STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION

NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER
SATURN NURSING AND REHABILITATION CENTER

STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE
1930 WEST SUGAR CREEK ROAD
CHARLOTTE, NC  28262

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES
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F 804 SS=D Nutritive Value/Appear, Palatable/Prefer Temp
CFR(s): 483.60(d)(1)(2)

§483.60(d) Food and drink
Each resident receives and the facility provides-

§483.60(d)(1) Food prepared by methods that conserve nutritive value, flavor, and appearance;

§483.60(d)(2) Food and drink that is palatable, attractive, and at a safe and appetizing temperature.

This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by:
Based on a lunch meal tray line observation, a test tray of a pureed diet, and interviews with staff, the facility failed to provide hot foods to residents as evidenced by the lack of visible steam and margarine that remained congealed.

The findings included:
A continuous observation of the lunch meal tray line service occurred on 12/11/18 from 11:35 AM until 12:25 PM. During this observation the lowerator (plate warmer) was observed unplugged. The certified dietary manager (CDM) stated in interview on 12/11/18 at 12:20 PM that the lowerator was plugged into an outlet until the start of the tray line, but then unplugged and moved closer to the steam table once the tray line began because the cord was not long enough. The lowerator was observed to remain unplugged for the duration of the tray line meal service.

A test tray for a regular, pureed texture diet was requested on 12/11/18 at 12:25 PM. The test tray was plated, covered in an insulated plate cover and base and transported in an open cart system to the West Unit at 12:37 PM. After all residents

This plan of correction constitutes a written allegation of compliance. Preparation and submission of this plan of correction does not constitute an admission or agreement by the provider of the truth of the facts alleged or the correctness of the conclusion set forth on the statement of deficiencies. This plan of correction is prepared and submitted solely because of requirement under state and federal law, and to demonstrate the good faith attempts by the provider to continue to improve the quality of life of each resident.

F804 Immediate Action
Maintenance Director re routed lowerator plug so that it could be plugged in during the duration of tray line meal service.

100% Dietary in service was completed on 12/14/2018 for ensuring lowerator remains plugged in during the duration of the meal time tray service.

Identification of Others
This is the only lowerator in the facility and

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01/07/2019

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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(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING ____________________________

B. WING _____________________________

(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED

C 12/12/2018

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were served, the CDM removed the lid from the test tray at 1:04 PM. There was no visible steam observed coming from the food. He then conducted temperature monitoring and set up the test tray, which included the addition of margarine. The margarine remained congealed when added to the foods. He then tasted the foods and made the following comments:

·The CDM declined to taste the pureed pork due to dietary restrictions. The temperature obtained was 120 degrees Fahrenheit (F). The margarine remained congealed when added. The pureed pork was slightly warm and contained pieces of pork when tasted by the surveyor. The pureed pork was not completely smooth.

·The temperature of the pureed broccoli was 129 degrees F and described as "barely warm" by the CDM. The margarine remained congealed when added.

·The temperature of the mashed potatoes was 128 degrees F and also described as "barely warm" by the CDM. The margarine remained congealed when added.

During the test tray observation, the CDM further stated that the foods were barely warm and could be hotter. He attributed the foods not being hot enough to the use of an open cart system and not keeping the lowerator plugged in during the tray line meal service.

An interview with the Registered Dietitian (RD) on 12/12/18 at 2:30 PM revealed she consulted with the facility for the prior 2 months, but had not identified concerns or been made aware of concerns related to food palatability. The RD stated she expected residents to receive foods per their preference for taste and temperature.

F 804 now it is being properly used.

Systematic Changes

Measures put into place to ensure the plan of correction is effective and remains in compliance are: In service was provided on 12/11/2018 to all dietary staff, including all full time, part time, and as needed employees (PRN), were in serviced on ensuring lowerator remains plugged in during the duration of the meal time tray service, and ensuring plates are covered as quickly as possible during meal time tray service to maintain food temperatures was appetizing. The education was completed by 12/14/2018. Any staff member not educated by 12/14/2018 will not be able to work until receiving education. The education will now be provided in new employee orientation.

