

DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTIONS AND APPEALS

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: S0404	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING: _____		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 09/16/2025
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER INDEPENDENCE VILLAGE OF PELLA AL		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2604 FIFIELD ROAD PELLA, IA 50219		See attached POC 11/5/25	
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A 000	Initial Comments Assisted Living Programs are defined by the type of population served. The census numbers were provided by the Program at the time of the on-site visit. Tenants without cognitive impairment: 32 Tenants with cognitive impairment: 5 Total census: 37 The following regulatory insufficiencies were cited during the recertification visit conducted to determine compliance with certification rules for an Assisted Living Program.	A 000	A 140 - Insufficiency- The Program's process has been to utilize the 30-Day Move-In Care Review evaluation tool to acknowledge review of service plan and care needs and whether there have been any changes; with any significant change triggering full health/functional and cognitive evaluation tools. Prevent Recurrence (A140): The 30-Day Move-In Care Review evaluation tool has been retired by the Program. The Move-In Care Review tool has been replaced by the full standard health/functional evaluation tool and cognitive evaluation tool as utilized for all other initial, significant change, and routine tenant evaluations by the Program.		11/05/25
A 140	481-69.22(2) Evaluation of Tenant 69.22(2) Evaluation within 30 days of occupancy. A program shall evaluate each tenant's functional, cognitive and health status within 30 days of occupancy. The evaluation shall be conducted by a health care professional, a human service professional, or a licensed practical nurse via nurse delegation when the tenant has not exhibited a significant change. This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review the Program failed to complete functional, cognitive and health assessments within 30 days of occupancy for 2 of 2 tenants reviewed who moved to the program within the prior six months (Tenant #2 and Tenant #3). Findings follow: 1. Record review on 9/16/25 revealed Tenant #2's occupancy dated 5/07/25. Her initial evaluations of cognitive, functional and health status were dated 4/30/25. Assessments completed within 30	A 140	Achieve Compliance (A140): A140 - All tenants whose 30-day evaluations were acknowledged with the Move-In Care Review and service plan review as 'no changes' and have not yet had subsequent cognitive and health/functional evaluations completed will be re-evaluated by the Program by 11/30/25 Timeline: (A140) Retirement of insufficient evaluation tool effective immediately Re-evaluation of tenants to achieve compliance by 11/30/2025 Monitor (A140): Quarterly excellence audits by the Program including review of tenant evaluations <i>RK RN 11/14/2025</i> <i>Rebeca Knapp RN</i> <i>Wellness Director</i>		11/30/25

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A 140	Continued From page 1 days of occupancy could not be located in her record. Change of condition assessments were completed on 6/24/25. During interview on 9/16/25 at 3:40 p.m., the Registered Nurse (RN) confirmed the Program failed to complete cognitive, functional and health evaluations within 30 days of occupancy for Tenant #2. The RN provided a document entitled, "Move-in Care Review" dated 6/02/25, which indicated no changes since the tenant moved in. The one page document failed to assess Tenant #2's needs/status. The RN noted the Program completed new assessments on 6/24/25 after Tenant #2 was diagnosed with cancer. 2. Record review on 9/11/25 revealed Tenant #3's occupancy dated 6/02/25. Her initial evaluations were completed on 5/15/25. The initial assessments indicated Tenant #3 could move about the building without reminders or assistance. Her Global Deterioration Scale score was five, the score indicated moderately severe dementia. Tenant #3's assessments completed within 30 days of occupancy could not be located in her record. A nursing progress note dated 6/27/25, included documentation from a recent visit with the primary care provider (PCP). According to the PCP notes, Tenant #3's spouse reported she wandered during the day as the spouse rested. Staff reported finding Tenant #3 lost (inside the building) and needed redirection to get back to her apartment. On 9/11/24 at approximately 8:30 a.m., Staff A accompanied Tenant #3 from the dining room to her apartment on the third floor before getting Tenant #3's medication from another floor. Tenant	A 140			

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A 140	Continued From page 2 #3 appeared to be confused as Staff A accompanied her to her room. During interview on 9/11/25 at 3:20 p.m., Staff B indicated Tenant #3 was generally dependent on her husband to navigate the building. Staff B said Tenant #3 sometimes left her apartment when her husband napped in the afternoon. Staff B found Tenant #3 wandering in the third floor hallway when she didn't know where her apartment was. During interview on 9/11/25 at 3:30 p.m., the RN confirmed the Program failed to complete cognitive, functional and health evaluations within 30 days of occupancy for Tenant #3. The RN provided a document entitled, "Move-in Care Review" dated 7/08/25, which indicated there were no changes since the tenant moved in. The one page document failed to assess Tenant #3's needs/status. The RN indicated no additional assessments were completed for Tenant #3 until her quarterly assessments dated 9/01/25.	A 140			