

Division of Health Service Regulation

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: MHL023-158	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED R 10/19/2023
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V 000	<p>INITIAL COMMENTS</p> <p>An annual and follow up survey was completed on 10/19/23. 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 4 and currently has a census of 4. The survey sample consisted of audits of 3 current clients.</p>	V 000		
V 123	<p>27G .0209 (H) Medication Requirements</p> <p>10A NCAC 27G .0209 MEDICATION REQUIREMENTS</p> <p>(h) Medication errors. Drug administration errors and significant adverse drug reactions shall be reported immediately to a physician or pharmacist. An entry of the drug administered and the drug reaction shall be properly recorded in the drug record. A client's refusal of a drug shall be charted.</p> <p>.</p> <p>This Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on record review and interviews, the facility failed to ensure all medication administration errors were immediately reported to a pharmacist or physician affecting 1 of 3 audited clients (Client #2). The findings are:</p> <p>Review on 7/27/23 of incident report reporting revealed: -8/5/23 Client #2 was out of medication</p>	V 123		

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

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V 123	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>(duloxetine). Contacted House Manager (HM) but no documentation of physician or pharmacist contact.</p> <p>-8/6/23 Client #2 was out of duloxetine 60mg (milligrams). There was no documentation of call to physician or pharmacist.</p> <p>-8/7/23 Client #2 was out of duloxetine; HM scheduled appointment for refill today but no documentation contact to physician or pharmacist.</p> <p>-8/8/23 Client #2 duloxetine not available; pharmacy closed. Will have medication 8/9/23. There was no documentation of call to physician or pharmacist.</p> <p>-8/20/23 Client #4 was out of medication (omeprazole). There was no documentation of call to physician or pharmacist.</p> <p>Record review on 10/18/23 for Client #2 revealed:</p> <p>-Date of admission: 4/24/18</p> <p>-Diagnoses: Down Syndrome, Mild Intellectual Developmental Disability, Major Depressive Disorder with Psychotic Features, Disruptive Behavior Disorder, Sleep Apnea.</p> <p>-Physician ordered medications on 11/22/22 included:</p> <p>-Duloxetine 60mg (depression)- 1 tablet twice daily.</p> <p>Interview on 10/18/23 with Client #2 revealed:</p> <p>-He did not remember missing any medication.</p> <p>Interview on 10/18/23 with the HM revealed:</p> <p>-She was not the HM but was covering shifts for the facility at the time Client #2 medication was not refilled on time.</p> <p>-Client #2 needed to see his doctor before getting a refill. It was not just a matter of contacting the pharmacy.</p> <p>-Client #2 did not seem to have any adverse</p>	V 123		

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V 123	<p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>reactions to missing his medication. -Was not aware a physician or pharmacist needed to be contacted immediately for a missed medication.</p> <p>Interview on 10/19/23 with the Qualified Professional (QP) #2 revealed: -QP #1 was relatively new and still learning the processes. -They would need to come up with a better process for missed medication incidents.</p>	V 123		