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F0000	INITIAL COMMENTS The State Agency (SA) conducted an annual recertification survey at the facility from 11/17/25 through 11/20/25. During the survey, the SA determined the facility was not in compliance with the requirements of participation in Medicare and Medicaid and cited F628. The facility had a census of 54 and was licensed for 60 beds.	F0000		
F0628 SS = D	Discharge Process CFR(s): 483.15(c)(2)(iii)(3)-(6)(8)(d)(1)(2); 483.21(c)(2) §483.15(c)(2) Documentation. When the facility transfers or discharges a resident under any of the circumstances specified in paragraphs (c)(1)(i)(A) through (F) of this section, the facility must ensure that the transfer or discharge is documented in the resident's medical record and appropriate information is communicated to the receiving health care institution or provider. (iii) Information provided to the receiving provider must include a minimum of the following: (A) Contact information of the practitioner responsible for the care of the resident. (B) Resident representative information including contact information (C) Advance Directive information (D) All special instructions or precautions for ongoing care, as appropriate. (E) Comprehensive care plan goals; (F) All other necessary information, including a copy of the resident's discharge summary, consistent with §483.21(c)(2) as applicable, and any other documentation, as applicable, to ensure a safe and	F0628		

Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined that other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (See reverse for further instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable 90 days following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosable 14 days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE

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F0628 SS = D	Continued from page 1 effective transition of care. §483.15(c)(3) Notice before transfer. Before a facility transfers or discharges a resident, the facility must- (i) Notify the resident and the resident's representative(s) of the transfer or discharge and the reasons for the move in writing and in a language and manner they understand. The facility must send a copy of the notice to a representative of the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman. (ii) Record the reasons for the transfer or discharge in the resident's medical record in accordance with paragraph (c)(2) of this section; and (iii) Include in the notice the items described in paragraph (c)(5) of this section. §483.15(c)(4) Timing of the notice. (i) Except as specified in paragraphs (c)(4)(ii) and (c)(8) of this section, the notice of transfer or discharge required under this section must be made by the facility at least 30 days before the resident is transferred or discharged. (ii) Notice must be made as soon as practicable before transfer or discharge when- (A) The safety of individuals in the facility would be endangered under paragraph (c)(1)(i)(C) of this section; (B) The health of individuals in the facility would be endangered, under paragraph (c)(1)(i)(D) of this section; (C) The resident's health improves sufficiently to allow a more immediate transfer or discharge, under paragraph (c)(1)(i)(B) of this section; (D) An immediate transfer or discharge is required by the resident's urgent medical needs, under paragraph (c)(1)(i)(A) of this section; or (E) A resident has not resided in the facility for 30 days.	F0628		

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F0628 SS = D	Continued from page 2 §483.15(c)(5) Contents of the notice. The written notice specified in paragraph (c)(3) of this section must include the following: (i) The reason for transfer or discharge; (ii) The effective date of transfer or discharge; (iii) The location to which the resident is transferred or discharged; (iv) A statement of the resident's appeal rights, including the name, address (mailing and email), and telephone number of the entity which receives such requests; and information on how to obtain an appeal form and assistance in completing the form and submitting the appeal hearing request; (v) The name, address (mailing and email) and telephone number of the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman; (vi) For nursing facility residents with intellectual and developmental disabilities or related disabilities, the mailing and email address and telephone number of the agency responsible for the protection and advocacy of individuals with developmental disabilities established under Part C of the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-402, codified at 42 U.S.C. 15001 et seq.); and (vii) For nursing facility residents with a mental disorder or related disabilities, the mailing and email address and telephone number of the agency responsible for the protection and advocacy of individuals with a mental disorder established under the Protection and Advocacy for Mentally Ill Individuals Act. §483.15(c)(6) Changes to the notice. If the information in the notice changes prior to effecting the transfer or discharge, the facility must update the recipients of the notice as soon as practicable once the updated information becomes available. §483.15(c)(8) Notice in advance of facility closure In the case of facility closure, the individual who is the administrator of the facility must provide written	F0628		

