

MEDICARE/MEDICAID CERTIFICATION AND TRANSMITTAL
PART I - TO BE COMPLETED BY THE STATE SURVEY AGENCY

ID: B60P
Facility ID: 00336

1. MEDICARE/MEDICAID PROVIDER NO. (L1) 245416		3. NAME AND ADDRESS OF FACILITY (L3) MINNESOTA VALLEY HLTH CTR-LONG (L4) 621 SOUTH 4TH STREET (L5) LE SUEUR, MN (L6) 56058			4. TYPE OF ACTION: <u>7</u> (L8) 1. Initial 2. Recertification 3. Termination 4. CHOW 5. Validation 6. Complaint 7. On-Site Visit 9. Other 8. Full Survey After Complaint	
2.STATE VENDOR OR MEDICAID NO. (L2) 804242000		5. EFFECTIVE DATE CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP (L9)			7. PROVIDER/SUPPLIER CATEGORY <u>02</u> (L7) 01 Hospital 05 HHA 09 ESRD 13 PTIP 22 CLIA 02 SNF/NF/Dual 06 PRTF 10 NF 14 CORF 03 SNF/NF/Distinct 07 X-Ray 11 ICF/IID 15 ASC 04 SNF 08 OPT/SP 12 RHC 16 HOSPICE	
6. DATE OF SURVEY 10/03/2016 (L34)		8. ACCREDITATION STATUS: <u> </u> (L10) 0 Unaccredited 1 TJC 2 AOA 3 Other			FISCAL YEAR ENDING DATE: (L35) 09/30	
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17. SURVEYOR SIGNATURE <u>Gayle Lantto, Unit Supervisor</u> (L19)		Date : 10/07/2016	18. STATE SURVEY AGENCY APPROVAL <u>Mark Meath, Enforcement Specialist</u> (L20)		Date: 11/18/2016
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PART II - TO BE COMPLETED BY HCFA REGIONAL OFFICE OR SINGLE STATE AGENCY

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CMS Certification Number (CCN): 245416

November 18, 2016

Ms. Luann Linn, Administrator
Minnesota Valley Health Center LTC and Rehab
621 South Fourth Street
Le Sueur, MN 56058

Dear Ms. Linn:

The Minnesota Department of Health assists the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) by surveying skilled nursing facilities and nursing facilities to determine whether they meet the requirements for participation. To participate as a skilled nursing facility in the Medicare program or as a nursing facility in the Medicaid program, a provider must be in substantial compliance with each of the requirements established by the Secretary of Health and Human Services found in 42 CFR part 483, Subpart B.

Based upon your facility being in substantial compliance, we are recommending to CMS that your facility be recertified for participation in the Medicare and Medicaid program.

Effective September 15, 2016 the above facility is certified for:

55 Skilled Nursing Facility/Nursing Facility Beds

Your facility's Medicare approved area consists of all 55 skilled nursing facility beds.

You should advise our office of any changes in staffing, services, or organization, which might affect your certification status.

If, at the time of your next survey, we find your facility to not be in substantial compliance your Medicare and Medicaid provider agreement may be subject to non-renewal or termination.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions related to this eNotice.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Meath".

Mark Meath, Enforcement Specialist
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Licensing and Certification Program
Health Regulation Division
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Electronically delivered
October 7, 2016

Ms. Luann Linn, Administrator
Minnesota Valley Health Center-Long
621 South 4th Street
Le Sueur, Minnesota 56058

RE: Project Number S5416026

Dear Ms. Linn:

On September 6, 2016, we informed you that we would recommend enforcement remedies based on the deficiencies cited by this Department for a standard survey, completed on August 18, 2016. This survey found the most serious deficiencies to be a pattern of deficiencies that constituted no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that was not immediate jeopardy (Level E), whereby corrections were required.

On October 3, 2016, the Minnesota Department of Health completed a Post Certification Revisit (PCR) by review of your plan of correction and on October 5, 2016 the Minnesota Department of Public Safety completed a PCR to verify that your facility had achieved and maintained compliance with federal certification deficiencies issued pursuant to a standard survey, completed on August 18, 2016. We presumed, based on your plan of correction, that your facility had corrected these deficiencies as of September 15, 2016. Based on our PCR, we have determined that your facility has corrected the deficiencies issued pursuant to our standard survey, completed on August 18, 2016, effective September 15, 2016 and therefore remedies outlined in our letter to you dated September 6, 2016, will not be imposed.

Please note, it is your responsibility to share the information contained in this letter and the results of this visit with the President of your facility's Governing Body.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions related to this eNotice.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Meath".

