

Division of Health Service Regulation

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: MHL082-041	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED R 04/20/2022
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V 000	<p>INITIAL COMMENTS</p> <p>An annual and follow up survey was completed on April 20, 2022. A deficiency was cited.</p> <p>This facility is licensed for the following service category: 10A NCAC 27G .5600C Supervised Living for Adults with Developmental Disabilities.</p> <p>This facility is licensed for 5 and currently has a census of 5. The survey sample consisted of audits of 3 current clients.</p>	V 000		
V 118	<p>27G .0209 (C) Medication Requirements</p> <p>10A NCAC 27G .0209 MEDICATION REQUIREMENTS</p> <p>(c) Medication administration:</p> <p>(1) Prescription or non-prescription drugs shall only be administered to a client on the written order of a person authorized by law to prescribe drugs.</p> <p>(2) Medications shall be self-administered by clients only when authorized in writing by the client's physician.</p> <p>(3) Medications, including injections, shall be administered only by licensed persons, or by unlicensed persons trained by a registered nurse, pharmacist or other legally qualified person and privileged to prepare and administer medications.</p> <p>(4) A Medication Administration Record (MAR) of all drugs administered to each client must be kept current. Medications administered shall be recorded immediately after administration. The MAR is to include the following:</p> <p>(A) client's name;</p> <p>(B) name, strength, and quantity of the drug;</p> <p>(C) instructions for administering the drug;</p> <p>(D) date and time the drug is administered; and</p> <p>(E) name or initials of person administering the drug.</p>	V 118		

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

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V 118	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>(5) Client requests for medication changes or checks shall be recorded and kept with the MAR file followed up by appointment or consultation with a physician.</p> <p>This Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on record review, observation and interview the facility failed to administer medications as ordered by a physician and failed to keep the MAR current affecting 1 of 3 audited clients (#2). The findings are:</p> <p>Review on 4/20/22 of client #2's record revealed: - 33 year old female admitted 11/12/11. - Diagnoses included Intellectual/Developmental Disability, severe; Autism Spectrum Disorder; Persistent Mood (Affective) Disorder; Anxiety Disorder, and encopresis without constipation. - Signed Physician's orders for polyethylene glycol (PEG) 3350 (laxative) mix 1 capful (17 grams) in 8 ounces of water and drink as follows: 3/01/22 take once daily signed by client #2's Primary Care Provider 2/21/22 and 1/24/22 take at bedtime signed by client #2's Psychiatrist 12/02/21 take twice daily, signed by client #2's Gastroenterologist</p> <p>Review on 4/19/22 and 4/20/22 of client #2's MARs for February 2022 - April 2022 revealed: - March 2022: Printed transcription for PEG once daily marked through and a handwritten transcription for PEG twice daily ; with documentation it was administered twice daily (at</p>	V 118		

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V 118	<p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>8:00 am and 8:00 pm).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - February 2022: Printed transcription for PEG once daily marked through and a handwritten transcription for PEG twice daily with documentation it was administered twice daily (at 8:00 am and 8:00 pm). <p>During interview on 4/20/22 client #2 stated she took her medications everyday with staff assistance.</p> <p>During interview on 4/20/22 staff #1 stated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One of her job duties was medication administration. - Medication changes were communicated to staff verbally and in writing. - Either the Residential Services Coordinator or the Qualified Professional/Executive Director made sure the change was communicated to staff and the change made to the MAR. <p>During interview on 4/20/22 staff #2 stated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One of her job duties was medication administration. - Staff were notified of medication changes verbally and in writing. - Medication changes were written on the MAR. <p>During interview on 4/20/22 the Residential Services Coordinator stated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Her job responsibilities included accompanying clients to the medical appointments, monitoring the MARs and making sure medications were in stock. - If a provider made a medication change she would ensure the change was made to the MARs. <p>During interview on 4/20/22 the Qualified Professional/Executive Director stated:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The MARs were printed by the pharmacy at the 	V 118		

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V 118	Continued From page 3 end of the month and sent to the facility before the beginning of the new month. - If a Physician changed an order after the MARs were printed and before they were received by the facility, the new order would not be reflected on the MAR. - The "Manager" was responsible for transcribing the new orders onto the MAR. - Client #2 went to the Gastroenterologist in December 2021 and he prescribed PEG twice daily. - They did not realize client #2's Psychiatrist changed the PEG order to bedtime on 1/24/22 and continued it on 2/21/22. - The pharmacy printed transcriptions on the February and March MARs were marked out by a staff member and a transcription for PEG to be administered twice daily was handwritten in accordance with the Gastroenterologist's 12/02/21 order. - Client #2 received PEG twice daily in February and March despite the order written for it to be administered once daily at bedtime. - The change in client #2's PEG order was not communicated with staff and they continued to administer it twice daily. - Client #2's Medical Providers did not communicate with one another; it was up to her and the Residential Services Coordinator to ensure each Medical Provider knew what the others had prescribed. - Client #2's MARs were correct and she received PEG once daily, as ordered, in April.	V 118		