

Agency for Health Care Administration

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A 000	Initial Comments A Standard State Re- licensure Survey was conducted in your Assisted Living Facility on _____ Advance Alf Corp, had deficiencies found at the time of the survey.	A 000			
A 052 SS=D	58A-5.0185(3) FAC Medication - Assistance with Self-Admin (3) ASSISTANCE WITH SELF-ADMINISTRATION. (a) For facilities which provide assistance with self-administered medication, either: a nurse; or an unlicensed staff member, who is at least _____ trained to assist with self-administered medication in accordance with Rule 58A-5.0191, F.A.C., and able to demonstrate to the administrator the ability to accurately read and interpret a prescription label, must be available to assist residents with self-administered medications in accordance with procedures described in Section 429.256, F.S. (b) Assistance with self-administration of medication includes verbally prompting a resident to take medications as prescribed, retrieving and opening a properly labeled medication container, and providing assistance as specified in Section 429.256(3), F.S. In order to facilitate assistance with self-administration, staff may prepare and make available such items as water, juice, cups, and spoons. Staff may also return unused doses to the medication container. Medication, which appears to have been contaminated, shall not be returned to the container. (c) Staff shall observe the resident take the medication. Any concerns about the resident ' s reaction to the medication shall be reported to the resident ' s health care provider and documented in the resident ' s record. (d) When a resident who receives assistance with	A 052			

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A 052	Continued From page 1 medication is away from the facility and from facility staff, the following options are available to enable the resident to take medication as prescribed: 1. The health care provider may prescribe a medication schedule which coincides with the resident ' s presence in the facility; 2. The medication container may be given to the resident or a friend or family member upon leaving the facility, with this fact noted in the resident ' s medication record; 3. The medication may be transferred to a pill organizer pursuant to the requirements of subsection (2), and given to the resident, a friend, or family member upon leaving the facility, with this fact noted in the resident ' s medication record; or 4. Medications may be separately prescribed and dispensed in an easier to use form, such as unit dose packaging; (e) Pursuant to Section 429.256(4)(h), F.S., the term " competent resident " means that the resident is cognizant of when a medication is required and understands the purpose for taking the medication. (f) Pursuant to Section 429.256(4)(i), F.S., the terms " judgment " and " discretion " mean interpreting vital signs and evaluating or assessing a resident ' s condition. (4) Assistance with self-administration does not include: (a) Mixing, _____, converting, or _____ medication doses, except for measuring a prescribed amount of liquid medication or breaking a scored tablet or crushing a tablet as prescribed. (b) The preparation of syringes for injection or the administration of medications by any injectable route. (c) Administration of medications through	A 052			

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A 052	Continued From page 2 intermittent positive pressure breathing machines or a _____ (d) Administration of medications by way of a tube inserted in a cavity of the body. (e) Administration of _____ preparations. (f) Irrigations or debriding agents used in the treatment of a skin condition. (g) _____ or _____ preparations. (h) Medications ordered by the physician or health care professional with prescriptive authority to be given "as needed," unless the order is written with specific parameters that preclude independent judgment on the part of the unlicensed person, and at the request of a competent resident. (i) Medications for which the time of administration, the amount, the strength of dosage, the method of administration, or the reason for administration requires judgment or discretion on the part of the unlicensed person. This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation and interview facility's staff (#2) failed to follow appropriate procedure when she assisted resident #1 with herself administration of her medications. Findings include: Observation on _____ at 8:38 a.m. Revealed that staff #2, washed her hands, placed gloves, placed medications belonged to resident #1 on top of the table. In the presence of the resident she transferred all 8 a.m. medications from _____ to a plastic cup and gave them to the resident. She observed resident #1 taking her medications and marked the Medication Observation Record. Staff #2 did not verbally prompt resident #1 to take medications as directed.	A 052			

