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December 20, 2021

Administrator
Rochester Health Services West
2215 Highway 52 North
Rochester, MN 55901

RE: CCN: 245306
Cycle Start Date: November 4, 2021

Dear Administrator:

On December 10, 2021, the Minnesota Department of Health completed a revisit to verify that your facility had achieved and maintained compliance. Based on our review, we have determined that your facility has achieved substantial compliance; therefore no remedies will be imposed.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions.

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RE: CCN: 245306
Cycle Start Date: November 4, 2021

Dear Administrator:

On November 4, 2021, 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 isolated deficiencies that constituted no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that was not immediate jeopardy (Level D), 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.

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), i.e., the plan of correction should be directed to:

Annette Winters, Rapid Response Unit Supervisor
Metro 1, Golden Rule Office
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
Email: annette.m.winters@state.mn.us
Mobile: (651) 558-7558

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 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 February 4, 2022 (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 May 4, 2022 (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 specified for compliance or the imposition of remedies.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

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	245306	A. BUILDING _____ B. WING _____	C 11/04/2021

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F 000	INITIAL COMMENTS On 11/4/2021, a standard abbreviated survey was conducted at your facility. Your facility was found to be NOT in compliance with the requirements of 42 CFR 483, Subpart B, Requirements for Long Term Care Facilities. The following complaints was found to be SUBSTANTIATED: H5306058C (MN00077994), with a related deficiency cited at F609. The facility's plan of correction (POC) will serve as your allegation of compliance upon the Departments acceptance. Because you are enrolled in ePOC, your signature is not required at the bottom of the first page of the CMS-2567 form. Your electronic submission of the POC will be used as verification of compliance. Upon receipt of an acceptable electronic POC, an onsite revisit of your facility may be conducted to validate that substantial compliance with the regulations has been attained.	F 000		
F 609 SS=D	Reporting of Alleged Violations CFR(s): 483.12(c)(1)(4) §483.12(c) In response to allegations of abuse, neglect, exploitation, or mistreatment, the facility must: §483.12(c)(1) Ensure that all alleged violations involving abuse, neglect, exploitation or mistreatment, including injuries of unknown source and misappropriation of resident property, are reported immediately, but not later than 2 hours after the allegation is made, if the events that cause the allegation involve abuse or result in serious bodily injury, or not later than 24 hours if	F 609		12/2/21

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE | TITLE | (X6) DATE

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F 609	Continued From page 1 the events that cause the allegation do not involve abuse and do not result in serious bodily injury, to the administrator of the facility and to other officials (including to the State Survey Agency and adult protective services where state law provides for jurisdiction in long-term care facilities) in accordance with State law through established procedures. §483.12(c)(4) Report the results of all investigations to the administrator or his or her designated representative and to other officials in accordance with State law, including to the State Survey Agency, within 5 working days of the incident, and if the alleged violation is verified appropriate corrective action must be taken. This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and document review the facility failed to immediately report an allegation of neglect to the State Agency for 1 of 1 resident (R1) reviewed for reporting. R1 had a fall from a mechanical lift during a transfer. Findings include A complaint submitted to the State Agency on 10/25/21, indicated the incident that involved R1 occurred on 10/25/21. The report included R1 "was being transferred with the assistance of 2 CNA [certified nursing assistance] and a mechanical lift. [R1] had been slipping down in chair and requested to be transferred to her bed. Heard screams from [R1]/CNA's when CNA came to door and called for help. [R1] was lying on the floor, appeared to have been dropped/tipped over with the mechanical." R1's fall incident report dated 10/25/21, at 3:19	F 609	F 609 It is the policy of Rochester West Health Services to report an allegation of neglect to State Agency. 1) R1 did have incident investigated by state agency on 11/04/21 2) Facility in house resident have potential to affected by alleged practice. 3) Facility fall reports for last 30 days were reviewed by Director of Nursing or designee by 11/26/21 to ensure incidents involving potential equipment failure were reported to state agency. Facility staff were educated by Director of Nursing or designee on facility established abuse policy including reporting incidents that involve potential equipment are included in definition of neglect and need to be reported to state agency. 4) Audits will be completed by Director of Nursing or Designee of incident charting	

