

Agency for Health Care Administration

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A 000	Initial Comments A Biennial Relicensure Survey along with a capacity increase was conducted at Buena Vista Health Care Corp. Deficiencies were identified at the time of the survey.	A 000		
A 034 SS=F	59A-36.007(9) ASSISTIVE DEVICES (9) ASSISTIVE DEVICES. Facilities are responsible for ensuring the safe usage of a resident's assistive devices. (a) The facility must have policies and procedures that include the requirements and methods for assessing the physical condition of assistive devices that may injure the resident and procedures for recommending repair or replacement for the continuing safety of a resident's assistive device. (b) Documentation of each assistive device a resident uses must be included in the resident's record. (c) Direct care staff using assistive devices while rendering personal services to residents must know how to operate and utilize the equipment. (d) All assistive devices must be clean, in good repair, and free of hazards. (e) The facility must encourage and allow the resident to function with independence when using the assistive device. This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, record review, and interview, the facility failed to ensure they had policies and procedures for residents' assistive devices. Findings included: Observation on at 8 AM revealed Resident #3 and #4 ambulating with assistance	A 034		

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

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A 034	Continued From page 1 from a rolling walker. Review of Resident #3's health assessment (AHCA Form 1823) completed on revealed physical limitations of needing a walker and wheelchair for long distances. Further review of Resident #3's record revealed no documentation of policies and procedures for assistive devices. Review of Resident #4's health assessment (AHCA Form 1823) completed revealed physical limitations of using a four wheeled walker. Further review of Resident #4's record revealed no documentation of policies and procedures for assistive devices. During an interview on _____ at 8:38 AM, the owner stated "We don't have the policy yet, I started doing it but we don't have it completed all the way." Class III	A 034			
A 080 SS=D	429.52() FS; 59A-36.011(1) FAC Training - Core & Competency Test 429.52 (2) Administrators and other assisted living facility staff must meet minimum training and education requirements established by the agency by rule. This training and education is intended to assist facilities to appropriately respond to the needs of residents, to maintain resident care and facility standards, and to meet licensure requirements. (3) The agency, in conjunction with providers, shall develop core training requirements for administrators consisting of core training learning objectives, a competency test, and a minimum	A 080			

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A 080	Continued From page 2 required score to indicate successful passage of the core competency test. The required core competency test must cover at least the following topics: (a) State law and rules relating to assisted living facilities. (b) Resident rights and identifying and reporting neglect, and (c) Special needs of elderly persons, persons with mental illness, and persons with _____ and how to meet those needs. (d) Nutrition and food service, including acceptable sanitation practices for preparing, storing, and serving food. (e) Medication management, recordkeeping, and proper techniques for assisting residents with self-administered medication. (f) Firesafety requirements, including fire evacuation drill procedures and other emergency procedures. (g) Care of persons with _____'s _____ and related _____. 59A-36.011 (1) ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY CORE TRAINING REQUIREMENTS AND COMPETENCY TEST: (a) The assisted living facility core training requirements established by the department pursuant to section 429.52, F.S., shall consist of a minimum of 26 hours of training plus a competency test. (b) Administrators and managers must successfully complete the assisted living facility core training requirements within 3 months from the date of becoming a facility administrator or manager. Successful completion of the core training requirements includes passing the competency test. The minimum passing score for	A 080		

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A 080	Continued From page 3 the competency test is 75%. Administrators who have attended core training prior to and managers who attended the core training program prior to , shall not be required to take the competency test. Administrators licensed as nursing home administrators in accordance with chapter 468, part II, F.S., are exempt from this requirement. (c) Administrators and managers shall participate in 12 hours of continuing education in topics related to assisted living every 2 years. (d) A newly hired administrator or manager who has successfully completed the assisted living facility core training and continuing education requirements, shall not be required to retake the core training. An administrator or manager who has successfully completed the core training but has not maintained the continuing education requirements will be considered a new administrator or manager for the purposes of the core training requirements and must: 1. Retake the assisted living facility core training; and, 2. Retake and pass the competency test. (e) The fees for the competency test shall not exceed \$200.00. The payment for the competency test fee shall be remitted to the entity administering the test. A new fee is due each time the test is taken. This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure that the appointed manager passed the required core competency test within 90 days after being employed. Findings included:	A 080			

