

Mississippi State Department of Health

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTIONS		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:		(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING B. WING		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 11/13/2025	
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER DRIFTWOOD NURSING CENTER				STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 1500 BROAD AVENUE , GULFPORT, Mississippi, 39501			
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M0000	Initial Comments		M0000				
M1190	The State Agency (SA) conducted an annual re-licensure survey at the facility from 11/11/25 to 11/13/25. During the survey, the SA determined the facility was not in compliance with the Minimum Standards for Institutions for the Aged or Infirm, state licensure requirement and cited M1190. 45.40.3 Temperature Temperature. Adequate heating and cooling shall be provided in all rooms used by residents so that a minimum temperature of seventy-five (75) to eighty (80) degrees Fahrenheit may be maintained. This LICENSURE REQUIREMENT is NOT MET as evidenced by: Based on observation, interviews, record review, and facility policy review, the facility failed to maintain a comfortable environment by allowing room temperatures to fall below minimum regulatory guidelines during a period of extreme cold weather as evidenced by low room-temperature readings and resident requests for additional blankets for six (6) of 30 resident rooms on Unit 1. (Rooms 107-112) Findings include: A review of the facility's policy, "Resident Environmental Quality" (revised 2/1/2024) revealed "...General Guidelines...Resident rooms and activity areas should be of a comfortable temperature for the resident, not the staff. Resident behavior should be observed (wearing sweaters, wrapping in blankets, etc.) to determine the appropriate temperature levels. A record review of www.timeanddate.com website revealed the local outside temperature on 11/11/25 at 12:53 PM was 52 degrees. A record of the facility's floor plan and "Thermostat Room Grid" revealed the thermostat in Room 110 covers Rooms 109–118, 120, and 122, and the thermostat in Room 108 covers Rooms 107–109.		M1190				

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LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE
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M1190	Continued from page 1 On 11/11/25 at 12:50 PM, during an interview and observation, Unsampled Resident A, (Room 109) room was cold. The resident stated that her room was cold, and she had asked staff for another blanket while in bed. On 11/11/25 at 1:04 PM, in an observation and interview, Room 110 felt cold. The thermostat reading was at 67°F (Fahrenheit). Resident #6 stated that her room was cold and was observed wearing a jacket, gown, and slippers. On 11/11/25 at 1:10 PM, during an observation, Rooms 108 and 110 were cold and the thermostat readings in Room 108 was 69°F and in Room 110 it was 67°F . On 11/11/25 at 2:56 PM, during a joint observation and interview with the Administrator, the thermostats in Rooms 110 and 108 were set at 74°F but the actual temperature displayed was 68°F. The thermostat was enclosed in a locked case, preventing residents from adjusting the temperature. The Administrator confirmed that Resident #6 could not adjust the temperature and stated that maintenance staff were responsible for monitoring room temperatures. She further explained that the Maintenance Director position was vacant, with a hospital worker temporarily assisting. While in Room 110, the Administrator asked Resident #6 if she felt cold, and the resident confirmed she was cold and used extra blankets at night. On 11/12/25 at 2:40 PM, in an interview with Resident #5 in Room 112, she stated that her room was cold on Monday night (11/10/25) and Tuesday morning (11/11/25). She reported requesting additional blankets and asking staff to check whether the window was fully closed. On 11/12/25 at 2:44 PM, in an interview, Unsampled Resident B (Room 111) stated that the room was cold on Tuesday morning but warmed up later in the day. On 11/12/25 at 2:50 PM, in an interview, Unsampled Resident C (Room 107) stated that she asked for three (3) blankets to stay warm on Tuesday (11/11/25). On 11/13/25 at 9:57 AM, in an interview, Certified Nursing Aide (CNA #1) reported that several residents complained of being cold on Tuesday (11/11/25) and requested blankets. CNA #1 stated she provided blankets and assisted residents in getting out of bed to help them warm up. On 11/13/25 at 10:35 AM, in an interview, the Administrator stated that her expectation was for staff			M1190			

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M1190	Continued from page 2 to ensure that room temperatures remain at a comfortable temperature and acknowledged that the temperatures observed were below the minimum standard of 75°F.		M1190				