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F 609	Continued From page 2 p.m. included "At 15:20 [3:20 p.m.] nurse and nursing assistant were going to transfer resident with a hoyer [full body mechanical lift] lift form her wheelchair to her bed per resident's request. Lift legs were open than [sic] when going straight to the bed the legs were closer together. Sling was attached correctly, two staff members were present. When by the end the hoyer tipped over putting the resident on the floor. Resident did hit her head on bed during the fall. The report identified the predisposing environmental factors included "equipment caused trip/obstruction". Other factors were not identified. The report indicted the interdisciplinary team was completing a full investigation for potential causes. A progress note dated 10/26/21, at 6:39 a.m. indicated R1 had been transferred to the hospital for further evaluation, diagnoses with left femur fracture as a result of fall and returned to the facility on 10/25/21 at 11:45 p.m. The facility lacked evidence the incident that potentially involved neglect of care givers or equipment failure was reported to the State Agency. During an interview on 11/4/21, at 2:15 p.m. Senior Director of Clinical Services (SDCS) indicated she had been notified about the event and was at the facility on 10/26/21, to assist in the investigation. SDCS confirmed the incident had not been reported to the State Agency, did not think the incident was reportable to the State Agency. During an interview on 11/4/21, at 2:30 p.m. administrator confirmed the incident was not reported to the State Agency, indicated the facility had determined "neglect" had not occurred prior	F 609	and involve staff interviews starting 12/1/21 to ensure potential abuse is reported to agencies as appropriate. Audits will be completed 2 times per week for 12 weeks or until substantial compliance is maintained. Results of audits will be brought to QAPI for review and further recommendations. Date of Compliance: 12/2/2021	

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to the completion of the facility's thorough investigation. Administrator indicated the determination was made after the initial interviews with staff that indicated R1's care plan was followed.

Facility's Abuse Prevention Program dated 3/2018, included the following:
-3) Prevention: Abuse Policy Requirement: It is the policy of this facility to prevent and prohibit all types of abuse and neglect by the following measures including but not limited to: Providing a safe environment that delivers needed care and services by sufficient numbers of qualified staff and Identifying, care planning, implementing appropriate interventions and monitoring residents with behaviors and care needs that may increase their risk.
-Procedures: Organizational practices that influence quality of care and quality of life including staffing levels, certified nursing assistant involvement in planning and evaluating care, and environmental considerations monitored.
-7) Reporting/Responding: Abuse Policy Requirement: The facility must report alleged violation related to mistreatment, exploitation, neglect or abuse: including injuries of unknown source and misappropriate of resident property and report the results of all investigations to the proper authorities within prescribed timeframe's. Allegations must be reported to the administrator/designee immediately. The administrator/designee will ensure that all alleged violations involving abuse, neglect, exploitation, or mistreatment, including injuries of unknown source and misappropriation of resident property are reported no later than 2 hours after the allegation is made, if events that cause the

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F 609	Continued From page 4 allegation abuse result in serious bodily injury or no later than 24 hours if the events that cause the allegation do not involve abuse and do not result in serious bodily injury to the state survey agency and other officials/authorities as needed.	F 609		

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Administrator
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Re: Event ID: KD4B11

Dear Administrator:

The above facility survey was completed on November 4, 2021 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 no violations of these rules promulgated under Minnesota Stat. section 144.653 and/or Minnesota Stat. Section 144A.10.

Electronically posted is the Minnesota Department of Health order form stating that no violations were noted at the time of this survey. The Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Licensing Correction Orders using federal software. Please disregard the heading of the fourth column which states, "Provider's Plan of Correction." This applies to Federal deficiencies only. There is no requirement to submit a Plan of Correction.

Please feel free to call me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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2 000	Initial Comments *****ATTENTION****** NH LICENSING CORRECTION ORDER 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. 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. 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. INITIAL COMMENTS: On 11/4/2021, a complaint survey was conducted at your facility by surveyors from the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH). Your facility was found IN compliance with the MN State Licensure. The following complaint was found to be	2 000		

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2 000	Continued From page 1 SUBSTANTIATED: H5306058C (MN00077994), however NO licensing orders were issued. The Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Licensing Correction Orders using Federal software. The facility is enrolled in ePOC and therefore a signature is not required at the bottom of the first page of state form. Although no plan of correction is required, it is required that the facility acknowledge receipt of the electronic documents.	2 000		