisor meeting the requirements in clause (1) must be available for consultation with the new employee until the training requirement is complete. Direct-care employees must have at least two hours of training on topics related to dementia for each 12 months of employment thereafter; This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure the required two (2) hours of annual dementia care training for each 12 months of employment was completed for direct-care employees for one of two employees (licensed practical nurse (LPN)-B). 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) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: LPN-B was hired on September 10, 2021, and provided direct care services to the licensee's residents. LPN-B's employee record contained an Educare (online education platform) transcript which listed completed trainings. The Educare transcript lacked documentation of the required 2 hours of	01540		

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01540	Continued From page 16 annual dementia training. On February 14, 2023, at 6:59 a.m., licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D's email indicated LPN-B should have had her annual 2 hours of dementia training. LALD-D's email indicated LPN-B transferred from their Home Care and Hospice division of the company and annual dementia training may have been missed due to the transfer. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., LALD-D stated education documentation should all be on Educare. LALD-D double checked and reviewed LPN-B's Educare transcript during the interview and acknowledged the required education was missing. The licensee's Dementia Training policy dated August 1, 2021, indicated, "All personnel will complete two (2) hours of additional training for each 12 months of work." No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	01540			
01620 SS=D	144G.70 Subd. 2 (c-e) Initial reviews, assessments, and monitoring (c) Resident reassessment and monitoring must be conducted no more than 14 calendar days after initiation of services. Ongoing resident reassessment and monitoring must be conducted as needed based on changes in the needs of the resident and cannot exceed 90 calendar days from the last date of the assessment. (d) For residents only receiving assisted living	01620			

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01620	Continued From page 17 services specified in section 144G.08, subdivision 9, clauses (1) to (5), the facility shall complete an individualized initial review of the resident's needs and preferences. The initial review must be completed within 30 calendar days of the start of services. Resident monitoring and review must be conducted as needed based on changes in the needs of the resident and cannot exceed 90 calendar days from the date of the last review. (e) A facility must inform the prospective resident of the availability of and contact information for long-term care consultation services under section 256B.0911, prior to the date on which a prospective resident executes a contract with a facility or the date on which a prospective resident moves in, whichever is earlier. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure the registered nurse (RN) conducted preadmission assessment as well as ongoing resident monitoring and reassessment, utilizing a uniform assessment tool, no more than 14 calendar days after initiation of services for one of three residents (R1). 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) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: R1 was admitted on January 20, 2022.	01620		

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01620	Continued From page 18 R1's service plan signed January 20, 2022, indicated R1 received services for medication management, housekeeping, and activities of daily living (ADLs). R1's record included a RN admission assessment dated March 11, 2022, and a 14-day RN assessment completed on March 22, 2022. On February 14, 2023, at 6:59 a.m., an email from licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D indicated R1 had been admitted on January 20, 2022. LALD-D's email indicated she was unsure where R1's initial assessment was located. On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., LALD-D stated she could not locate R1's preadmission or 14-day RN assessments which should have been completed for the January 20, 2022, date of admission. The licensee's Assessments, Reviews, and Monitoring policy dated August 1, 2021, indicated: "1. The initial nursing assessment or reassessment must include all the elements of the uniform assessment tool as required, conducted in person (unless see #2), be in writing, dated, and signed by the registered nurse who conducted the assessment. 3. Resident reassessment and monitoring must be conducted no more than 14 calendar days after initiation of services. Ongoing resident reassessment and monitoring must be conducted as needed based on changes in the needs of the resident and cannot exceed 90 calendar days from the last date of the assessment." No additional information was provided.	01620		

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01620	Continued From page 19 TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	01620		
01950 SS=D	144G.72 Subd. 4 Administration of treatments and therapy Ordered or prescribed treatments or therapies must be administered by a nurse, physician, or other licensed health professional authorized to perform the treatment or therapy, or may be delegated or assigned to unlicensed personnel by the licensed health professional according to the appropriate practice standards for delegation or assignment. When administration of a treatment or therapy is delegated or assigned to unlicensed personnel, the facility must ensure that the registered nurse or authorized licensed health professional has: (1) instructed the unlicensed personnel in the proper methods with respect to each resident and the unlicensed personnel has demonstrated the ability to competently follow the procedures; (2) specified, in writing, specific instructions for each resident and documented those instructions in the resident's record; and This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observtion, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to ensure the registered nurse (RN) specified, in writing, specific instructions for each resident treatment and documented those instructions in the resident's record for one of three residents (R1). 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) and was issued at an	01950		