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POST-CERTIFICATION REVISIT REPORT

PROVIDER / SUPPLIER / CLIA / IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 245416	Y1	MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building B. Wing	Y2	DATE OF REVISIT 10/3/2016	Y3
NAME OF FACILITY MINNESOTA VALLEY HLTH CTR-LONG			STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 621 SOUTH 4TH STREET LE SUEUR, MN 56058		

This report is completed by a qualified State surveyor for the Medicare, Medicaid and/or Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments program, to show those deficiencies previously reported on the CMS-2567, Statement of Deficiencies and Plan of Correction, that have been corrected and the date such corrective action was accomplished. Each deficiency should be fully identified using either the regulation or LSC provision number and the identification prefix code previously shown on the CMS-2567 (prefix codes shown to the left of each requirement on the survey report form).

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LSC	09/15/2016	LSC	09/15/2016	LSC	
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September 6, 2016

Ms. Luann Linn, Administrator
Minnesota Valley Health Center-Long
621 South 4th Street
Le Sueur, Minnesota 56058

RE: Project Number S5416026

Dear Ms. Linn:

On August 18, 2016, a standard survey was completed at your facility by the Minnesota Departments of Health and Public Safety to determine if your facility was in compliance with Federal participation requirements for skilled nursing facilities and/or nursing facilities participating in the Medicare and/or Medicaid programs. This survey found the most serious deficiencies in your facility to be a pattern of deficiencies that constitute no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that is not immediate jeopardy (Level E), as evidenced by the attached CMS-2567 whereby corrections are required. A copy of the Statement of Deficiencies (CMS-2567) is enclosed.

Please note that this notice does not constitute formal notice of imposition of alternative remedies or termination of your provider agreement. Should the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services determine that termination or any other remedy is warranted, it will provide you with a separate formal notification of that determination.

This letter provides important information regarding your response to these deficiencies and addresses the following issues:

Opportunity to Correct - the facility is allowed an opportunity to correct identified deficiencies before remedies are imposed;

Electronic Plan of Correction - when a plan of correction will be due and the information to be contained in that document;

Remedies - the type of remedies that will be imposed with the authorization of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) if substantial compliance is not attained at the time of a revisit;

Potential Consequences - the consequences of not attaining substantial compliance 3 and 6 months after the survey date; and

Informal Dispute Resolution - your right to request an informal reconsideration to dispute the attached deficiencies.

Please note, it is your responsibility to share the information contained in this letter and the results of this visit with the President of your facility's Governing Body.

DEPARTMENT CONTACT

Questions regarding this letter and all documents submitted as a response to the resident care deficiencies (those preceded by a "F" tag), i.e., the plan of correction should be directed to:

**Gayle Lantto, Unit Supervisor
Metro D Survey Team
Licensing and Certification Program
Health Regulation Division
Minnesota Department of Health**

Email: gayle.lantto@state.mn.us

Phone: (651) 201-3794

Fax: (651) 215-9697

OPPORTUNITY TO CORRECT - DATE OF CORRECTION - REMEDIES

As of January 14, 2000, CMS policy requires that facilities will not be given an opportunity to correct before remedies will be imposed when actual harm was cited at the last standard or intervening survey and also cited at the current survey. Your facility does not meet this criterion. Therefore, if your facility has not achieved substantial compliance by September 27, 2016, the Department of Health will impose the following remedy:

- State Monitoring. (42 CFR 488.422)

ELECTRONIC PLAN OF CORRECTION (ePoC)

An ePoC for the deficiencies must be submitted within **ten calendar days** of your receipt of this letter. Your ePoC must:

- Address how corrective action will be accomplished for those residents found to have been affected by the deficient practice;
- Address how the facility will identify other residents having the potential to be affected by the same deficient practice;
- Address what measures will be put into place or systemic changes made to ensure that the deficient practice will not recur;

- Indicate how the facility plans to monitor its performance to make sure that solutions are sustained. The facility must develop a plan for ensuring that correction is achieved and sustained. This plan must be implemented, and the corrective action evaluated for its effectiveness. The plan of correction is integrated into the quality assurance system;
- Include dates when corrective action will be completed. The corrective action completion dates must be acceptable to the State. If the plan of correction is unacceptable for any reason, the State will notify the facility. If the plan of correction is acceptable, the State will notify the facility. Facilities should be cautioned that they are ultimately accountable for their own compliance, and that responsibility is not alleviated in cases where notification about the acceptability of their plan of correction is not made timely. The plan of correction will serve as the facility's allegation of compliance; and,
- Submit electronically to acknowledge your receipt of the electronic 2567, your review and your ePoC submission.

The state agency may, in lieu of a revisit, determine correction and compliance by accepting the facility's ePoC if the ePoC is reasonable, addresses the problem and provides evidence that the corrective action has occurred.

If an acceptable ePoC is not received within 10 calendar days from the receipt of this letter, we will recommend to the CMS Region V Office that one or more of the following remedies be imposed:

- Optional denial of payment for new Medicare and Medicaid admissions (42 CFR 488.417 (a));
- Per day civil money penalty (42 CFR 488.430 through 488.444).

