

**AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE
ADMINISTRATION**

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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: AL11910197	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 01/03/2018
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER CURLEW CARE	STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2730 CURLEW ROAD CLEARWATER, FL 34621	

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES
(FINDINGS PRECEDED BY TAGS AND REGULATORY IDENTIFYING INFORMATION)

Z814 - Background Screening Clearinghouse - 435.12(2)(b-d), FS

Based on observation, record review, and interview, the facility failed to maintain the employment status of all employees within the Background Screening Clearinghouse, including initial employment status and any changes in status within 10 business days, for 4 of 7 employees providing direct resident care services for a current census of 19 in-house residents. The facility failed to ensure that 3 of 3 employees with a break in service of more than 90 days from a position that requires screening by a specified agency have submitted to screening when returning to a position that requires screening.

Findings included:

Per observation at the facility on _____ beginning at 3:50am, Staff A was the only employee working at the facility at the time. Per interview with Staff A, Staff A stated she started about 4 weeks ago and is the "only person on here 11pm-7am." Per _____ review of the facility's Employee Roster on the AHCA Background Screening site, Staff A was not listed. Per _____ review, Staff A was added to the roster on _____, with a start date of _____.

On _____, the Administrator provided the following employee start dates: Staff A _____; Staff _____; Staff C _____; Staff D _____; Staff E _____; Staff F _____. Per _____ review of the facility's Employee Roster on the AHCA Background Screening site, Staff D was hired _____ and added to the roster _____; Staff E was hired _____ and added to the roster _____; Staff F was hired on _____ --not on roster as of _____, _____, & _____ reviews; Staff G was hired on _____ and added to the roster _____.

Final review of facility Employees on the AHCA Background Screening site on _____ and information provided by the Administrator on _____ revealed the following:

Staff A was hired on _____, deemed eligible for employment _____; per the Administrator, Staff A retired from previous employment _____ and began work at current facility _____. Staff A was not rescreened after a break in service of more than 90 days.

Staff B was hired on _____, deemed eligible for employment _____; per employment information on job application, Staff B's last employment requiring screening ended _____ 2016. Staff B was not rescreened after a break in service of more than 90 days.

Staff C was hired on _____, deemed eligible for employment _____; per the Administrator, Staff C's

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last employment requiring screening was "the last place she worked sometime in 2014." Staff C was not rescreened after a break in service of more than 90 days. Staff F was hired on -- per & reviews, Staff F was deemed Not Eligible for employment Unclassed Z815 - Background Screening; Prohibited Offenses - 408.809; 435.02(2); 435.06 FS Based on observation, record review and interview, the facility failed to ensure that Level 2 background screening pursuant to chapter 435 has deemed eligible for employment all employees (1 of 7 reviewed) providing personal care or services directly to residents or having access to client funds, personal property, or living areas (in facility with 19 residents). Failure to ensure residents receive care and services safely, securely, and from persons who have not committed offenses that preclude them from employment directly placed the residents at risk for exposure to persons whom the Florida Legislature has deemed inappropriate to provide care or services. Findings included: AHCA Surveyor conducted a complaint investigation at the facility on beginning at 3:50am. Per observation, Staff F was listed on the staff schedule dated - as working 11pm-7am for a total of 80 hours during the 2-week period. Surveyor also observed Staff F listed on "Staff Contact Numbers" posted on a bulletin board and Staff F's signature on "Paycheck Sign-out" sheets dated back to (photographic evidence obtained). In response to Surveyor request for sampled employee start dates, Surveyor received email from the Administrator on stating that Staff F is still employed by the facility and Staff F's employment start date was . Per review of the facility's Employee Roster on the AHCA Background Screening site on , & , Staff F was not listed as an employee of the facility and had been deemed Not Eligible for employment per screening. Unclassed		

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0000 - Initial Comments Assisted Living Facility An unannounced complaint investigation, (CCR# 2017011768), was conducted at Curlew Care of Clearwater from At the time of the investigation, Curlew Care of Clearwater, Assisted Living Facility, (License # 5908), had deficiencies.		