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July 7, 2020

Administrator
St. Anthony Park Home
2237 Commonwealth Avenue
Saint Paul, MN 55108

RE: CCN: 245063
Survey Start Date: June 17, 2020

Dear Administrator:

On July 6, 2020 the Minnesota Department of Health completed a revisit to verify that your facility had achieved and maintained compliance. We have determined that your facility has achieved substantial compliance as of July 3, 2020. Per the CMS Memo QSO-20-20-All, enforcement remedies were suspended from March 23, 2020 to May 31, 2020 and will be evaluated at a later date.

The CMS Region V Office may notify you of their determination regarding any remedies.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Kamala Fiske-Downing'.

Kamala Fiske-Downing
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RE: CCN: 245063
Cycle Start Date: June 17, 2020

Dear Administrator:

On June 17, 2020, a 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 constituted no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that was not immediate jeopardy (Level E)**, as evidenced by the electronically attached CMS-2567 whereby corrections are required.

ELECTRONIC PLAN OF CORRECTION (ePoC)

Within **ten (10) calendar days** after your receipt of this notice, you must submit an acceptable ePOC for the deficiencies cited. An acceptable ePOC will serve as your allegation of compliance. Upon receipt of an acceptable ePOC, we will authorize a revisit to your facility to determine if substantial compliance has been achieved.

To be acceptable, a provider's ePOC must include the following:

- How corrective action will be accomplished for those residents found to have been affected by the deficient practice.
- How the facility will identify other residents having the potential to be affected by the same deficient practice.
- What measures will be put into place, or systemic changes made, to ensure that the deficient practice will not recur.
- How the facility will monitor its corrective actions to ensure that the deficient practice is being corrected and will not recur.
- The date that each deficiency will be corrected.
- An electronic acknowledgement signature and date by an official facility representative.

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The state agency may, in lieu of an onsite 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:

- Denial of payment for new Medicare and Medicaid admissions (42 CFR 488.417);
- Civil money penalty (42 CFR 488.430 through 488.444).
- Termination of your facility's Medicare and/or Medicaid agreement (488.456(b)).

DEPARTMENT CONTACT

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

Karen Aldinger, Unit Supervisor
Metro A Survey Team
Licensing and Certification Program
Health Regulation Division
Minnesota Department of Health
85 East Seventh Place, Suite 220
P.O. Box 64900
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55164-0900
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Phone: (651) 201-3794 Mobile: (320) 249-2805

PRESUMPTION OF COMPLIANCE - CREDIBLE ALLEGATION OF COMPLIANCE

The facility's ePoC will serve as your allegation of compliance upon the Department's acceptance. 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, a Post Certification Revisit (PCR), of your facility will be conducted to validate that substantial compliance with the regulations has been attained in accordance with your verification.

If substantial compliance has been achieved, certification of your facility in the Medicare and/or

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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.

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 September 17, 2020 (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).

In addition, if substantial compliance with the regulations is not verified by December 17, 2020 (six months after the identification of noncompliance) your provider agreement will be terminated. 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.

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.

INFORMAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION (IDR) / INDEPENDENT INFORMAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION (IIDR)

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: https://mdhprovidercontent.web.health.state.mn.us/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 electronic plan of correction. A copy of the Department's informal dispute resolution policies are posted on the MDH Information Bulletin website at: https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/regulation/infobulletins/ib04_8.html

Please note that the failure to complete the informal dispute resolution process will not delay the dates

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specified for compliance or the imposition of remedies.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kamala Fiske-Downing". The signature is written in a cursive style with a loop at the end of the last name.

Kamala Fiske-Downing

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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: 245063	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING _____ B. WING _____		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 06/17/2020
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER ST ANTHONY PARK HOME			STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2237 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE SAINT PAUL, MN 55108		
(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) COMPLETION DATE	
F 000	INITIAL COMMENTS A COVID-19 Focused Infection Control survey was conducted 6/17/20 at your facility by the Minnesota Department of Health to determine compliance with §483.80 Infection Control. The facility was NOT in compliance. Because you are enrolled in ePOC, your signature is not required at the bottom of the first page of the CMS-2567 form. The facility's plan of correction (POC) will serve as your allegation of compliance upon the Department's acceptance. Upon receipt of an acceptable electronic POC, an revisit of your facility will be conducted to validate that substantial compliance with the regulations has been attained in accordance with your verification.	F 000			
F 880 SS=E	Infection Prevention & Control CFR(s): 483.80(a)(1)(2)(4)(e)(f) §483.80 Infection Control The facility must establish and maintain an infection prevention and control program designed to provide a safe, sanitary and comfortable environment and to help prevent the development and transmission of communicable diseases and infections. §483.80(a) Infection prevention and control program. The facility must establish an infection prevention and control program (IPCP) that must include, at a minimum, the following elements: §483.80(a)(1) A system for preventing, identifying, reporting, investigating, and controlling infections and communicable diseases for all residents,	F 880		7/3/20	

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

TITLE

(X6) DATE

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Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined that other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (See instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable 90 days following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosable 14 days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.

