

Division of Public and Behavioral Health

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 9685	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING _____ B. WING _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 02/16/2022
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER VN SENIOR CARE FACILITY INC		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2621 HOMESTEAD RD, PAHRUMP, NEVADA ,89048		
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	Initial Comments Inspector Comments: This Statement of Deficiencies was generated as a result of a State Licensure annual survey conducted at your facility on 02/16/22, in accordance with Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 449, Residential Facility for Groups. The facility is licensed for ten Residential Facility for Group beds for elderly and disabled persons and/or persons with Alzheimer's disease, Category 2 residents. The census at the time of the survey was three. Three resident files and three employee files were reviewed. The facility received a grade of A. The facility was provided guidance on the requirements of NRS 449.101 - Discrimination prohibited; development of antidiscrimination policy; posting of nondiscrimination statement and certain other information, NRS 449.102 - Duties of licensed facility to protect privacy of patient or resident, and LCB File No. R016-20 - Cultural competency training; complaint policy; development of gender identity/expression policy; designated person responsible for compliance with these regulations. Failure to comply with NRS 449.101, NRS 449.102 and LCB File No. R016-20 may result in future deficiencies. The findings and conclusions of any investigation by the Division of Public and Behavioral Health shall not be construed as prohibiting any criminal or civil investigations, actions or other claims for relief that may be available to any party under applicable federal, state, or local laws. The following regulatory deficiencies were identified:			

If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction must be returned within 10 days after receipt of this statement of deficiencies.

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER Name: RODNEY LITTLE Title: Director Date: 03/07/2022
REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE

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0174 SS= F	Health& Sanitation-odors-hazards-insects-dirt - NAC 449.209 Health and sanitation. (NRS 449.0302) 4. To the extent practicable, the premises of the facility must be kept free from: (a) Offensive odors; (b) Hazards, including obstacles that impede the free movement of residents within and outside the facility; (c) Insects and rodents; and (d) Accumulations of dirt, garbage and other refuse. Inspector Comments: Based on observation and interview, the facility failed to ensure the premises were free from fire hazards and an accumulation of refuse. Findings include: On 02/16/22 at 10:45 AM, there were cigarette butts in a plastic bucket in the front entry way. The cigarette butts were mixed in with debris, weeds, and leaves. There was a garbage can in the courtyard with cigarette butts, weeds, and leaves. The Administrator acknowledged residents and staff should have used a fire-safe, metal ashtray for disposal of cigarettes. Severity: 2 Scope: 3	0174	metal smoke bucket was placed on patio on 2/17/22	02/17/2022
0878 SS= D	Medication/OTCS, Supplements, Change Order - NAC 449.2742 - Administration of medication: Responsibilities of administrator, caregiver and employees of facility. 5. An over-the-counter medication or a dietary supplement may be given to a resident only if the resident's physician has approved the administration of the medication or supplement in writing or the facility is ordered to do so by another physician. The over-the-counter medication or dietary supplement must be administered in accordance with the written instructions of the physician. The administration of over-the-counter medications and dietary supplements must be included in the record required pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NAC 449.2744. 6. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a medication prescribed by a physician must be administered as prescribed by the physician. If a physician orders a change in the amount or times medication is to be administered to a resident: (a) The caregiver responsible for assisting in the administration of the medication shall: (1) Comply with the order; (2) Indicate on the	0878	Caregivers and Administrator acknowledge their mistake and it will not happen again. Administrator will do a better job of monitoring new admissions in the future. please see copy of mar for resident number 3	02/17/2022

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	container of the medication that a change has occurred; and (Previously Y 0879) (3) Note the change in the record maintained pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NAC 449.2744; (b) Within 5 days after the change is ordered, a copy of the order or prescription signed by the physician must be included in the record maintained pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NAC 449.2744; and (c) If the label prepared by a pharmacist does not match the order or prescription written by a physician, the physician, registered nurse or pharmacist must interpret that order or prescription and, within 5 days after the change is ordered, the interpretation must be included in the record maintained pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 1 of NAC 449.2744. Inspector Comments: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the facility failed to ensure medications were obtained and administered per physician's orders for 1 of 3 sampled residents (Resident #3). Findings include: Resident #3 (R3) R3 was admitted to the facility on 02/11/22 with diagnoses including dementia. The physician's orders dated 12/30/21 documented the following: - Risperdone, 0.25 milligrams (mg), 2 tablets each day. -Lorazepam, 0.5 mg, 1 tablet at bedtime as needed. -Aricept, 5 mg, 1 tablet at bedtime. -Paroxetine, 10 mg, 1 tablet each day. The Caregivers reported the facility did not obtain and administer R3's medications from admit on 02/11/22 until 02/15/22. The Caregivers and the Administrator acknowledged the medications should have been picked up at the Assisted Living upon the resident's admission on 02/11/22 and administered timely. Severity: 2 Scope: 1			