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December 29, 2020

Administrator  
St Marks Living  
400 - 15th Avenue Southwest  
Austin, MN 55912

RE: CCN: 245369  
Cycle Start Date: November 2, 2020

Dear Administrator:

On November 24, 2020, we notified you a remedy was imposed. On December 23, 2020 the Minnesota Department(s) 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 December 9, 2020.

As authorized by CMS the remedy of:

- Discretionary denial of payment for new Medicare and Medicaid admissions effective December 9, 2020 be discontinued as of December 9, 2020. (42 CFR 488.417 (b))

In our letter of November 24, 2020, in accordance with Federal law, as specified in the Act at § 1819(f)(2)(B)(iii)(I)(b) and § 1919(f)(2)(B)(iii)(I)(b), we notified you that your facility was prohibited from conducting a Nursing Aide Training and/or Competency Evaluation Program (NATCEP) for two years from December 9, 2020 due to denial of payment for new admissions. Since your facility attained substantial compliance on December 9, 2020, the original triggering remedy, denial of payment for new admissions, did not go into effect. Therefore, the NATCEP prohibition is rescinded. However, this does not apply to or affect any previously imposed NATCEP loss.

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

Feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Melissa Poeping'.

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Cycle Start Date: November 2, 2020

Dear Administrator:

On November 24, 2020, we informed you of imposed enforcement remedies.

On December 2, 2020, the Minnesota Department(s) of Health completed a survey and it has been determined that your facility continues to not to be in substantial compliance. The most serious deficiencies in your facility were found to be isolated deficiencies that constitute no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that is not immediate jeopardy (Level D), as evidenced by the electronically attached CMS-2567, whereby corrections are required.

As a result of the survey findings:

- Discretionary Denial of Payment for new Medicare and/or Medicaid Admissions, Federal regulations at 42 CFR § 488.417(a), effective December 9, 2020, will remain in effect.

This Department continues to recommend that CMS impose a civil money penalty. (42 CFR 488.430 through 488.444).

You will receive a formal notice from the CMS RO only if CMS agrees with our recommendation.

The CMS Region V Office will notify your Medicare Administrative Contractor (MAC) that the denial of payment for new admissions is effective December 9, 2020. They will also notify the State Medicaid Agency that they must also deny payment for new Medicaid admissions effective December 9, 2020.

You should notify all Medicare/Medicaid residents admitted on, or after, this date of the restriction. The remedy must remain in effect until your facility has been determined to be in substantial compliance or your provider agreement is terminated. Please note that the denial of payment for new admissions includes Medicare/Medicaid beneficiaries enrolled in managed care plans. It is your obligation to inform managed care plans contracting with your facility of this denial of payment for new admissions.

As we notified you in our letter of November 24, 2020, in accordance with Federal law, as specified in the Act at Section 1819(f)(2)(B)(iii)(I)(b) and 1919(f)(2)(B)(iii)(I)(b), your facility is prohibited from conducting Nursing Aide Training and/or Competency Evaluation Programs (NATCEP) for two years from December 9, 2020.

#### **ELECTRONIC PLAN OF CORRECTION (ePOC)**

Within ten (10) calendar days after your receipt of this notice, you must submit an acceptable plan of correction (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. The failure to submit an acceptable ePOC can lead to termination of your Medicare and Medicaid participation (42 CFR 488.456(b)).

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.

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).

## 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:

Elizabeth Silkey, Unit Supervisor  
Mankato District Office  
Licensing and Certification Program  
Health Regulation Division  
Minnesota Department of Health  
12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite #2105  
Mankato, MN 56001  
Email: elizabeth.silkey@state.mn.us  
Office: (507) 344-2742 Mobile: (651) 368-3593

## 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 - Health Regulation Division staff and/or the Department of Public Safety, State Fire Marshal Division staff, if your ePoC for their 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 SIXTH MONTH AFTER THE LAST DAY OF THE SURVEY**

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 May 2, 2021 (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.

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.