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A 052	Continued From page 3 Owner acknowledged the findings on at 2:00 pm Class III	A 052		
A 055 SS=D	58A-5.0185(6) FAC Medication - Storage and Disposal (6) MEDICATION STORAGE AND DISPOSAL. (a) In order to accommodate the needs and preferences of residents and to encourage residents to remain as independent as possible, residents may keep their medications, both prescription and over-the-counter, in their possession both on or off the facility premises; or in their or apartments, which must be kept locked when residents are absent, unless the medication is in a secure place within the or apartments or in some other secure place which is out of sight of other residents. However, both prescription and over-the-counter medications for residents shall be centrally stored if: 1. The facility administers the medication; 2. The resident requests central storage. The facility shall maintain a list of all medications being stored pursuant to such a request; 3. The medication is determined and documented by the health care provider to be hazardous if kept in the personal possession of the person for whom it is prescribed; 4. The resident fails to maintain the medication in a safe manner as described in this paragraph; 5. The facility determines that because of physical arrangements and the conditions or habits of residents, the personal possession of medication by a resident poses a safety hazard to other residents; or 6. The facility's rules and regulations require	A 055		

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A 055	Continued From page 4 central storage of medication and that policy has been provided to the resident prior to admission as required under Rule 58A-5.0181, F.A.C. (b) Centrally stored medications must be: 1. Kept in a locked cabinet, locked cart, or other locked storage receptacle, or area at all times; 2. Located in an area free of dampness and abnormal temperature, except that a medication requiring refrigeration shall be refrigerated. Refrigerated medications shall be secured by being kept in a locked container within the refrigerator, by keeping the refrigerator locked, or by keeping the area in which refrigerator is located locked; 3. Accessible to staff responsible for filling pill-organizers, assisting with self-administration, or administering medication. Such staff must have ready access to keys to the medication storage areas at all times; and 4. Kept separately from the medications of other residents and properly closed or sealed. (c) Medication which has been discontinued but which has not expired shall be returned to the resident or the resident's representative, as appropriate, or may be centrally stored by the facility for future resident use by the resident at the resident's request. If centrally stored by the facility, it shall be stored separately from medication in current use, and the area in which it is stored shall be marked "discontinued medication." Such medication may be reused if re-prescribed by the resident's health care provider. (d) When a resident's stay in the facility has ended, the administrator shall return all medications to the resident, the resident's family, or the resident's guardian unless otherwise prohibited by law. If, after notification and waiting at least 15 days, the resident's	A 055			

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A 055	Continued From page 5 medications are still at the facility, the medications shall be considered abandoned and may disposed of in accordance with paragraph (e). (e) Medications which have been abandoned or which have expired must be disposed of within 30 days of being determined abandoned or expired and disposition shall be documented in the resident ' s record. The medication may be taken to a pharmacist for disposal or may be destroyed by the administrator or designee with one witness. (f) Facilities that hold a Special-ALF permit issued by the Board of Pharmacy may return dispensed medicinal drugs to the dispensing pharmacy pursuant to Rule 64B16-28.870, F.A.C. This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation and interview facility failed to have medications locked at all times. Findings include: Observation on at 7:50 a.m. revealed that medication cabinet that all medications were kept was unlocked. Owner acknowledged the findings on at 2:00 pm Class III	A 055			



RICK SCOTT
GOVERNOR

ELIZABETH DUDEK
SECRETARY

2013

Administrator
Advance Alf Corp
14335 Sw 288 Street
Homestead, FL 33033

Dear Administrator:

This letter reports the findings of a state licensure survey that was conducted on 2013 by representative(s) of this office.

Attached is the provider's copy of the State (3020) Form, which indicates the deficiencies that were identified on the day of the visit. Section 408.811(4), Florida Statutes, requires that you correct these deficiencies within thirty days of the date of this letter unless the Agency has approved another timeframe.

Staff from this office will conduct a review after 5/14/2013 to verify that the necessary corrections are in place to correct the deficiencies identified on your survey.

The Quality Assurance Questionnaire has long been employed to obtain your feedback following survey activity. This form has been placed on the Agency's website at <http://ahca.myflorida.com/Publications/Forms.shtml> as a first step in providing a web-based interactive consumer satisfaction survey system. You may access the questionnaire through the link under Health Facilities and Providers on this page. Your feedback is encouraged and valued, as our goal is to ensure the professional and consistent application of the survey process.

Thank you for the assistance provided to the surveyor(s). Should you have any questions please call Kristal Branton, Health Facility Evaluator Supervisor at (305) 593-3100.

Sincerely,

 Arlene Mayo-Davis
Field Office Manager

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