Failure to submit an acceptable ePoC could also result in the termination of your facility's Medicare and/or Medicaid agreement.

PRESUMPTION OF COMPLIANCE - CREDIBLE ALLEGATION OF COMPLIANCE

The facility's ePoC will serve as your allegation of compliance upon the Department's acceptance. Your signature at the bottom of the first page of the CMS-2567 form will be used as verification of compliance. In order for your allegation of compliance to be acceptable to the Department, the ePoC must meet the criteria listed in the plan of correction section above. You will be notified by the Minnesota Department of Health, Licensing and Certification Program staff and/or the Department of Public Safety, State Fire Marshal Division staff, if your ePoC for the respective deficiencies (if any) is acceptable.

VERIFICATION OF SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE

Upon receipt of an acceptable ePoC, an onsite revisit of your facility may be conducted to validate that substantial compliance with the regulations has been attained in accordance with your verification. A Post Certification Revisit (PCR) will occur after the date you identified that compliance was achieved in your plan of correction.

If substantial compliance has been achieved, certification of your facility in the Medicare and/or Medicaid program(s) will be continued and remedies will not be imposed. Compliance is certified as of the latest correction date on the approved ePoC, unless it is determined that either correction actually occurred between the latest correction date on the ePoC and the date of the first revisit, or correction occurred sooner than the latest correction date on the ePoC.

Original deficiencies not corrected

If your facility has not achieved substantial compliance, we will impose the remedies described above. If the level of noncompliance worsened to a point where a higher category of remedy may be imposed, we will recommend to the CMS Region V Office that those other remedies be imposed.

Original deficiencies not corrected and new deficiencies found during the revisit

If new deficiencies are identified at the time of the revisit, those deficiencies may be disputed through the informal dispute resolution process. However, the remedies specified in this letter will be imposed for original deficiencies not corrected. If the deficiencies identified at the revisit require the imposition of a higher category of remedy, we will recommend to the CMS Region V Office that those remedies be imposed.

Original deficiencies corrected but new deficiencies found during the revisit

If new deficiencies are found at the revisit, the remedies specified in this letter will be imposed. If the deficiencies identified at the revisit require the imposition of a higher category of remedy, we will recommend to the CMS Region V Office that those remedies be imposed. You will be provided the required notice before the imposition of a new remedy or informed if another date will be set for the imposition of these remedies.

FAILURE TO ACHIEVE SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE BY THE THIRD OR SIXTH MONTH AFTER THE LAST DAY OF THE SURVEY

If substantial compliance with the regulations is not verified by November 18, 2016 (three months after the identification of noncompliance), the CMS Region V Office must deny payment for new admissions as mandated by the Social Security Act (the Act) at Sections 1819(h)(2)(D) and 1919(h)(2)(C) and Federal regulations at 42 CFR Section 488.417(b). This mandatory denial of payments will be based on the failure to comply with deficiencies originally contained in the Statement of Deficiencies, upon the identification of new deficiencies at the time of the revisit, or if deficiencies have been issued as the result of a complaint visit or other survey conducted after the original statement of deficiencies was

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issued. This mandatory denial of payment is in addition to any remedies that may still be in effect as of this date.

We will also recommend to the CMS Region V Office and/or the Minnesota Department of Human Services that your provider agreement be terminated by February 18, 2017 (six months after the identification of noncompliance) if your facility does not achieve substantial compliance. This action is mandated by the Social Security Act at Sections 1819(h)(2)(C) and 1919(h)(3)(D) and Federal regulations at 42 CFR Sections 488.412 and 488.456.

INFORMAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION

In accordance with 42 CFR 488.331, you have one opportunity to question cited deficiencies through an informal dispute resolution process. You are required to send your written request, along with the specific deficiencies being disputed, and an explanation of why you are disputing those deficiencies, to:

Nursing Home Informal Dispute Process
Minnesota Department of Health
Health Regulation Division
P.O. Box 64900
St. Paul, Minnesota 55164-0900

This request must be sent within the same ten days you have for submitting an ePoC for the cited deficiencies. All requests for an IDR or IIDR of federal deficiencies must be submitted via the web at: http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/fpc/profinfo/ltc/ltc_idr.cfm

You must notify MDH at this website of your request for an IDR or IIDR within the 10 calendar day period allotted for submitting an acceptable plan of correction. A copy of the Department's informal dispute resolution policies are posted on the MDH Information Bulletin website at: <http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/fpc/profinfo/infobul.htm>

Please note that the failure to complete the informal dispute resolution process will not delay the dates specified for compliance or the imposition of remedies.