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F 880	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>staff, volunteers, visitors, and other individuals providing services under a contractual arrangement based upon the facility assessment conducted according to §483.70(e) and following accepted national standards;</p> <p>§483.80(a)(2) Written standards, policies, and procedures for the program, which must include, but are not limited to:</p> <p>(i) A system of surveillance designed to identify possible communicable diseases or infections before they can spread to other persons in the facility;</p> <p>(ii) When and to whom possible incidents of communicable disease or infections should be reported;</p> <p>(iii) Standard and transmission-based precautions to be followed to prevent spread of infections;</p> <p>(iv) When and how isolation should be used for a resident; including but not limited to:</p> <p>(A) The type and duration of the isolation, depending upon the infectious agent or organism involved, and</p> <p>(B) A requirement that the isolation should be the least restrictive possible for the resident under the circumstances.</p> <p>(v) The circumstances under which the facility must prohibit employees with a communicable disease or infected skin lesions from direct contact with residents or their food, if direct contact will transmit the disease; and</p> <p>(vi) The hand hygiene procedures to be followed by staff involved in direct resident contact.</p> <p>§483.80(a)(4) A system for recording incidents identified under the facility's IPCP and the corrective actions taken by the facility.</p>	F 880			

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F 880	<p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>§483.80(e) Linens. Personnel must handle, store, process, and transport linens so as to prevent the spread of infection.</p> <p>§483.80(f) Annual review. The facility will conduct an annual review of its IPCP and update their program, as necessary. This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview and document review, the facility failed to train staff in, and to follow manufacturer directions for disinfecting equipment between residents who utilized a mechanical lift. This had the potential to affect 6 of 6 residents (R1, R2, R3, R4, R5, and R6) who required the use of the EZ Stand (brand name mechanical lift that requires the resident to hang on to handles and stand up in it) on the first floor.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>During an observation on 6/17/20, at 9:54 a.m. nursing assistant (NA)-A was observed using the EZ stand lift to transfer R1 from the toilet to the wheelchair. NA-A proceeded to spray the EZ stand lift and handles with Spectrum HBV disinfectant spray and then immediately wiped the lift and handles off.</p> <p>During an interview on 6/17/20, at 10:28 a.m. NA-A stated she did not know if the Spectrum HBV spray required any contact time, she had been taught to spray it and wipe off immediately. There were 6 residents on this floor who all used this particular mechanical lift (R1, R2, R3, R4, R5, and R6).</p> <p>During an interview on 6/17/20, at 10:38 a.m.</p>	F 880	<p>Correction order 17 June Survey</p> <p>St. Anthony Park Home has revised the procedure for cleaning and disinfecting EZ stand handles as written below. Cleaning and disinfecting (or sanitizing) are different procedures. Cleaning is needed to remove any spots that may be soiled. Sanitizing is needed to kill germs</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 EZ stands are to be cleaned one time per day, minimum by housekeeping. EZ stands should also be cleaned after a use if they become soiled in any way. Multiple products may be used to clean EZ stands and surfaces may be wiped down immediately 2 EZ stand handles, and any other surfaces touched by the resident, need to be sanitized after each use. 3 To sanitize, use 80% alcohol solution to spray, or wipe on, the handles. Let air dry. Do not dry with a towel or paper towel. The solution needs 30 seconds of wet time to sanitize the surfaces applied to. 4 The 80% alcohol solution is normally stored in the EZ stand bag. 		

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F 880	<p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>housekeeper (H)-A stated they were taught to spray the Spectrum HBV disinfectant spray onto the lift and wipe it off immediately. H-A did not know if the product killed viruses and bacteria immediately upon contact or if there was a contact time required.</p> <p>During and interview on 6/17/20, at 10:56 a.m. the director of nursing (DON) indicated the protocol was to spray disinfectant onto paper towel and wipe down the EZ stand lifts. The DON was not aware if the product killed bacteria and viruses immediately or if it required any contact time for the disinfectant to be effective. The procedure was changed recently do to inability to consistently procure their usual Micro Kill Wipes since the corona virus outbreak started.</p> <p>The facilities, protocol for Cleaning EZ stand handles, dated 3/30/20, indicated the handles of an EZ stand will be cleaned by wearing gloves, disinfectant called Spectrum HBV is to be sprayed onto paper towels or washcloths, and then wipe down the handles of the EZ stand to disinfect.</p> <p>When interviewed on 6/17/20, at 11:47 a.m. the director of housekeeping, DOH, stated the sales representative for the Spectrum HBV disinfectant had stated the product needed to be applied and remain wet for 5-10 minutes in order to be effective. However, they did not like to leave cleaners on surfaces too long as residents with dementia could touch the object before it dried. DOH had educated the housekeepers and nursing staff to wet a paper towel or wash clothe with the Spectrum HBV and wipe the object down, not to spray the solution directly on the object and wipe immediately.</p>	F 880	<p>Nursing staff will be in serviced on the above procedure and will be required to complete a return demonstration. Nursing administration, or an assigned nurse, will monitor staff for compliance daily. The DON will be responsible for ensuring compliance with this tag.</p> <p>Correction date 3 July 2020</p>		

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F 880	Continued From page 4 The Maintenance Solutions Summary of Antimicrobial Activity for Spectrum HBV, hospital disinfectant dated 11/11, indicated the product took a 10 minute contact time to kill most bacteria and viruses, including the corona virus. The product would need to be applied and left wet for the 10 minutes, rather than wiped off immediately in order to be effective.	F 880			

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E 000	Initial Comments A COVID-19 Focused Infection Control survey was conducted 6/17/20 at your facility by the Minnesota Department of Health to determine compliance with Emergency Preparedness regulations §483.73(b)(6). The facility was IN full compliance. Because you are enrolled in ePOC, your signature is not required at the bottom of the first page of the CMS-2567 form. Although no plan of correction is required, it is required that the facility acknowledge receipt of the electronic documents.	E 000			

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