## **APPEAL RIGHTS**

If you disagree with this action imposed on your facility, you or your legal representative may request a hearing before an administrative law judge of the Department of Health and Human Services, Departmental Appeals Board (DAB). Procedures governing this process are set out in 42 C.F.R. 498.40, et seq. You must file your hearing request electronically by using the Departmental Appeals Board's Electronic Filing System (DAB E-File) at <https://dab.efile.hhs.gov> no later than sixty (60) days after receiving this letter. Specific instructions on how to file electronically are attached to this notice. A copy of the hearing request shall be submitted electronically to:

**Tamika.Brown@cms.hhs.gov**

Requests for a hearing submitted by U.S. mail or commercial carrier are no longer accepted as of October 1, 2014, unless you do not have access to a computer or internet service. In those circumstances you may call the Civil Remedies Division to request a waiver from e-filing and provide an explanation as to why you cannot file electronically or you may mail a written request for a waiver along with your written request for a hearing. A written request for a hearing must be filed no later than sixty (60) days after receiving this letter, by mailing to the following address:

**Department of Health & Human Services  
Departmental Appeals Board, MS 6132  
Director, Civil Remedies Division  
330 Independence Avenue, S.W.  
Cohen Building – Room G-644  
Washington, D.C. 20201  
(202) 565-9462**

A request for a hearing should identify the specific issues, findings of fact and conclusions of law with which you disagree. It should also specify the basis for contending that the findings and conclusions are incorrect. At an appeal hearing, you may be represented by counsel at your own expense. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Tamika Brown, Principal Program Representative by phone at (312) 353-1502 or by e-mail at Tamika.Brown@cms.hhs.gov.

#### **INFORMAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION/ 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/lrc\\_idr.cfm](https://mdhprovidercontent.web.health.state.mn.us/lrc_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:

[https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/regulation/infobulletins/ib04\\_8.html](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.



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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:<br><br><b>245369</b> | (X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION<br>A. BUILDING _____<br><br>B. WING _____  |                      | (X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED<br><br><b>C</b><br><b>12/02/2020</b> |
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| NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER<br><br><b>ST MARKS LIVING</b> |  |   | STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE<br><b>400 - 15TH AVENUE SOUTHWEST</b><br><b>AUSTIN, MN 55912</b>          |                      |   |
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| F 000  | <p><b>INITIAL COMMENTS</b></p> <p>On 12/2/20, an abbreviated survey was completed at your facility by the Minnesota Department of Health to determine if your facility was not in compliance with the requirements of 42 CFR Part 483, Subpart B, Requirements for Long Term Care Facilities.</p> <p>The following complaint was found to be substantiated: with no deficiencies cited, due to actions implemented by the facility prior to survey. #H5369103C</p> <p>However, as a result of the investigation, an associated deficiency was identified at F609.</p> <p>The facility's plan of correction (POC) will serve as your allegation of compliance upon the Department's 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.</p> <p>Upon receipt of an acceptable electronic 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> | F 000   |   |                      |   |
| F 609<br>SS=D  | <p><b>Reporting of Alleged Violations</b><br/>CFR(s): 483.12(c)(1)(4)</p> <p>§483.12(c) In response to allegations of abuse, neglect, exploitation, or mistreatment, the facility must:</p> <p>§483.12(c)(1) Ensure that all alleged violations involving abuse, neglect, exploitation or</p>  | F 609   |   | 12/10/20             |   |

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

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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 609  | <p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>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 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.</p> <p>§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:</p> <p>Based on interview and document review, the facility failed to ensure allegations of abuse/neglect were reported to the State Agency (SA) timely, in accordance with established policies and procedures, for 1 of 1 resident (R1) reviewed for allegations of abuse.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Review of a incident/vulnerable adult (VA) report submitted to SA on 11/24/20, at 6:09 p.m. indicated R1 had allegedly been treated roughly by nursing assistant (NA)-A when assisting R1 in to bed. The report further noted NA-A refused R1's preferences, that included the time R1</p> | F 609   | <p>Corrective Action</p> <p>Education provided to the Director of Nursing 12/2/2020 including VA reporting requirements and reporting in a timely manner.</p> <p>Correction Action as it applies to all residents</p> <p>Education provided to the Interdisciplinary team on 12/8/2020 including VA reporting requirements and reporting in a timely manner.</p> |                      |   |