Questions regarding all documents submitted as a response to the Life Safety Code deficiencies (those preceded by a "K" tag), i.e., the plan of correction, request for waivers, should be directed to:

Mr. Tom Linhoff, Fire Safety Supervisor
Health Care Fire Inspections
Minnesota Department of Public Safety
State Fire Marshal Division

Email: tom.linhoff@state.mn.us
Telephone: (651) 430-3012
Fax: (651) 215-0525

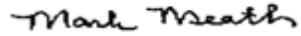
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 245416	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING _____ B. WING _____		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 08/18/2016
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F 333 SS=D	483.25(m)(2) RESIDENTS FREE OF SIGNIFICANT MED ERRORS The facility must ensure that residents are free of any significant medication errors. This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and document review, the facility failed to administer insulin according to the physician's orders for 1 of 5 residents(R5) reviewed for unnecessary medications. Findings include: R5's physician's orders and medication administration records were reviewed, which revealed a medication error that potentially resulted in the resident experiencing elevated blood sugar. Physician's orders for R5's insulin read Humalog solution, 100 units/milliliters, 12 units subcutaneous (insulin for diabetes). Special instructions directed staff to administer the	F 333	A Medication Error Event was created after discovering resident R5 was not given medication as indicated. The CNP was notified along with the resident and the resident's responsible party. This event is part of the resident's medical record. This event form is reviewed by the RN Unit Manager, DON, LNHA, Pharmacy Consultant and Medical Director. The form is then reviewed at our monthly incident meeting and then submitted to the Safety Committee. A mandatory staff education was commenced on September 9, 2016 to reeducate the nurses on ensuring the	9/15/16	

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F 333	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>medication with meals, and to hold if the resident's blood sugar was below 150, or if the resident consumed less than 50% of the meal.</p> <p>A recorded blood sugar reading on 8/14/16, revealed results as 175. The facility meal intake record indicated R5 ate 100% of her meal at breakfast on 8/14/16 which was confirmed by RN-A. However, R5's insulin was held without consultation with the resident's physician and a physician's order directing the staff to hold the medication when the reading was 175 versus below 150 as directed. R5's blood sugar check on 8/14/16, at 11:40 a.m. was 397, and it was noted on the medication administration history the insulin had been "held d/t [due to] low bl [blood] sugar last NOC [night] was 175 this am [morning]."</p> <p>R5's admission records indicated the resident had diagnoses including type 2 (adult onset) diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy (leading to blindness), chronic kidney disease (often related to diabetes).</p> <p>On 8/18/16, at 2:06 p.m. registered nurse (RN)-A was interviewed regarding R5's insulin omission. RN-A was unaware the resident's insulin had been held on 8/14/16. Although contrary to physician orders RN-A explained, "The nurse can use her judgement to hold insulin if necessary." After reviewing R5's physician orders, electronic medication record, and blood sugar readings, the nurse stated, "I expect nurses to follow physician orders. In this case the physician order was not followed."</p> <p>On 8/18/16, at 2:25 p.m. the administrator stated, "I expect them to follow physician orders and also</p>	F 333	<p>physician's orders are followed, and to call the physician immediately if any concerns arise. The DON will be doing audits every other week for compliance and reporting them to the Quality Council quarterly.</p>		

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F 333	Continued From page 2 expect them to use nursing judgment based on past history, but in this case I was not aware of this particular event." The Facility Event Summary Report from 7/17/16 to 8/18/16, reveled no medication error event had been documented for R5's insulin omission on 8/14/16. The facility's 6/14, Medication Administration policy indicated "Medication errors occurring during administration will be reported immediately to the attending physician. A notification form will be sent to Nursing Administration." The facility's 11/10/13, Medication Errors policy indicated, "In the administration of medications by a nurse or TMA [trained medication aide], is an unusual incident occurs which may cause real or potential harm to the resident, it shall be immediately reported and recorded on a medication error report form."	F 333			
F 334 SS=E	483.25(n) INFLUENZA AND PNEUMOCOCCAL IMMUNIZATIONS The facility must develop policies and procedures that ensure that -- (i) Before offering the influenza immunization, each resident, or the resident's legal representative receives education regarding the benefits and potential side effects of the immunization; (ii) Each resident is offered an influenza immunization October 1 through March 31 annually, unless the immunization is medically contraindicated or the resident has already been immunized during this time period; (iii) The resident or the resident's legal	F 334		9/15/16	

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F 334	<p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>representative has the opportunity to refuse immunization; and</p> <p>(iv) The resident's medical record includes documentation that indicates, at a minimum, the following:</p> <p>(A) That the resident or resident's legal representative was provided education regarding the benefits and potential side effects of influenza immunization; and</p> <p>(B) That the resident either received the influenza immunization or did not receive the influenza immunization due to medical contraindications or refusal.</p> <p>The facility must develop policies and procedures that ensure that --</p> <p>(i) Before offering the pneumococcal immunization, each resident, or the resident's legal representative receives education regarding the benefits and potential side effects of the immunization;</p> <p>(ii) Each resident is offered a pneumococcal immunization, unless the immunization is medically contraindicated or the resident has already been immunized;</p> <p>(iii) The resident or the resident's legal representative has the opportunity to refuse immunization; and</p> <p>(iv) The resident's medical record includes documentation that indicated, at a minimum, the following:</p> <p>(A) That the resident or resident's legal representative was provided education regarding the benefits and potential side effects of pneumococcal immunization; and</p> <p>(B) That the resident either received the pneumococcal immunization or did not receive the pneumococcal immunization due to medical</p>	F 334			

