

Division of Health Service Regulation

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: MHL007-080	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED R 10/02/2019
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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER COUNTRY LIVING GUEST HOME #7	STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 207 WEST 11TH STREET WASHINGTON, NC 27889
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V 000	INITIAL COMMENTS An annual and follow up survey was completed on October 2, 2019. A deficiency was cited. This facility is licensed for the following service category: 10A NCAC 27G .5600A, Supervised Living for Adults with Mental Illness.	V 000		
V 367	27G .0604 Incident Reporting Requirements 10A NCAC 27G .0604 INCIDENT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CATEGORY A AND B PROVIDERS (a) Category A and B providers shall report all level II incidents, except deaths, that occur during the provision of billable services or while the consumer is on the providers premises or level III incidents and level II deaths involving the clients to whom the provider rendered any service within 90 days prior to the incident to the LME responsible for the catchment area where services are provided within 72 hours of becoming aware of the incident. The report shall be submitted on a form provided by the Secretary. The report may be submitted via mail, in person, facsimile or encrypted electronic means. The report shall include the following information: (1) reporting provider contact and identification information; (2) client identification information; (3) type of incident; (4) description of incident; (5) status of the effort to determine the cause of the incident; and (6) other individuals or authorities notified or responding. (b) Category A and B providers shall explain any missing or incomplete information. The provider shall submit an updated report to all required	V 367	See attached.	10/7/19

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

Kevin M. Hinds

TITLE

MSO USW OP Admin.

(X6) DATE

10/4/19

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V 367	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>report recipients by the end of the next business day whenever:</p> <p>(1) the provider has reason to believe that information provided in the report may be erroneous, misleading or otherwise unreliable; or</p> <p>(2) the provider obtains information required on the incident form that was previously unavailable.</p> <p>(c) Category A and B providers shall submit, upon request by the LME, other information obtained regarding the incident, including:</p> <p>(1) hospital records including confidential information;</p> <p>(2) reports by other authorities; and</p> <p>(3) the provider's response to the incident.</p> <p>(d) Category A and B providers shall send a copy of all level III incident reports to the Division of Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and Substance Abuse Services within 72 hours of becoming aware of the incident. Category A providers shall send a copy of all level III incidents involving a client death to the Division of Health Service Regulation within 72 hours of becoming aware of the incident. In cases of client death within seven days of use of seclusion or restraint, the provider shall report the death immediately, as required by 10A NCAC 26C .0300 and 10A NCAC 27E .0104(e)(18).</p> <p>(e) Category A and B providers shall send a report quarterly to the LME responsible for the catchment area where services are provided. The report shall be submitted on a form provided by the Secretary via electronic means and shall include summary information as follows:</p> <p>(1) medication errors that do not meet the definition of a level II or level III incident;</p> <p>(2) restrictive interventions that do not meet the definition of a level II or level III incident;</p> <p>(3) searches of a client or his living area;</p>	V 367		
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V 367	<p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>(4) seizures of client property or property in the possession of a client;</p> <p>(5) the total number of level II and level III incidents that occurred; and</p> <p>(6) a statement indicating that there have been no reportable incidents whenever no incidents have occurred during the quarter that meet any of the criteria as set forth in Paragraphs (a) and (d) of this Rule and Subparagraphs (1) through (4) of this Paragraph.</p> <p>This Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on record reviews and interviews the facility failed to complete a critical incident to the Local Management Entity (LME) as required. The findings are:</p> <p>Review on 10/1/19 of the North Carolina Incident Response Improvement System (IRIS) revealed no incident reports submitted for the facility July 1 - September 30, 2019.</p> <p>Review on 10/01/19 of client #1's record revealed: - 42 year old female admitted 4/11/14. - Diagnoses included Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder and Major Depressive Disorder, recurrent moderate with anxious distress.</p> <p>During interview on 10/1/19 client #1 stated a former staff person had taken money from her to pay her pharmacy bill, but never paid the bill. "She took the money not just from me but from others as well. I gave her \$48 cash to pay my pharmacy bill and we found out she didn't pay the bill." The Licensee paid the pharmacy bill and the staff was fired.</p>	V 367		
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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER
COUNTRY LIVING GUEST HOME #7

STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE
**207 WEST 11TH STREET
WASHINGTON, NC 27889**

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V 367	<p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>Review on 10/1/19 of client #2's record revealed: - 56 year old female admitted 2/11/19. - Diagnoses included Schizophrenia, Borderline Personality Disorder, Anxiety, Depression, Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder, and Hoarding Disorder.</p> <p>During interview on 10/1/19 client #2 stated a former staff took money from her to pay her pharmacy bill, but did not pay the bill. The Licensee paid the pharmacy bill and the staff was fired.</p> <p>Review on 10/1/19 of client #3's record revealed: - 60 year old female admitted 3/6/18. - Diagnoses included Mood Disorder, not otherwise specified, Panic Disorder, Intermittent Explosive Disorder, Intellectual/Developmental Disability, mild and Major Depressive Disorder, recurrent.</p> <p>Client #3 was on a home visit during the survey and was not available for interview.</p> <p>Review on 10/1/19 of "Internal Investigation Report" dated 9/7/19 - 9/11/19 revealed: - On 9/7/19 Former Staff #3 (FS#3) left clients unsupervised for approximately 45 minutes; the clients suffered no harm while unsupervised. - FS#3 was "terminated" from employment 9/7/19. - 2 of the 5 clients did not have unsupervised time documented in their Person Centered Plans. - On 9/10/19 the Licensee learned FS#3 took money from clients to pay July pharmacy bills. - The pharmacy verified the bills for July were not paid. - FS#3 took \$48 from client #1, \$20.00 from client #2, and withdrew \$46.00 from client #6's personal</p>	V 367		
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V 367	<p>Continued From page 4</p> <p>account without client #6's consent.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - FS#3 also took \$16.00 from client #4, and \$20.00 from client #5. - FS#3 took a total of \$150 from clients 8/6/19 and 8/8/19 as documented on "Resident Ledger" forms. - After she was fired FS#3 took withdrew \$300 from the facility's bank account using the facility debit card. - The incidents were reported to the local Police Department on 9/7/19 and to the local Department of Social Services on 9/11/19. - "Initial Allegation Report" was submitted to the North Carolina Health Care Personnel Registry on 9/13/19 for "Resident Neglect, Fraud Against Facility, Misappropriation of Facility Property, and Misappropriation of Resident Property." <p>During interview on 10/1/19 the Qualified Professional stated he and the Social Worker met with the clients to discuss the incident with them. The Licensee paid the July pharmacy bills for the clients. FS#3 was terminated immediately on 9/7/19. Felony charges were filed against FS#3. He did an internal investigation and reported the incident to the Health Care Personnel Registry, but did not complete or submit an incident report. He expected the Health Care Personnel Registry to complete an investigation. He understood the requirement to report critical incidents to the LME.</p>	V 367		
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STATE FORM: REVISIT REPORT

PROVIDER / SUPPLIER / CLIA / IDENTIFICATION NUMBER MHL007-080	Y1	MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. Building _____ B. Wing _____	Y2	DATE OF REVISIT 10/2/2019	Y3
NAME OF FACILITY COUNTRY LIVING GUEST HOME #7			STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 207 WEST 11TH STREET WASHINGTON, NC 27889		

This report is completed by a State surveyor to show those deficiencies previously reported that have been corrected and the date such corrective action was accomplished. Each deficiency should be fully identified using either the regulation or LSC provision number and the identification prefix code previously shown on the State Survey Report (prefix codes shown to the left of each requirement on the survey report form).