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01950	Continued From page 20 isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: R1's 90-day RN assessment dated November 16, 2022, indicated R1 had fluid retention in her bilateral lower extremities and wore TED stockings (compression socks) daily. R1's record contained signed treatment orders dated December 7, 2022, for TED stockings. R1 Individualized Treatment and Therapy Plan dated February 13, 2023, indicated R1 received TED stocking treatment assistance two times daily. The treatment plan indicated, "Staff to provide assistance applying TED hose in AM and removing them in PM. RCG to report increased swelling in lower extremities to LPN/RN. Monitor skin, and report any discoloration (pale, red, blue) to the LPN/RN. Report any signs of skin breakdown to nurse. TED hose should be hand rinsed in warm soap and water at HS, and hung to dry." On February 14, 2023, at 8:08 a.m., unlicensed personnel (ULP)-C and ULP-F were observed applying R1's TED stockings to both legs with each ULP doing one leg. R1's TED stockings were white knee-high open-toed TED stockings. ULP-C and ULP-F each pulled R1's TED stocking up her legs and over her kneecaps. Both TED stockings were left 1-2 inches (in.) above the top of her knees. On February 14, 2023, at 10:38 a.m., RN-A's email indicated she had addressed R1's TED	01950			

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01950	Continued From page 21 stockings application instructions in R1's 90-day assessment dated February 14, 2023, and updated R1's care plan. On February 14, 2023, at 11:00 a.m., ULP-C stated she was not sure how high R1's TED stockings were supposed to go. ULP-C stated there were no instructions on how to apply them to R1. On February 14, 2023, at 1:10 p.m., licensed practical nurse (LPN)-B stated the treatment order should have included specific instructions on how to apply R1's TED stockings. On February 14, 2023, at 10:43 p.m., RN-A's email indicated the standard expectation was for TED stockings to be kept below the knee when used for lower extremity edema, "which is the treatment need for [R1]." RN-A indicated it was her expectation for treatments to have specific instructions for ULP staff and was going to go through treatment plans for residents to ensure specific instructions were present. The licensee's Support/Compression Stockings policy dated August 1, 2021, indicated staff were to pull stockings over the heel and work stocking to "desired length." No further information provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Seven (7) days	01950			
01960 SS=D	144G.72 Subd. 5 Documentation of administration of treatments Each treatment or therapy administered by an	01960			

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01960	Continued From page 22 assisted living facility must be in the resident record. The documentation must include the signature and title of the person who administered the treatment or therapy and must include the date and time of administration. When treatment or therapies are not administered as ordered or prescribed, the provider must document the reason why it was not administered and any follow-up procedures that were provided to meet the resident's needs. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to document treatment administration for two of three residents (R1, R2). 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 was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: R1 R1's orders dated December 7, 2022, indicated staff were to assist R1 with applying TED stockings (compression stockings) in the morning (AM) and evening (PM). On February 14, 2023, at 8:08 a.m., unlicensed personnel (ULP)-C and ULP-F were observed applying R1's TED stockings. R1's treatment administration record (TAR) for	01960		

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01960	Continued From page 23 January 2023, lacked documentation staff had applied or removed R1's TED stockings for the following dates and times: - January 13, 2023, in the AM; and - January 2, 3, 4, and 9, 2023, in the PM. R2 R2's orders dated December 8, 2022, indicated R2 received blood glucose (BG) monitoring four (4) times per day. On February 14, 2023, at 6:55 a.m., ULP-C was observed checking R2's BG. R2's TAR for January 2023, lacked documentation staff had checked R2's BG for the following dates and times: - January 18, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.; and - January 8, 2023, at 8:00 p.m. On February 14, 2023, at 1:10 p.m., licensed practical nurse (LPN)-B stated a TAR should not have blank spaces as it would indicate a task was possibly not completed. On February 14, 2023, at 10:43 p.m., registered nurse (RN)-A's email indicated a TAR should not have spaces left blank. RN-A indicated she found an option in RTask (electronic documentation software) which would allow her to view missing services/chores in the past 72 hours and would be making it a part of her routine every morning and address missed documentation with staff. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD OF CORRECTION: Seven (7) days	01960		

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02110	Continued From page 24	02110			
02110 SS=C	144G.82 Subd. 3 Policies (a) In addition to the policies and procedures required in the licensing of all facilities, the assisted living facility with dementia care licensee must develop and implement policies and procedures that address the: (1) philosophy of how services are provided based upon the assisted living facility licensee's values, mission, and promotion of person-centered care and how the philosophy shall be implemented; (2) evaluation of behavioral symptoms and design of supports for intervention plans, including nonpharmacological practices that are person-centered and evidence-informed; (3) wandering and egress prevention that provides detailed instructions to staff in the event a resident elopes; (4) medication management, including an assessment of residents for the use and effects of medications, including psychotropic medications; (5) staff training specific to dementia care; (6) description of life enrichment programs and how activities are implemented; (7) description of family support programs and efforts to keep the family engaged; (8) limiting the use of public address and intercom systems for emergencies and evacuation drills only; (9) transportation coordination and assistance to and from outside medical appointments; and (10) safekeeping of residents' possessions. (b) The policies and procedures must be provided to residents and the residents' legal and designated representatives at the time of move-in.	02110			

