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March 28, 2023

Licensee
Living Hope Care LLC
2939 Cooper Avenue South
Saint Cloud, MN 56301

RE: Project Number(s) SL38832015

Dear Licensee:

This is your **official notice** that you have been **granted your assisted living facility license**. Your license effective and expiration dates remain the same as on your provisional license. Your updated status will be listed on the license certificate at renewal and **this letter serves as proof** in the meantime. If you have not received a letter from us with information regarding renewing your license within 60 days prior to your expiration date, please contact us at (651) 201-5273 or by email at Health.assistedliving@state.mn.us.

The Minnesota Department of Health completed an initial evaluation on March 24, 2023, for the purpose 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.

STATE 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 Home Care 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 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 residents/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.

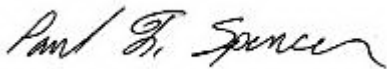
Please email reconsideration requests to: **Health.HRD.Appeals@state.mn.us**. Please attach this letter as part of your reconsideration request. Please clearly indicate which tag(s) you are contesting and submit information supporting your position(s).

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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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 38832	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING: _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 03/24/2023
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER LIVING HOPE CARE LLC		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2939 COOPER AVENUE SOUTH SAINT CLOUD, MN 56301		
(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 *****ATTENTION***** ASSISTED LIVING PROVIDER LICENSING CORRECTION ORDERS 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: #SL38832015 On March 13, 2023, through March 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 six residents receiving services under the provider's Provisional Assisted Living 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 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 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.	
0 480 SS=F	144G.41 Subd 1 (13) (i) (B) Minimum requirements (13) offer to provide or make available at least the following services to residents: (B) food must be prepared and served according	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 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 ensure food was prepared and served according to the Minnesota Food Code. 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 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). Findings include: Please refer to the included document titled, Food and Beverage Establishment Inspection Report dated 3/13/2023, for the specific Minnesota Food Code deficiencies. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	0 480		
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	0 810		

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0 810	Continued From page 2 emergency including the identification of unique or unusual resident needs for movement or 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 interview and record review, the licensee failed to complete required employee evacuation drills. This had the potential to affect all staff, residents, and visitors. 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 3 Findings include: An interview and record review were conducted on March 15, 2023, at approximately 10:30 a.m. with the Licensed Assisted Living Director (LALD)-C. Record review of the available documentation indicated that the evacuation drills for employees had not been performed every other month as required. During interview, (LALD)-C stated that some evacuation drills had been performed. Records showed drills were not done on the employee's respective shifts and they were not held at least every other month. These deficient findings were verified by LALD-C during the interview and record review. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	0 810		

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Location:

Living Hope Homes Sparrows Lan
2939 Cooper Avenue South
St Cloud, MN56301
Stearns County, 73

Establishment Info:

ID #: 0041165
Risk:
Announced Inspection: No

License Categories:

Expires on: / /

Operator:

Phone #:
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.

3-300B Protection from Contamination: cross-contamination, eggs

3-302.11A(1) ** Priority 1 **

MN Rule 4626.0235A(1) Separate raw animal foods during storage, preparation, holding, and display from ready-to-eat foods to prevent cross-contamination.

UPRIGHT COOLER: RAW GROUND BEEF STORED NEXT TO OLD FASHIONED WIENERS AND RAW EGGS STORED ABOVE OLD FASHIONED WIENERS AT TIME OF INSPECTION.

Corrected on Site

3-500D Microbial Control: disposition of food

3-501.18A ** Priority 1 **

MN Rule 4626.0405A Discard all TCS food prepared in the establishment or opened commercially packaged food when the time exceeds 7 days from the preparation or opening date or if the container or package is not marked.

MILK IN UPRIGHT COOLER HAS AN EXPIRATION DATE OF 3/9/23. DISCARD.

Corrected on Site

7-200 Toxic Supplies and Applications

7-201.11B ** Priority 1 **

MN Rule 4626.1600B Discontinue storing poisonous or toxic materials above food, equipment, utensils, linens or single-service or single-use articles.

LIQUID ANT BAIT WAS STORED IN THE UTENSIL DRAWER AT TIME OF INSPECTION. REMOVE FROM DRAWER.

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3-500C Microbial Control: date marking

3-501.17B ** Priority 2 **

MN Rule 4626.0400B Mark the refrigerated, ready-to-eat, TCS food prepared and packaged in a processing plant and opened and held for more than 24 hours in the food establishment using an effective method to indicate the date by which the food must be consumed on the premises, sold, or discarded. The date must not exceed the manufacturer's use-by-date.

UPRIGHT COOLER: OPEN PACKAGE OF LUNCH MEAT WAS NOT DATED. A DATE MUST BE PUT ON EACH PACKAGE ONCE OPENED TO ENSURE IT IS USED WITHIN 7 DAYS.

Comply By: 03/13/23

4-300 Equipment Numbers and Capacities

4-302.12B ** Priority 2 **

MN Rule 4626.0705B Provide a readily accessible food temperature measuring device with a small diameter probe to measure the temperature in thin foods such as meat patties and fish fillets.

A REGULAR PROBE THERMOMETER WAS ON SITE. PROVIDE A THIN TIPPED THERMOMETER WITH A THIN TAPERED END TO MONITOR FOOD TEMPERATURES OF THINNER FOODS LIKE BURGERS AND EGGS.

Comply By: 03/20/23

4-100 Equipment Construction Materials

4-101.17

MN Rule 4626.0490 Discontinue using wood and wood wicker as a food contact surface.

AT TIME OF INSPECTION THERE WAS A WOOD CUTTING BOARD ON SITE. REMOVE THE WOOD CUTTING BOARD AND REPLACE WITH AN APPROVED CUTTING BOARD FOR FOOD CONTACT SURFACES.

Comply By: 03/14/23

Surface and Equipment Sanitizers

Quaternary Ammonia: = 400PPM at Degrees Fahrenheit

Location: SANITIZER SPRAY BOTTLE--FOR SURFACE SANITIZING

Violation Issued: No

Food and Equipment Temperatures

Process/Item: Upright Cooler

Temperature: 39 Degrees Fahrenheit - Location: TURKEY LUNCH MEAT

Violation Issued: No

Total Orders	In This Report	Priority 1	Priority 2	Priority 3
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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 Minnesota Department of Health inspection report number 7930231055 of 03/13/23.

Certified Food Protection Manager Lania J. Oyen

Certification Number: 99240 Expires: 06/13/25

Inspection report reviewed with person in charge and emailed.

Signed: _____
Establishment Representative

Signed: 
Tina Remmele, R.S.
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