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F0628 SS = D	Continued from page 3 notification prior to the impending closure to the State Survey Agency, the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman, residents of the facility, and the resident representatives, as well as the plan for the transfer and adequate relocation of the residents, as required at § 483.70(l). §483.15(d) Notice of bed-hold policy and return- §483.15(d)(1) Notice before transfer. Before a nursing facility transfers a resident to a hospital or the resident goes on therapeutic leave, the nursing facility must provide written information to the resident or resident representative that specifies- (i) The duration of the state bed-hold policy, if any, during which the resident is permitted to return and resume residence in the nursing facility; (ii) The reserve bed payment policy in the state plan, under § 447.40 of this chapter, if any; (iii) The nursing facility's policies regarding bed-hold periods, which must be consistent with paragraph (e)(1) of this section, permitting a resident to return; and (iv) The information specified in paragraph (e)(1) of this section. §483.15(d)(2) Bed-hold notice upon transfer. At the time of transfer of a resident for hospitalization or therapeutic leave, a nursing facility must provide to the resident and the resident representative written notice which specifies the duration of the bed-hold policy described in paragraph (d)(1) of this section. §483.21(c)(2) Discharge Summary When the facility anticipates discharge, a resident must have a discharge summary that includes, but is not limited to, the following: (i) A recapitulation of the resident's stay that includes, but is not limited to, diagnoses, course of illness/treatment or therapy, and pertinent lab, radiology, and consultation results. (ii) A final summary of the resident's status to include items in paragraph (b)(1) of §483.20, at the	F0628		

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F0628 SS = D	Continued from page 4 time of the discharge that is available for release to authorized persons and agencies, with the consent of the resident or resident's representative. (iii) Reconciliation of all pre-discharge medications with the resident's post-discharge medications (both prescribed and over-the-counter). This REQUIREMENT is NOT MET as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview and record review, the facility failed to provide required written notice of its bed hold policy and transfer/discharge notification for a resident who was transferred to an acute care hospital two (2) times for one (1) of one resident reviewed for hospitalizations. Resident #36 Findings include: A record review of the facility's policy, "Transfer and Discharge", revised 10/01/22 revealed "... It is the policy of this facility to permit each resident to remain in the facility, and not initiate transfer or discharge for the resident from the facility, except in limited circumstances... Definitions…'Transfer and discharge' includes movement of a resident to a bed outside of the certified facility whether that bed is in the same physical place or not... Policy Explanation and Compliance Guidelines: ... 4. The facility's transfer/discharge notice will be provided to the resident and the resident's representative in a language and manner in which they can understand. The notice will include all of the following at the time it is provided: a. The specific reason and basis for transfer or discharge. b. The effective date of transfer or discharge. c. The specific location ...to which the resident is to be transferred or discharged ..." A record review of the "Admission Record" revealed the facility admitted Resident #36 originally on 10/15/25 with a re-admission on 11/11/25. He had diagnoses including Hemiplegia And Hemiparesis Following Cerebral Infarction. A record review of the Discharge Minimum Data Set (MDS) with an Assessment Reference Date (ARD) of 10/17/25 revealed Resident #36 was discharged to an acute hospital with return anticipated. A review of Section C Staff Assessment for Mental Status revealed Resident #36 had memory problems and moderately impaired cognitive skills for daily decision making. A record review of the Discharge MDS with an ARD of	F0628		

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F0628 SS = D	Continued from page 5 11/01/25 revealed Resident #36 was discharged to acute hospital with return not anticipated. On 11/19/2025 at 11:33 AM, during an interview with Administrator Assistant, she reported she is the staff member responsible for mailing out hospital transfer and bed hold notifications. She explained for Resident #36 she did not mail a notification to his Resident Representative (RR) because he was discharged each time he was transferred to the hospital. She further explained that Resident #36's RR opted to not pay for bed hold when he was admitted, and confirmed the RR was not provided written notification upon each transfer that occurred on 10/17/25 and 11/1/25. The Administrator Assistant stated she was not aware that if the resident was discharged and chose not to pay bed hold upon admission, that she should provide written notification with each transfer or discharge. On 11/19/2025 at 4:00 PM, during an interview with the Business Office Manager, she confirmed that the Assistant Administrator did not mail or provide written notification regarding resident transfer and bed hold information for Resident #36 for 10/17/25 and 11/1/25. She was not aware that if a resident was discharged, the facility must provide written notification regarding the resident transfer and bed hold information. On 11/19/2025 at 04:25 PM, during a phone interview with Resident #36's RR, she confirmed that she signed on admission for Resident to not have a bed hold due to not having a payment source. She confirmed that she never received written notification regarding the transfers or bed hold information when the resident was transferred to an acute hospital on 10/17/25 and 11/1/25. On 11/20/2025 at 2:18 PM, during an interview with the Administrator, she reported she had been informed that the facility failed to provide written notification of resident transfer/discharge for Resident #36 on 10/17/25 and 11/1/25. She stated she expected written notification to be provided to the resident and/or the RR at each transfer and discharge.	F0628		