

Agency for Health Care Administration

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A 000	Initial Comments An Abbreviated Licensure survey was conducted at El Pinar Assisted Living Facility, Inc on . There were deficiencies at the time of the visit.	A 000		
A 084 SS=D	58A-5.0191(6) FAC 429.52 (6), FS Training - Assis Self-Admin Meds & Med Mgmt 58A-5.0191 (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 58A-5.0185, 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 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.	A 084		

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A 084	Continued From page 1 (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 58A-5.0185, 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; 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)	A 084		

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A 084	Continued From page 2 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, before assisting with the self-administration of medication procedures listed in sub-subparagraphs (6)(b)2.h.-n. 429.52 (6), FS (6) Staff involved with the management of medications and 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, licensed pharmacist, or department staff. The department shall establish	A 084		

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A 084	Continued From page 3 by rule the minimum requirements of this additional training. This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observations, interviews and record review, the assisted living facility (ALF) failed to ensure unlicensed staff members who assist residents with self-administration of medications received the required training for 1 of 1 sample Staff (A). The findings included: Staff A was hired at the ALF on Her job duties include providing residents with assistance with self-administration of medications. She was observed doing so on at 8:58 AM and 12:12 PM with Residents 1 and 2, respectively. Review of her employment records conducted on at 10:59 AM, with the Administrator present, revealed no documentation showing she received the required two hours of training related to the updates to the tasks which can be undertaken by unlicensed staff when assisting residents with self-administration of medications. This concern was discussed with and acknowledged by the Administrator at the time of record review. Class III	A 084			

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CZ816 SS=C	408.809(2)(a-c); 59A-35.090(2)(d)-(3) Background Screening-Compliance Attestation 408.809 (2) Every 5 years following his or her licensure, employment, or entry into a contract in a capacity that under subsection (1) would require level 2 background screening under chapter 435, each such person must submit to level 2 background rescreening as a condition of retaining such license or continuing in such employment or contractual status. For any such rescreening, the agency shall request the Department of Law Enforcement to forward the person's _____ to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history record check unless the person's _____ are enrolled in the Federal Bureau of Investigation's national retained print notification program. If the _____ of such a person are not retained by the Department of Law Enforcement under s. 943.05(2)(g) and (h), the person must submit _____ electronically to the Department of Law Enforcement for state processing, and the Department of Law Enforcement shall forward the _____ to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history record check. The _____ shall be retained by the Department of Law Enforcement under s. 943.05(2)(g) and (h) and enrolled in the national retained print notification program when the Department of Law Enforcement begins participation in the program. The cost of the state and national criminal history records checks required by level 2 screening may be borne by the licensee or the person _____. Until a specified agency is fully implemented in the clearinghouse created under s. 435.12, the agency may accept as satisfying the requirements of this section proof of compliance with level 2 screening standards submitted within _____	CZ816		

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CZ816	Continued From page 1 the previous 5 years to meet any provider or professional licensure requirements of the agency, the Department of Health, the Department of Elderly Affairs, the Agency for Persons with _____, the Department of Children and Families, or the Department of Financial Services for an applicant for a certificate of authority or provisional certificate of authority to operate a continuing care retirement community under chapter 651, provided that: (a) The screening standards and disqualifying offenses for the prior screening are equivalent to those specified in s. 435.04 and this section; (b) The person subject to screening has not had a break in service from a position that requires level 2 screening for more than 90 days; and (c) Such proof is accompanied, under penalty of perjury, by an attestation of compliance with chapter 435 and this section using forms provided by the agency. 59A-35.090(2) Processing Screening Requests, Required Documents and Fees. (d) An Attestation of Compliance with Background Screening Requirements, AHCA Form 3100-0008, _____, herein incorporated by reference, available at http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-09106, and available from the Agency for Health Care Administration at: http://ahca.myflorida.com/MCHQ/Central_Service/s/Background_Screening/Regulations_Forms.shtml. This form must be completed by the individual and retained by the provider upon hire to attest that they meet the requirements for qualifying for employment, they have not been unemployed for more than 90 days from a position that requires Level 2 screening, and they agree to inform the employer immediately if _____ for any	CZ816		

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CZ816	Continued From page 2 disqualifying offense. (e) An administrator or chief financial officer must be screened and qualified prior to to the position. (3) Results of Screening and Notification. (a) Final results of background screening requests will be provided through the Agency's secure website that may be accessed by all health care providers applying for or actively licensed through the Agency that are registered with the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse. The secure website is located at: apps.ahca.myflorida.com/SingleSignOnPortal. (b) If a Level 2 criminal history is incomplete, a certified letter will be sent to the individual being screened requesting the report and court disposition information. If the letter is returned unclaimed, a copy of the letter will be sent by regular mail. Pursuant to section 435.05(1)(d), F.S., the missing information must be filed with the Agency within 30 days of the Agency's request or the individual is subject to disqualification in accordance with section 435.06(3), F.S. (c) The eligibility results of employee screening and the signed Attestation referenced in subsection 59A-35.090(2), F.A.C., must be in the employee's personnel file, maintained by the provider. This Statute or Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observations, interviews and record review, the assisted living facility (ALF) failed to ensure staff members reviewed and executed required attestations related to background screening for 1 of 1 sampled Staff (A). The findings included:	CZ816		

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CZ816	Continued From page 3 Staff A was hired at the ALF on . Her job duties include providing direct care to residents. She was observed doing so throughout the survey conducted on . Review of her employment records conducted on at 10:59 AM, with the Administrator present, revealed no documentation showing she had completed and signed AHCA Form 3110-0008 Attestation of Compliance with Background Screening Requirements. This was discussed with and acknowledged by the Administrator at the time of record review. Unclassified	CZ816		