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F 334	<p>Continued From page 4 contraindication or refusal. (v) As an alternative, based on an assessment and practitioner recommendation, a second pneumococcal immunization may be given after 5 years following the first pneumococcal immunization, unless medically contraindicated or the resident or the resident's legal representative refuses the second immunization.</p> <p>This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and document review, the facility failed to ensure pneumococcal vaccines were offered to 4 of 5 residents (R23, R6, R7, R34) whose immunization records were reviewed. In addition, the facility failed to develop guidelines for Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV)-13 as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC).</p> <p>Finding include:</p> <p>R6 was 92 years old, and was admitted to the facility on 5/17/16. Immunization records revealed the resident had received pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccination (PPV-23) but record did not indicate an immunization date. In addition, there was no indication the PCV-13 and second dose of PPSV 23 had been offered to R6.</p> <p>R23 was 89 years old, and was admitted to the facility on 10/21/06. Immunization records revealed resident received a PPSV-23 on 7/15/06, but the medical record lacked evidence R23 was offered the second dose of PPSV 23 as well as PCV-13.</p>	F 334	<p>Our Infection Control committee met on September 6, 2016. The Immunization Policy was revised to include the PCV13 vaccine according to CDC guidelines on September 6, 2016. It was submitted to the Medical Director on September 15, 2016 and approved. The Infection Control RN has offered the PCV13 vaccine according to CDC guidelines to the residents indicated: R6, R23, R7 and R34. The VIS form will be sent to their responsible party. For three of the four residents, they decided to receive the PCV13. After obtaining a physician's order the residents were given the PCV13 on September 14, 2016. The fourth resident refused the vaccine which will be documented in the medical record. This resident who refused the vaccine was educated on the risks and benefits of vaccination per our policy, and also received the VIS form. This resident still refused after education. The immunization records of all residents will be reviewed in conjunction with their</p>		

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F 334	Continued From page 5 R7 was 86 years old, and was admitted to the facility on 5/6/1914. Immunization records revealed R7 received a PPSV-23 on 11/6/03, however, the medical record did include have evidence the resident was offered the second dose of PPSV 23 and PCV-13. R34 was 67 years old, and was admitted to the facility on 10/31/12. Immunization records revealed R34 received a PPSV-23 on 9/15/01, however, the medical record lacked evidence the resident was offered the second dose of PPSV 23 vaccination and PCV-13. On 8/18/16, at 9:46 a.m. the director of nursing confirmed and registered nurse (RN)-A confirmed R6, R23, R7 and R34 had received first dose of (PPSV-23) but R6, R23, R7 and R34 had not received the second dose of PPSV 23 vaccinations and PCV-13. On 8/18/16 10:30 a.m. the administrator stated, "The policy does not include the PCV-13 and we need to work on that to include it in our policy." An undated Pneumovax assessment tool for vaccination status for the resident indicated if the resident is 65 years or older at the time of last vaccination the vaccination was not indicated. The facility's 5/13, Pneumococcal Immunization for Resident, directed staff as follows: "Minnesota Valley Health Center will offer and recommend vaccination to all resident of the Minnesota Valley Health Center up on reaching the criteria set forth by the center for Disease Control and Prevention...To reduce morbidity and mortality from pneumococcal disease by vaccinating all	F 334	next scheduled physician visit. Information about PCV13, or the VIS form, will be sent out to all responsible parties. The Infection Control RN will work with the physicians to ensure the resident is given the vaccine if indicated. If the resident refuses, they will be educated per our policy. The Infection Control RN will monitor and report to the Infection Control meetings monthly along with reporting to the Quality Council quarterly. This information is also reviewed by our Medical Director and Board of Directors.		

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F 334	Continued From page 6 resident who meet the criteria established by the Center for disease Control and Prevention, thereby promoting healthcare maintenance."	F 334			