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02110	Continued From page 25 This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure policies and procedures for assisted living with dementia care (ALFDC) were provided to residents and the residents' legal and designated representatives at the time of move in for three of three residents (R1, R2, R3). This practice resulted in a level one violation (a violation that has no potential to cause more than a minimal impact on the resident and does not affect health or safety) and was issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has the potential to affect a large portion or all the residents). The findings include: R1 had a signed contract, dated January 20, 2022. R2 had an updated signed contract, dated August 1, 2021, signed after R2's admission. R3 had a signed contract, dated August 3, 2021. R1, R2, and R3's records lacked evidence the licensee provided the resident, or residents' designated representative, with the required policies and procedures for the ALFDC license. On February 14, 2023, at 9:45 a.m., licensed assisted living director (LALD)-D stated she was not aware there needed to be some sort of documented receipt of the required dementia policies.	02110		

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02110	Continued From page 26 On February 14, 2023, at 12:38 p.m., LALD-D stated she was unable to find documentation of receipt for R1, R2, and R3 for the required ALFDC dementia care policies. LALD-D was able to locate a form to be used to address the issue and provided a blank copy along with their dementia care policies. The licensee's Dementia Care Required Policy List policy dated August 1, 2021, indicated the licensee had an Assisted Living with Dementia Care license and required additional written policies and procedures which must be provided to residents and the residents' legal or designated representative at the time of move-in. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	02110		

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Location:

Harmony House
26886 143rd Street
Pierz, MN56364
Morrison County, 49

Establishment Info:

ID #: 0037486
Risk:
Announced Inspection: No

License Categories:

Expires on: / /

Operator:

Phone #: 3204682811
ID #:

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

The following orders were issued during this inspection.

4-500 Equipment Maintenance and Operation

4-501.114C3

**** Priority 1 ****

MN Rule 4626.0805C3 Provide and maintain an approved quaternary ammonium compound sanitizing solution in water with 500 ppm hardness or less, a minimum temperature of 75 degrees F (24 degrees C) and a concentration specified in 21CFR.178.1010 and as indicated by the manufacturer's use directions and label.

THE SPARTAN QUATERNARY SANITIZER SHOULD BE AT 200-400 PPM FOR WIPING CLOTH SOLUTION. IT WAS LESS THAN 100 PPM. DO NOT DILUTE.

Comply By: 02/13/23

4-300 Equipment Numbers and Capacities

4-302.13B

**** Priority 2 ****

MN Rule 4626.0710B Provide a readily accessible, irreversible registering temperature indicator for measuring the utensil surface temperature in mechanical hot water warewashing operations.

PROVIDE A WATERPROOF THERMOMETER OR THERMO- LABELS TO CHECK THE FINAL RINSE TEMPERATURE OF THE DISHWASHER.

Comply By: 02/21/23

4-300 Equipment Numbers and Capacities

4-302.14

**** Priority 2 ****

MN Rule 4626.0715 Provide an appropriate test kit to accurately measure sanitizing solutions.

PROVIDE A QUATERNARY AMMONIUM TEST KIT FOR THE WIPING CLOTH SANITIZER.

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Quaternary Ammonia: < 100 PPM at Degrees Fahrenheit
Location: QAC WIPING CLOTH SOL.
Violation Issued: Yes

Hot Water: = at 159 Degrees Fahrenheit
Location: FINAL RINSE
Violation Issued: No

Food and Equipment Temperatures

Process/Item: Upright Cooler
Temperature: 38 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: HOTDISH
Violation Issued: No

Process/Item: Upright Cooler
Temperature: 38 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: MILK IN DINING ROOM REFRIGERATOR
Violation Issued: No

Process/Item: Upright Cooler
Temperature: 35 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: ACTIVITY ROOM COOLER
Violation Issued: No

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

ATTACHED IS AN EMPLOYEE ILLNESS LOG.

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

I acknowledge receipt of the Minnesota Department of Health inspection report number 6808231056 of 02/13/23.

Certified Food Protection Manager Doreen McCann

Certification Number: _____ Expires: 09/17/24

Inspection report reviewed with person in charge and emailed.

Signed: _____
Establishment Representative

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