Monitoring Process

Starting 12/12/2018 dietary administrative staff started conducting audits 5 days a week for 4 weeks ensuring, the lowerator was plugged in during all meal times. After 4 weeks dietary administrative staff will perform the same audit 2 times per week for an additional 4 weeks until a pattern of compliance is maintained. Any negative findings will be addressed immediately with staff for corrective action. The Administrator and/or Director of Nursing (DON) will report monthly findings of the monitoring process to the facility quality assurance and performance improvement committee for 2 months or until corrective action is achieved. Any necessary changes will be made to ensure compliance.
An interview with the administrator and director of operations on 12/12/18 at 4:25 PM revealed they both expected recipes to be followed for food quality and palatability.

Food in Form to Meet Individual Needs

$483.60(d) Food and drink
Each resident receives and the facility provides-

$483.60(d)(3) Food prepared in a form designed to meet individual needs.
This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by:

Based on a lunch meal tray line observation, a test tray of a pureed diet, staff interviews and review of the recipe, the facility failed to provide pureed pork of a smooth consistency to 17 residents on a physician prescribed pureed diet (Residents #2, #9, #10, #11, #12, #13, #14, #15, #16, #17, #18, #19, #20, #21, #22, #23 and #24).

The findings included:

Review of the facility's Diet Order Report revealed Residents #2, #9, #10, #11, #12, #13, #14, #15, #16, #17, #18, #19, #20, #21, #22, #23 and #24 were listed on the report with a physician prescribed pureed diet order for a pureed diet.

Review of the facility's recipe for Pureed Pork Loin Marinated, Recipe #233, dated 7/19/18, revealed instructions to prepare the pork according to the regular recipe, measure desired "#" (number) of servings into the food processor and blend until smooth.

Immediate Action
Residents #2, #9, #10, #11, #12, #13, #14, #15, #16, #17, #18, #19, #20, #21, #22, #23 and #24 on a physician prescribed pureed diet were affected by the deficient practice. Corrected by the Certified Dietary Manager (CDM) on 12/11. The Certified Dietary Manager (CDM) did a 100% audit of the evening meal to ensure that all residents listed received proper pureed consistency.

Identification of Others
On 12/11/2018 The Certified Dietary Manager (CDM) did a 100% audit of the evening meal to ensure that all residents listed received proper pureed consistency.

Systematic Changes
Measures put into place to ensure the plan of correction is effective and remains in compliance include: effective 12/11/2018 an in service was provided to all dietary staff to include full time, part...
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<td>was provided by the CDM on proper pureeing techniques to provide a smooth consistency with no chunks or strings. The education was completed by 12/14/2018. Any staff member not educated by 12/14/2018 will not be allowed to work until receiving education. The education will also be provided to the orientation to newly hired dietary staff.</td>
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<td>During a follow up interview with the CDM on 12/12/18 at 1:55 PM, he stated that he attributed the pieces of pork which remained in the pureed pork to the type of meat used. He stated that his staff usually used a pork patty for pureed pork, but that a pork loin was used this time and was more difficult to get a smooth consistency. He further stated that the food processor worked well, but that he did not notice that the pureed pork remained in the pureed pork.</td>
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pork was not smooth when it was processed a second time, and stated "we pureed the pork as best we could."

An interview with the registered dietitian (RD) on 12/12/18 at 2:30 PM revealed she consulted with the facility for the prior 2 months, but had not identified concerns or been made aware of concerns related to the consistency of pureed foods. The RD stated she expected dietary staff to follow recipes to provide the correct diet and meet the resident's nutritional needs.

An interview on 12/12/18 at 3:05 PM with the speech therapist (ST) revealed that she treated a resident back in the summer who had severe dysphagia and had to provide dietary re-education, because the pureed meat still had bits of meat, she stated "it was not smooth enough." The ST further stated this was concerning and that she expected pureed foods to come out consistently smooth because "smooth" was the definition of pureed.