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K 000	<p>INITIAL COMMENTS</p> <p>FIRE SAFETY</p> <p>THE FACILITY'S POC WILL SERVE AS YOUR ALLEGATION OF COMPLIANCE UPON THE DEPARTMENT'S ACCEPTANCE. YOUR SIGNATURE AT THE BOTTOM OF THE FIRST PAGE OF THE CMS-2567 WILL BE USED AS VERIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE.</p> <p>UPON RECEIPT OF AN ACCEPTABLE POC, AN ON-SITE REVISIT OF YOUR FACILITY MAY BE CONDUCTED TO VALIDATE THAT SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE WITH THE REGULATIONS HAS BEEN ATTAINED IN ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR VERIFICATION.</p> <p>A Life Safety Code Survey was conducted by the Minnesota Department of Public Safety - State Fire Marshal Division. At the time of this survey, Minnesota Valley Memorial Hospital C & NC was found not in substantial compliance with the requirements for participation in Medicare/Medicaid at 42 CFR, Subpart 483.70(a), Life Safety from Fire, and the 2000 edition of National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Standard 101, Life Safety Code (LSC), Chapter 19 Existing Health Care.</p> <p>PLEASE RETURN THE PLAN OF CORRECTION FOR THE FIRE SAFETY DEFICIENCIES (K-TAGS) TO:</p> <p>Health Care Fire Inspections State Fire Marshal Division 445 Minnesota St., Suite 145 St Paul, MN 55101-5145, or</p>	K 000		
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K 000	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>By email to: Marian.Whitney@state.mn.us and Angela.Kappenman@state.mn.us</p> <p>THE PLAN OF CORRECTION FOR EACH DEFICIENCY MUST INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A description of what has been, or will be, done to correct the deficiency. 2. The actual, or proposed, completion date. 3. The name and/or title of the person responsible for correction and monitoring to prevent a reoccurrence of the deficiency. <p>Minnesota Valley Memorial Hospital C & NC is a 1-story building with a partial basement. The building was constructed at 2 different times. The original building was constructed in 1967 and was determined to be of Type II(111) construction. In 1996, addition was constructed to the East Wing that was determined to be of Type II(111) construction. Because the original building and the 1 addition are of the same type of construction allowed for existing buildings, the facility was surveyed as one building.</p> <p>The facility is fully sprinklered. The facility has a fire alarm system with smoke detection in corridors and spaces open to the corridors that is monitored for automatic fire department notification.</p> <p>The facility has a capacity of 55 beds and had a</p>	K 000		

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K 000	Continued From page 2 census of 43 at the time of the survey.	K 000		
K 029 SS=E	<p>The requirement at 42 CFR, Subpart 483.70(a) is NOT MET as evidenced by:</p> <p>NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE STANDARD</p> <p>One hour fire rated construction (with 0 hour fire-rated doors) or an approved automatic fire extinguishing system in accordance with 8.4.1 and/or 19.3.5.4 protects hazardous areas. When the approved automatic fire extinguishing system option is used, the areas are separated from other spaces by smoke resisting partitions and doors. Doors are self-closing and non-rated or field-applied protective plates that do not exceed 48 inches from the bottom of the door are permitted. 19.3.2.1</p> <p>This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: One hour fire rated construction (with 0 hour fire-rated doors) or an approved automatic fire extinguishing system in accordance with 8.4.1 and/or 19.3.5.4 protects hazardous areas. When the approved automatic fire extinguishing system option is used, the areas are separated from other spaces by smoke resisting partitions and doors. Doors are self-closing and non-rated or field-applied protective plates that do not exceed 48 inches from the bottom of the door are permitted. 19.3.2.1</p> <p>FINDINGS INCLUDE:</p> <p>During Facility Inspection on August 22, 2016, between 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM, the following deficiencies in Hazardous Areas were noted during the inspection:</p> <p>a.) the kitchen storage room (over 100 sq ft) door was observed propped open by a wooden wedge. b.) the door from the kitchen (near the dish</p>	K 029	<p>Correction: all 3 doors in tag have been added to Fire Panel Door Mags, to be released during alarm. Wooden door stops removed.</p>	9/15/16

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K 029	Continued From page 3 washing area) was observed propped open by a wooden wedge. This door opens directly into an egress corridor. c.) the main kitchen door was observed propped open with a wooden wedge. This door opens directly into a egress corridor. These deficient practices were observed by the Facility Maintenance Director.	K 029			
K 062 SS=D	NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE STANDARD Required automatic sprinkler systems are continuously maintained in reliable operating condition and are inspected and tested periodically. 19.7.6, 4.6.12, NFPA 13, NFPA 25, 9.7.5 This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by: Required automatic sprinkler systems are continuously maintained in reliable operating condition and are inspected and tested periodically. 19.7.6, 4.6.12, NFPA 13, NFPA 25, 9.7.5 FINDINGS INCLUDE: During Facility Inspection on August 22, 2016, between 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM, it was observed, that the pressure gauges on the fire sprinkler system were last replaced on 03/11/2010. This deficient practice was observed by the Facility Maintenance Director.	K 062	Correction: Gauges have been changed and dated with current date. Old gauge disposed of.	9/15/16	
K 147 SS=E	NFPA 101 LIFE SAFETY CODE STANDARD Electrical wiring and equipment shall be in accordance with National Electrical Code. 9-1.2 (NFPA 99) 18.9.1, 19.9.1 This STANDARD is not met as evidenced by:	K 147		9/15/16	

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K 147	<p>Continued From page 4</p> <p>Electrical wiring and equipment shall be in accordance with National Electrical Code. 9-1.2 (NFPA 99) 18.9.1, 19.9.1</p> <p>FINDINGS INCLUDE:</p> <p>During Facility Inspection on August 22, 2016, between 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM, it was observed, that a microwave in the Kitchen was plugged into a power strip. The power strip was being used as a source of fixed wiring.</p> <p>This deficient practice was observed by the Facility Maintenance Director.</p>	K 147	Correction: New outlets have been added and hard wired into Circuit. Power strip removed.	



