### Statement of Deficiencies and Plan of Correction

**NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER:** SOUTHWOOD NURSING AND RETIREMENT  
**ADDRESS:** 180 SOUTHWOOD DRIVE BOX 708  
**CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE:** CLINTON, NC 28328

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| F 157 | SS=D | 483.10(b)(11) NOTIFY OF CHANGES (INJURY/DECLINE/ROOM, ETC) | | F 157 | | | | 4/10/17 |

A facility must immediately inform the resident; consult with the resident's physician; and if known, notify the resident’s legal representative or an interested family member when there is an accident involving the resident which results in injury and has the potential for requiring physician intervention; a significant change in the resident's physical, mental, or psychosocial status (i.e., a deterioration in health, mental, or psychosocial status in either life threatening conditions or clinical complications); a need to alter treatment significantly (i.e., a need to discontinue an existing form of treatment due to adverse consequences, or to commence a new form of treatment); or a decision to transfer or discharge the resident from the facility as specified in §483.12(a).

The facility must also promptly notify the resident and, if known, the resident's legal representative or interested family member when there is a change in room or roommate assignment as specified in §483.15(e)(2); or a change in resident rights under Federal or State law or regulations as specified in paragraph (b)(1) of this section.

The facility must record and periodically update the address and phone number of the resident's legal representative or interested family member.

This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by:

Based on record review and staff interviews, the facility failed to notify the doctor when complaints of pain were made after a fall had occurred for 1 day.

The statements made on this plan of correction are not an admission to and do not constitute an agreement with the

**LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE:** Electronically Signed  
**DATE:** 04/10/2017
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(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:
345472

(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION
A. BUILDING _____________________________
B. WING _____________________________

(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED
C 03/21/2017

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of 3 sampled residents, Resident #1. An x-ray completed after the fall revealed the resident had sustained a right hip fracture.

The findings include:

Resident #1 was originally admitted to the facility on 11/29/16, with diagnoses including, Dementia, Alzheimer’s Disease with late onset, Muscle Weakness, Difficulty Walking and Displaced fracture of base of neck of right femur, and subsequent encounter for closed fracture with routine healing. According to an Admission Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated 12/6/16, Resident #1 was moderately cognitively impaired. In the area of bed mobility and transfers, he required extensive assistance, two person physical assistance. In the area of dressing, eating and personal hygiene, Resident #1 required total assistance. Resident #1’s care plan dated 12/12/16 addressed increased risk for falls related to deconditioning (loss of muscle tone or loss of function) with actual fall. The interventions included to monitor and document for pain x 72 hours post fall follow up and to report pain, bruising, change in mental status or agitation to the physician.

During an interview on 3/19/17 at 3:05 AM, the Third Shift Nurse Supervisor revealed she was on another hall Christmas morning and she came back toward the nurse’s station toward the medication cart. She revealed a Nursing Assistant told her Resident #1 was on the floor outside his door. She stated there was a lot going on at the time. The Third Shift Nurse Supervisor stated she assessed Resident #1 and he did not exhibit any signs of pain. She recalled the resident was alert and there was no grimacing.

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alleged deficiencies. To remain in compliance with all federal and state regulations the facility has taken or will take the actions set forth in this plan of correction. The plan of correction constitutes the facility’s allegation of compliance such that all alleged deficiencies cited have been or will be corrected by the date or dates indicated.

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A corrective action for affected resident:
For resident # 1, on 12/28/2016 when the resident was assessed by the hall nurse to have pain in the right hip and leg, the resident was medicated with PRN pain medication and the on-call MD was notified. The MD gave an order on 12/28/2016 to complete a pelvis and right hip x-ray. X-ray results were received back on 12/29/2016 positive for an acute impacted sub capital fracture of the right femur neck. The MD was notified of fracture on 12/29/16. The resident was sent to the hospital ER on 12/29/2016 and admitted. On 12/30/16, MD was notified that the investigation into the injury revealed an unreported fall.

All current residents experiencing pain have the potential to be affected by the alleged deficient practice.

Beginning on 04/07/2017 all current residents were assessed for indications of pain or injury by the hall nurses under the direction of the Director of Nursing. These were completed on 4/10/17. The pain assessment included interviewing all
She stated she did not see anything to keep from moving him. The Third Shift Nurse Supervisor revealed she brought Resident #1 to the front of the nursing station in a special chair to watch him more closely. She stated she forgot to write up everything that morning, to report the fall to the next shift, and to contact the family and doctor. She revealed she went home at the end of her shift and forgot about it. The Third Shift Nurse Supervisor continued by stating Resident #1 complained of pain two or three days later and she found out later there was a possibility of a small fracture. The Third Shift Nurse Supervisor recalled prior to Resident #1's fall, she gave him medication when he became agitated. She stated when she came back to work Monday (12/26/16) or Tuesday (12/27/16) night after the fall, he started complaining of pain. The Third Shift Nurse Supervisor did not explain why she did not call the doctor when Resident #1 started complaining of pain on 12/26/16 or 12/27/16 after the resident had fallen. In reference to reporting the fall to the doctor, the Third Shift Nurse Supervisor stated if there were no injuries after a fall, she would fax the doctor and if there was an injury she would get an order to send the resident out to the emergency room. She stated she did not fax the doctor the night of Resident #1's fall because it slipped her mind. The Third Shift Nurse Supervisor said a lot was going on, such as a lot of people needing care at one time.