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A 080	Continued From page 4 Record review revealed the administrator was hired on . Further review revealed the administrator completed the CORE Competency training on . Review of the administrator's personnel record revealed no documentation of successful completion of the CORE competency test. During and interview on at 8:33 AM the owner stated "She took the exam. I took everything out of the files and put it into storage. I keep everything at my other ALF; it must be over there." Class III	A 080			
A 084 SS=F	59A-36.011(6) FAC 429.52(6), FS Training - Assis Self-Admin Meds & Med Mgmt 59A-36.011 (6) ASSISTANCE WITH THE SELF-ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION AND MEDICATION MANAGEMENT. Unlicensed persons who will be providing assistance with the self-administration of medications as described in rule 59A-36.008, F.A.C., must meet the training requirements pursuant to section 429.52(6), F.S., prior to assuming this responsibility. Courses provided in fulfillment of this requirement must meet the following criteria: (a) Training must cover state law and rule requirements with respect to the supervision, assistance, administration, and management of medications in assisted living facilities; procedures and techniques for assisting the resident with self-administration of medication including how to read a prescription label; providing the right medications to the right	A 084			

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A 084	Continued From page 5 resident; common medications; the importance of taking medications as prescribed; recognition of side effects and adverse reactions and procedures to follow when residents appear to be experiencing side effects and adverse reactions; documentation and record keeping; and medication storage and disposal. Training shall include demonstrations of proper techniques, including techniques for _____ control, and ensure unlicensed staff have adequately demonstrated that they have acquired the skills necessary to provide such assistance. (b) The training must be provided by a registered nurse or licensed pharmacist who shall issue a training certificate to a trainee who demonstrates, in person and both physically and verbally, the ability to: 1. Read and understand a prescription label; 2. Provide assistance with self-administration in accordance with section 429.256, F.S., and rule 59A-36.008, F.A.C., including: a. Assist with oral dosage forms, _____ dosage forms, and _____ and _____ dosage forms; b. Measure liquid medications, break scored tablets, and crush tablets in accordance with prescription directions; c. Recognize the need to obtain clarification of an "as needed" prescription order; d. Recognize a medication order which requires judgment or discretion, and to advise the resident, resident's health care provider or facility employer of inability to assist in the administration of such orders; e. Complete a medication observation record; f. Retrieve and store medication; g. Recognize the general signs of adverse reactions to medications and report such reactions;	A 084		

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A 084	Continued From page 6 h. Assist residents with _____ syringes that are prefilled with the proper dosage by a pharmacist and _____ that are prefilled by the manufacturer by taking the medication, in its previously dispensed, properly labeled container, from where it is stored, and bringing it to the resident for self-injection; i. Assist with _____; j. Use a _____ to perform _____ testing; k. Assist residents with _____ and continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) devices, excluding the titration of the _____ levels; l. Apply and remove _____ stockings and hosiery; m. Placement and removal of _____, bags, excluding the removal of the _____ or manipulation of the _____ site; and, n. Measurement of _____, rate, temperature, and _____ rate. (c) Unlicensed persons, as defined in section 429.256(1)(b), F.S., who provide assistance with self-administered medications and have successfully completed the initial 6 hour training, must obtain, annually, a minimum of 2 hours of continuing education training on providing assistance with self-administered medications and safe medication practices in an assisted living facility. The 2 hours of continuing education training may be provided online. (d) Trained unlicensed staff who, prior to the effective date of this rule, assist with the self-administration of medication and have successfully completed 4 hours of assistance with self-administration of medication training must complete an additional 2 hours of training that focuses on the topics listed in sub-subparagraphs (6)(b)2.h.-n. of this section,	A 084		

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A 084	Continued From page 7 before assisting with the self-administration of medication procedures listed in sub-subparagraphs (6)(b)2.h.-n. 429.52 (6) Staff assisting with the self-administration of medications under s. 429.256 must complete a minimum of 6 additional hours of training provided by a registered nurse or a licensed pharmacist before providing assistance. Two hours of continuing education are required annually thereafter. The agency shall establish by rule the minimum requirements of this training This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure that one out of four sampled staff (Staff B) who assisted with self-administration of medication completed a minimum of 6 hours of training before providing assistance. Findings included: Observation on _____ at 7:15AM revealed Staff B assisting Resident #1 with self administration of medication. Review of Staff B's record revealed she was hired on _____. There was no documentation of completion of 6 hours of training for assisting with self administration of medication. During an interview on _____ at 8:34AM, the owner stated "She also works at my other ALF. I dont have her training here, but it is probably at the other ALF." Class III	A 084		

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