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| F 609  | <p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>wanted to go to bed.. The report indicated the event had occurred on 11/21/20, at 8:30 p.m. Review of the corresponding investigation summary report, indicated R1 reported the allegation of abuse to his wife. R1's wife reported the allegation to the director of nursing (DON) on 11/24/20, at 10:00 a.m. The facility did not report the allegation of abuse to the SA until 6:09 p.m. A total of 8 hours, after the facility was informed of the allegation.</p> <p>Interview on 12/2/20, at 2:00 p.m. the facility DON confirmed the above allegation of abuse, had not been reported to the SA in a timely manner. The DON indicated she was aware of the requirement, that an allegation of abuse needed to be reported to the SA immediately The DON confirmed she had failed to do this. The DON verified facility policy, directs the staff to report allegations of abuse immediately to the SA.</p> <p>Review of the facility's policy Abuse Prevention For Minnesota Skilled Nursing Facilities, revised 3/14//18, indicated staff were to report suspected abuse/neglect in accordance with legal requirements: "Staff will immediately report suspected abuse to the administrator, if the administrator is absent staff will follow the chain of command for notification. Suspected abuse shall be reported to the SA online reporting process, immediately after an allegation of abuse is reported.</p> | F 609   | <p>Executive Director and Director of Nursing were provided the following information for additional documentation 12/9/20, documents included: St. Mark's Abuse prevention plan and policy, Abuse Critical Element Pathway, and Abuse Neglect and Financial Exploitation as Defined by the Vulnerable Adult Act.</p> <p>Date of completion: 12/10/20</p> <p>Recurrence will be prevented by:</p> <p>Facility created spreadsheet to document and track receipt of report, and time report filed with MDH. Executive Director to audit spreadsheet weekly for one month and once monthly for 3 months</p> <p>Correction will be monitored by: Director of Nursing, Executive Director or Designee ; QAPI committee.</p> |                      |   |





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Re: State Nursing Home Licensing Orders  
Event ID: DXOG11

Dear Administrator:

The above facility was surveyed on December 2, 2020 through December 2, 2020 for the purpose of assessing compliance with Minnesota Department of Health Nursing Home Rules and Statutes. 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 or statutes that are issued in accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144.653 and/or Minn. Stat. § 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 and/or statute 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 order 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 [https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/regulation/infobulletins/ib04\\_8.html](https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/regulation/infobulletins/ib04_8.html). The State licensing orders are delineated on the Minnesota Department of Health State Form and are being delivered 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 order. This column also includes the findings that are in violation of the state statute or rule after the statement, "This MN Requirement 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:

**Elizabeth Silkey, Unit Supervisor**  
**Mankato District Office**  
**Licensing and Certification Program**  
**Health Regulation Division**  
**Minnesota Department of Health**  
**12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite #2105**  
**Mankato, MN 56001**  
**Email: [elizabeth.silkey@state.mn.us](mailto:elizabeth.silkey@state.mn.us)**  
**Office: (507) 344-2742 Mobile: (651) 368-3593**

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.

Please feel free to call me with any questions.



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| 2 000              | <p>Initial Comments</p> <p>*****ATTENTION*****</p> <p><b>NH LICENSING CORRECTION ORDER</b></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><b>INITIAL COMMENTS:</b><br/>On 12/2/20, an abbreviated survey was conducted to determine compliance with State Licensure. Your facility was found to NOT be in compliance with the MN State Licensure. Please indicate in your electronic plan of correction that you have reviewed these orders, and identify the date when they will be completed.</p> | 2 000         |   |                    |