During an interview on 3/19/17 at 2:47 PM, Staff Nurse #1 revealed she worked on first shift with Resident #1 every day during the week and he denied pain, prior to 12/28/16. She stated the Nursing Assistant was doing her rounds on 12/28/16 and told her Resident #1 was complaining of pain. She stated Resident #1 did current interviewable patients to ask if they are currently experiencing pain. If they are in pain then an assessment was completed that included the location of the pain, severity of the pain, characteristics of the pain, range of motion for extremity pain and whether or not it is chronic or acute. For cognitively impaired residents, the PAIN AD pain scale was completed. This pain scale numerically ranks pain signs and symptoms such as breathing, negative vocalizations, facial expressions, body language, and consolability to determine a 1-10 pain scale for the patient. If pain was identified, then an assessment was completed that included the location of the pain, severity of the pain, characteristics of the pain, range of motion for extremity pain and whether or not it is chronic (based on history) or acute. For chronic pain, as needed pain medications were administered by the nurse. A follow up 30-45 minutes after administration was completed to ensure pain was resolved. If not resolved then additional pain medications were administered according to orders or if additional pain medications were not ordered by the physician, they were contacted immediately for additional pain management orders.

For acute pain, the Director of Nursing was notified and as needed pain medications were administered (if ordered). If the patient did not have an order for pain medications the MD was contacted immediately to get pain medication and other pain related orders.
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- Systemic changes made were:

- In-service education began on 04/07/2017 by the Staff Development Coordinator for all RNs, LPNs, Med Aides, and NA’s FT, PT, and PRN. The in-service topics included: assessment and notification of the physician of new or unresolved pain. The Director of Nursing will ensure that any employee who has not received this training by 04/10/2017 will not be allowed to work until the training is completed. (See Education Attachment)

- The RN on call is the Director of Nursing if the staffing on-call is a LPN. The facility specific in-service was sent to Hospice Providers and Agency Staff whose employees give residents care in the facility to provide training for staff prior to returning to the facility to provide care. Any in-house staff member who did not receive in-service training by 04/10/2017 will not be allowed to work until training has been completed.

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RECORDS-COMPLETE/ACCURATE/ACCESSIBLE  

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all employees and will be reviewed by the Quality Assurance Process to verify that the change has been sustained.

The facility plans to monitor its performance by:

The Director of Nursing, Staff Development Coordinator, or designee will monitor this issue using the Clinical Quality Assurance Survey Tool Incident Review and MD Notification Tool (see attachment). The monitoring will include observing five residents for indicators of pain after a fall, pain management, and timely MD notification. The tool will be completed weekly for 4 weeks then monthly times 2 months. Reports will be presented to the weekly Quality Assurance (QA) committee by the Administrator or Director of Nursing to ensure corrective action initiated as appropriate. Compliance will be monitored and ongoing auditing program reviewed at the weekly QA Meeting. The weekly QA Meeting is attended by the Director of Nursing, MDS Coordinator, Support Nurse, Therapy, HIM, Dietary Manager and the Administrator.
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The clinical record must contain sufficient information to identify the resident; a record of the resident's assessments; the plan of care and services provided; the results of any preadmission screening conducted by the State; and progress notes.

This **REQUIREMENT** is not met as evidenced by:

Based on record review and staff interviews, the facility failed to document an assessment of a fall and also failed to document resident's complaints of pain and medication given for pain relief after a fall had occurred, for 1 of 3 sampled residents, Resident #1. An x-ray completed after the fall revealed the resident had sustained a right hip fracture.

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All current residents who have had a fall have the potential to be affected by the alleged deficient practice.

Beginning on 04/07/2017 all current residents were interviewed or assessed based on their cognitive status, for a falls
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The resident was alert and there was no grimacing. She stated she did not see anything to keep from moving him. She stated she forgot to write up everything that morning, to report the fall to the next shift, and to contact the family and doctor. She revealed she went home at the end of her shift and forgot about it.

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During an interview on 3/20/17 at 2:13 PM, the Director of Nursing (DON) revealed an investigation probably was not done when the fall happened because the Third Shift Nurse Supervisor went home. The DON revealed the history or indicators that a fall may have occurred. The Social Worker interviewed all alert and oriented residents for any falls that may have occurred over the past 30 days. If falls were reported by the resident, it was then compared to the resident’s medical records to ensure a falls assessment was completed along with MD and responsible party notifications.

For cognitively impaired residents, the hall nurses under the direction of the Director of Nursing completed a head to toe assessment for injuries of unknown origin. If injuries were noted, an investigation as initiated. In addition to this, various nursing staff across all three shifts were interviewed to identify any unreported falls over the past 30 days. This was accomplished by printing a list of falls for the last 30 days. The Director of Nursing reviewed the list of falls with staff for identification of any possible unreported falls that they may be aware of. If any falls were identified as unreported, the resident was immediately assessed for injury, the MD and responsible party notified, and an incident report completed. This process was completed on 04/10/2017.

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- In-service education began on 04/07/2017 by the Staff Development Coordinator for all RNs, LPNs, Med Aides, and NAs FT, PT, and PRN. The in-service topics included: Incident reporting and required notifications, completion of an incident report, falls assessment, ongoing...
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