ITEM Y4	DATE Y5	ITEM Y4	DATE Y5	ITEM Y4	DATE Y5
ID Prefix V0112	Correction	ID Prefix V0364	Correction	ID Prefix	Correction
Reg. # 27G .0205 (C-D)	Completed	Reg. # G.S. 122C- 62	Completed	Reg. #	Completed
LSC	10/02/2019	LSC	10/02/2019	LSC	
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REVIEWED BY STATE AGENCY <input type="checkbox"/>	REVIEWED BY (INITIALS) _____	DATE _____	SIGNATURE OF SURVEYOR 	DATE 10/2/19
REVIEWED BY CMS RO <input type="checkbox"/>	REVIEWED BY (INITIALS) _____	DATE _____	TITLE Facility Compliance Consultant I	DATE _____
FOLLOWUP TO SURVEY COMPLETED ON 7/18/2018		<input type="checkbox"/> CHECK FOR ANY UNCORRECTED DEFICIENCIES. WAS A SUMMARY OF UNCORRECTED DEFICIENCIES (CMS-2567) SENT TO THE FACILITY? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		

Country Living Guest Home, Inc. #7

207 West 11th Street
Washington, NC 27889

Plan Of Correction:

V367 – All Incidents will be reported according to the Policies and Procedures already in place at Country Living Guest Home, Inc. QP will ensure that any reports to the Healthcare Registry are simultaneously reported to the LME via the correct level incident report. Facility QP will file an incident report for the event that occurred on 9/7/19 by 10/7/19, even though it is now outside the appropriate time frame. QP will ensure that all Incident reports are appropriately and accurately reported within the correct timeframe in the future.

Kristen M. Hardin USW LME QP Admin.
10/4/19



NC DEPARTMENT OF
**HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES**

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MANDY COHEN, MD, MPH • Secretary
MARK PAYNE • Director, Division of Health Service Regulation

October 4, 2019

Kellie Hardison, MSW, Administrator
Country Living Guest Home, Inc.
3134 Market Street Extension
Washington, NC 27889

DHSR-Mental Health
OCT 07 2019
Lic. & Cert. Section

Re: Annual and Follow Up Survey completed 10/02/19
Country Living Guest Home #7, 207 West 11th Street, Washington, NC 27889
MHL # 007-080
E-mail Address: countrylivinginc@yahoo.com

Dear Ms. Hardison:

Thank you for the cooperation and courtesy extended during the annual and follow up survey completed October 2, 2019.

As a result of the follow up survey, it was determined that all of the deficiencies are now in compliance, which is reflected on the enclosed Revisit Report. An additional deficiency was cited during the survey.

Enclosed you will find all deficiencies cited listed on the Statement of Deficiencies Form. The purpose of the Statement of Deficiencies is to provide you with specific details of the practice that does not comply with state regulations. You must develop one Plan of Correction that addresses each deficiency listed on the State Form and return it to our office within ten days of receipt of this letter. Below you will find details of the type of deficiencies found, the time frames for compliance plus what to include in the Plan of Correction.

Type of Deficiencies Found

- The tag cited is a standard level deficiency.

Time Frames for Compliance

- Standard level deficiency must be **corrected** within 60 days from the exit of the survey, which is December 1, 2019.

MENTAL HEALTH LICENSURE & CERTIFICATION SECTION

NC DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES • DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION

LOCATION: 1800 Umstead Drive, Williams Building, Raleigh, NC 27603
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What to include in the Plan of Correction

- Indicate what measures will be put in place to **correct** the deficient area of practice (i.e. changes in policy and procedure, staff training, changes in staffing patterns, etc.).
- Indicate what measures will be put in place to **prevent** the problem from occurring again.
- Indicate **who will monitor** the situation to ensure it will not occur again.
- Indicate **how often** the monitoring will take place.
- Sign and date the bottom of the first page of the State Form.

Make a copy of the Statement of Deficiencies with the Plan of Correction to retain for your records. ***Please do not include confidential information in your plan of correction and please remember never to send confidential information (protected health information) via email.***

Send the original completed form to our office at the following address within 10 days of receipt of this letter.

Mental Health Licensure and Certification Section
NC Division of Health Service Regulation
2718 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-2718

A follow up visit will be conducted to verify all violations have been corrected. If we can be of further assistance, please call Wendy Boone at 252-568-2744.

Sincerely,



Connie Anderson
Facility Compliance Consultant I
Mental Health Licensure & Certification Section

Cc: Leza Wainwright, Director, Trillium Health Resources LME/MCO
Fonda Gonzales, Interim Quality Management Director, Trillium Health Resources LME/MCO