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LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE  
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| 2 000              | Continued From page 1<br><br>The following complaint was found to be substantiated: #H5369103C. No deficiencies were cited, due to actions implemented by the facility prior to survey.<br><br>However, as a result of the investigation a licensing order was issued at MN State Statute 626.557 Subd. 4.<br><br>The facility is enrolled in ePOC and therefore a signature is not required at the bottom of the first page of state form.   | 2 000         |   |                    |
| 21990              | MN St. Statute 626.557 Subd. 4 Reporting - Maltreatment of Vulnerable Adults<br><br>Subd. 4. Reporting. A mandated reporter shall immediately make an oral report to the common entry point. Use of a telecommunications device for the deaf or other similar device shall be considered an oral report. The common entry point may not require written reports. To the extent possible, the report must be of sufficient content to identify the vulnerable adult, the caregiver, the nature and extent of the suspected maltreatment, any evidence of previous maltreatment, the name and address of the reporter, the time, date, and location of the incident, and any other information that the reporter believes might be helpful in investigating the suspected maltreatment. A mandated reporter may disclose not public data, as defined in section 13.02, and medical records under section 144.335, to the extent necessary to comply with this subdivision.<br><br>This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: | 21990         |   | 12/10/20           |

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| 21990              | <p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>Based on interview and document review, the facility failed to ensure allegations of abuse/neglect were reported to the State Agency (SA) timely, in accordance with established policies and procedures, for 1 of 1 resident (R1) reviewed for allegations of abuse.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Review of a incident/vulnerable adult (VA) report submitted on 11/24/20, at 6:09 p.m. indicated R1 had allegedly been treated roughly by nursing assistant (NA)-A when assisting R1 in to bed. The report further noted NA-A refused R1's preferences, that included the time R1 wanted to go to bed.. The report indicated the event had occurred on 11/21/20, at 8:30 p.m. Review of the corresponding investigation summary report, indicated R1 reported the allegation of abuse to his wife. R1's wife reported the allegation to the director of nursing (DON) on 11/24/20, at 10:00 a.m. The facility did not report the allegation of abuse to the SA until 6:09 p.m. A total of 8 hours, after the facility was informed of the allegation.</p> <p>Interview on 12/2/20, at 2:00 p.m. the facility director of nursing (DON) confirmed the above allegation of abuse, had not been reported to the SA in a timely manner. The DON indicated she was aware of the requirement, that an allegation of abuse needed to be reported to the SA immediately The DON confirmed she had failed to do this. The DON verified facility policy, directs the staff to report allegations of abuse immediately to the SA.</p> <p>Review of the facility's policy Abuse Prevention For Minnesota Skilled Nursing Facilities revised 3/14//18, indicated staff were to report suspected abuse/neglect in accordance with legal</p> | 21990         | <p>Corrective Action</p> <p>Education provided to the Director of Nursing 12/2/2020 including VA reporting requirements and reporting in a timely manner.</p> <p>Correction Action as it applies to all residents</p> <p>Education provided to the Interdisciplinary team on 12/8/2020 including VA reporting requirements and reporting in a timely manner.</p> <p>Executive Director and Director of Nursing were provided the following information for additional documentation 12/9/20, documents included: St. Mark's Abuse prevention plan and policy, Abuse Critical Element Pathway, and Abuse Neglect and Financial Exploitation as Defined by the Vulnerable Adult Act.</p> <p>Date of completion: 12/10/20</p> <p>Recurrence will be prevented by:</p> <p>Facility created spreadsheet to document and track receipt of report, and time report filed with MDH. Executive Director to audit spreadsheet weekly for one month and once monthly for 3 months</p> <p>Correction will be monitored by: Director of Nursing, Executive Director or Designee ; QAPI committee.</p> |                    |

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| 21990              | <p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>requirements: "Staff will immediately report suspected abuse to the administrator, if the administrator is absent staff will follow the chain of command for notification. Suspected abuse shall be reported to the SA online reporting process, immediately after an allegation of abuse is reported.</p> <p>SUGGESTED METHOD OF CORRECTION: The administrator, director of nursing (DON), or designee could review and/or develop policy and procedures for vulnerable adult reporting, educate staff on these policies and audit to ensure competency and understanding periodically. The results of these audits could be reviewed by the quality assessment committee to ensure compliance.</p> <p>TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Fourteen days (14) days.</p> | 21990         |   |                    |