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Electronically delivered
September 6, 2016

Ms.. Luann Linn, Administrator
Minnesota Valley Health Center-Long
621 South 4th Street
Le Sueur, Minnesota 56058

Re: Enclosed State Nursing Home Licensing Orders - Project Number S5416026

Dear Ms.. Linn:

The above facility was surveyed on August 15, 2016 through August 18, 2016 for the purpose of assessing compliance with Minnesota Department of Health Nursing Home Rules. At the time of the survey, the survey team from the Minnesota Department of Health, Health Regulation Division, noted one or more violations of these rules that are issued in accordance with Minnesota Stat. section 144.653 and/or Minnesota Stat. Section 144A.10. If, upon reinspection, it is found that the deficiency or deficiencies cited herein are not corrected, a civil fine for each deficiency not corrected shall be assessed in accordance with a schedule of fines promulgated by rule of the Minnesota Department of Health.

To assist in complying with the correction order(s), a "suggested method of correction" has been added. This provision is being suggested as one method that you can follow to correct the cited deficiency. Please remember that this provision is only a suggestion and you are not required to follow it. Failure to follow the suggested method will not result in the issuance of a penalty assessment. You are reminded, however, that regardless of the method used, correction of the deficiency within the established time frame is required. The "suggested method of correction" is for your information and assistance only.

You have agreed to participate in the electronic receipt of State licensure orders consistent with the Minnesota Department of Health Informational Bulletin 14-01, available at <http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/fpc/profinfo/infobul.htm> . The State licensing orders are delineated on the attached Minnesota Department of Health orders being submitted to you electronically. The Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Licensing Correction Orders using federal software. Tag numbers have been assigned to Minnesota state statutes/rules for Nursing Homes.

The assigned tag number appears in the far left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state statute/rule number and the corresponding text of the state statute/rule out of compliance is listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column and replaces the "To Comply" portion of the correction

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order. This column also includes the findings that are in violation of the state statute after the statement, "This Rule is not met as evidenced by." Following the surveyors findings are the Suggested Method of Correction and 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/RULES.

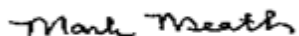
Although no plan of correction is necessary for State Statutes/Rules, please enter the word "corrected" in the box available for text. You must then indicate in the electronic State licensure process, under the heading completion date, the date your orders will be corrected prior to electronically submitting to the Minnesota Department of Health. We urge you to review these orders carefully, item by item, and if you find that any of the orders are not in accordance with your understanding at the time of the exit conference following the survey, **you should immediately contact Gayle Lantto at (651) 201-3794 or email: gayle.lantto@state.mn.us**.

You may request a hearing on any assessments that may result from non-compliance with these orders provided that a written request is made to the Department within 15 days of receipt of a notice of assessment for non-compliance.

Please note it is your responsibility to share the information contained in this letter and the results of this visit with the President of your facility's Governing Body.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions related to this eNotice.

Sincerely,



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2 000	<p>Initial Comments</p> <p>*****ATTENTION*****</p> <p>NH LICENSING CORRECTION ORDER</p> <p>In accordance with Minnesota Statute, section 144A.10, this correction order has been issued pursuant to a survey. If, upon reinspection, it is found that the deficiency or deficiencies cited herein are not corrected, a fine for each violation not corrected shall be assessed in accordance with a schedule of fines promulgated by rule of the Minnesota Department of Health.</p> <p>Determination of whether a violation has been corrected requires compliance with all requirements of the rule provided at the tag number and MN Rule number indicated below. When a rule contains several items, failure to comply with any of the items will be considered lack of compliance. Lack of compliance upon re-inspection with any item of multi-part rule will result in the assessment of a fine even if the item that was violated during the initial inspection was corrected.</p> <p>You may request a hearing on any assessments that may result from non-compliance with these orders provided that a written request is made to the Department within 15 days of receipt of a notice of assessment for non-compliance.</p> <p>INITIAL COMMENTS: You have agreed to participate in the electronic receipt of State licensure orders consistent with the Minnesota Department of Health Informational Bulletin 14-01, available at http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/fpc/profinfo/infobul.htm The State licensing orders are delineated on the attached Minnesota</p>	2 000		