An interview with the administrator and director of operations on 12/12/18 at 4:25 PM revealed they both expected recipes to be followed for food quality and pureed foods should be served smooth due to the danger foods with texture could present to a resident who required a pureed diet.

### F 812
Food Procurement, Store/Prepare/Serve - Sanitary

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| F 812         | Continued From page 5 approved or considered satisfactory by federal, state or local authorities. (i) This may include food items obtained directly from local producers, subject to applicable State and local laws or regulations. (ii) This provision does not prohibit or prevent facilities from using produce grown in facility gardens, subject to compliance with applicable safe growing and food-handling practices. (iii) This provision does not preclude residents from consuming foods not procured by the facility. | F 812 | F812 | Immediate Action
The immediate action was taken on 12/11/2018 by the CDM by auditing 100% of the evening meal temperatures to ensure all temperatures reached 135 degrees F and reheat food temperatures to at least 165 degrees F prior to service. Other residents that may have the potential to be affected by the same deficient practice were corrected by the CDM doing a 100% audit of the evening meal temperatures to ensure all temperatures reached 135 degrees F and reheat food temperatures to at least 165 degrees F prior to service. Measures put into place to ensure the plan of correction is effective and remains in compliance include effective 12/11/2018 an in service was provided by the CDM on |

| F 812 | Based on a lunch meal tray line observation, staff interviews and facility record review, the facility failed to monitor and maintain the temperature of pureed chicken rice casserole to at least 135 degrees Fahrenheit (F) and reheat to at least 165 degrees F prior to service. Temperature monitoring revealed pureed chicken rice casserole was reheated and served at 130 degrees F. The findings included:
A continuous observation of the lunch meal tray line service occurred on 12/11/18 from 11:35 AM to 12:10 PM. During the observation, at 12:10 PM, dietary staff #2 removed a 6 ounce portion of chicken rice casserole from the steam table, placed in the food processor and blended. Dietary staff #1 then placed the pureed chicken rice casserole into the microwave and turned it on. The certified dietary manager (CDM) removed the pureed chicken rice casserole from the |
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microwave at 12:13 PM, transferred the entrée to a plate and handed the plate to dietary staff #1 for service. The plate of pureed chicken rice casserole was placed on a meal tray for delivery without temperature monitoring. At the request of the surveyor, temperature monitoring was conducted on 12/11/18 at 12:14 PM; the pureed chicken rice casserole was 130 degrees F. An interview with dietary staff #2 on 12/11/18 at 12:15 PM revealed she did not monitor the temperature of the pureed chicken rice casserole before service.

An interview on 12/11/18 at 12:16 PM with the CDM revealed that a temperature was not obtained of the pureed chicken rice casserole prior to service. The CDM stated that the pureed chicken rice casserole should have been maintained at least 135 degrees F and reheated to at least 165 degrees before it was served.

An interview with the Registered Dietitian (RD) on 12/12/18 at 2:30 PM revealed she consulted with the facility for the prior 2 months, but had not identified concerns or been made aware of concerns related to food temperatures. The RD stated she expected dietary staff to conduct temperature monitoring as appropriate.

An interview with the administrator and director of operations on 12/12/18 at 4:25 PM revealed they both expected temperature monitoring to be conducted routinely in all areas of the dietary department.

F 812 items to be reheated and retempted to 165 degrees F or greater after being made mechanical soft or pureed. The education was completed by 12/14/2018. Any staff member not educated by 12/14/2018 will not be allowed to work until receiving education. The education will also be provided to the orientation of newly hired dietary staff.

Monitoring Process
Starting 12/12/2018 the Correct Temperature Audit will be conducted for one meal per day for 4 weeks and one meal every other day for an additional 4 weeks for accuracy on correct temperature of puree or mechanical soft foods. The audit will be conducted by the dietary administrative staff until pattern of compliance is maintained. Any negative findings will be addressed immediately with staff for corrective action. The Administrator and/or DON will report monthly findings of this monitoring process to the facility quality assurance and performance improvement committee for 2 months or until corrective action is achieved. Any necessary changes will be made to ensure compliance.