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

Electronically Signed

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2 000	Continued From page 1 Department of Health orders being submitted to you electronically. Although no plan of correction is necessary for State Statutes/Rules, please enter the word "corrected" in the box available for text. You must then indicate in the electronic State licensure process, under the heading completion date, the date your orders will be corrected prior to electronically submitting to the Minnesota Department of Health. On 8/15/16 - 8/18/16, surveyors of this Department's staff visited the above provider and the following correction orders are issued. Please indicate in your electronic plan of correction that you have reviewed these orders, and identify the date when they will be completed.	2 000		
21545	MN Rule 4658.1320 A.B.C Medication Errors A nursing home must ensure that: A. Its medication error rate is less than five percent as described in the Interpretive Guidelines for Code of Federal Regulations, title 42, section 483.25 (m), found in Appendix P of the State Operations Manual, Guidance to Surveyors for Long-Term Care Facilities, which is incorporated by reference in part 4658.1315. For purposes of this part, a medication error means: (1) a discrepancy between what was prescribed and what medications are actually administered to residents in the nursing home; or (2) the administration of expired medications. B. It is free of any significant medication error. A significant medication error is: (1) an error which causes the resident discomfort or jeopardizes the resident's health or safety; or (2) medication from a category that usually	21545		9/15/16

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21545	<p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>requires the medication in the resident's blood to be titrated to a specific blood level and a single medication error could alter that level and precipitate a reoccurrence of symptoms or toxicity. All medications are administered as prescribed. An incident report or medication error report must be filed for any medication error that occurs. Any significant medication errors or resident reactions must be reported to the physician or the physician's designee and the resident or the resident's legal guardian or designated representative and an explanation must be made in the resident's clinical record.</p> <p>C. All medications are administered as prescribed. An incident report or medication error report must be filed for any medication error that occurs. Any significant medication errors or resident reactions must be reported to the physician or the physician's designee and the resident or the resident's legal guardian or designated representative and an explanation must be made in the resident's clinical record.</p> <p>This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and document review, the facility failed to administer insulin according to the physician's orders for 1 of 5 residents(R5) reviewed for unnecessary medications.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>R5's physician's orders and medication administration records were reviewed, which revealed a medication error that potentially resulted in the resident experiencing elevated blood sugar. Physician's orders for R5's insulin read Humalog solution, 100 units/milliliters, 12</p>	21545	Corrected	

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21545	<p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>units subcutaneous (insulin for diabetes). Special instructions directed staff to administer the medication with meals, and to hold if the resident's blood sugar was below 150, or if the resident consumed less than 50% of the meal.</p> <p>A recorded blood sugar reading on 8/14/16, revealed results as 175. The facility meal intake record indicated R5 ate 100% of her meal at breakfast on 8/14/16 which was confirmed by RN-A. However, R5's insulin was held without consultation with the resident's physician and a physician's order directing the staff to hold the medication when the reading was 175 versus below 150 as directed. R5's blood sugar check on 8/14/16, at 11:40 a.m. was 397, and it was noted on the medication administration history the insulin had been "held d/t [due to] low bl [blood] sugar last NOC [night] was 175 this am [morning]."</p> <p>R5's admission records indicated the resident had diagnoses including type 2 (adult onset) diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy (leading to blindness), chronic kidney disease (often related to diabetes).</p> <p>On 8/18/16, at 2:06 p.m. registered nurse (RN)-A was interviewed regarding R5's insulin omission. RN-A was unaware the resident's insulin had been held on 8/14/16. Although contrary to physician orders RN-A explained, "The nurse can use her judgement to hold insulin if necessary." After reviewing R5's physician orders, electronic medication record, and blood sugar readings, the nurse stated, "I expect nurses to follow physician orders. In this case the physician order was not followed."</p> <p>On 8/18/16, at 2:25 p.m. the administrator stated,</p>	21545		

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21545	<p>Continued From page 4</p> <p>"I expect them to follow physician orders and also expect them to use nursing judgment based on past history, but in this case I was not aware of this particular event."</p> <p>The Facility Event Summary Report from 7/17/16 to 8/18/16, reveled no medication error event had been documented for R5's insulin omission on 8/14/16.</p> <p>The facility's 6/14, Medication Administration policy indicated "Medication errors occurring during administration will be reported immediately to the attending physician. A notification form will be sent to Nursing Administration."</p> <p>The facility's 11/10/13, Medication Errors policy indicated, "In the administration of medications by a nurse or TMA [trained medication aide], is an unusual incident occurs which may cause real or potential harm to the resident, it shall be immediately reported and recorded on a medication error report form."</p> <p>SUGGESTED METHOD OF CORRECTION: The director of nursing or designee could provide training for staff to ensure physician's orders are followed. If concerns regarding medications, staff could be instructed they must communicate those concerns to the physician. Audits could be conducted and the results brought to the quality committee for review.</p> <p>TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Fourteen (14) days.</p>	21545		