



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
AGING AND LONG-TERM SUPPORT ADMINISTRATION
8517 E Trent Ave, Ste 102, Spokane Valley, WA 99212

PSL Associates, LLC
North Point Village, Assisted Living & Memory Care
1110 E Westview Ct
Spokane, WA 99218

RE: North Point Village, Assisted Living & Memory Care License # 2479

Dear Administrator:

This letter addresses Compliance Determination(s) 32094 (Completion Date 11/06/2023) and 28769 (Completion Date 09/06/2023).

The Department completed a follow-up inspection of your Assisted Living Facility on 11/06/2023 and found no deficiencies. Your facility meets the Assisted Living Facility licensing requirements.

The Department found that deficiencies for the following licensing laws and regulations were corrected:
WAC 388-78A-2210-2-a

The Department staff who did the on-site verification:
Stephanie Jenks, Community Field Manager
Sandra Fast, Community Complaint Investigator

If you have any questions, please contact me at (509)993-7821.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Jenks, Field Manager
Region 1, Unit B
Residential Care Services



Residential Care Services Investigation Summary Report

Provider/Facility: North Point Village, Assisted **Provider Type:** Assisted Living Facility
Living & Memory Care

License/Cert.#: 2479

Intake ID: 94303

Compliance Determination #: 28769

Region/Unit #: RCS Region 1 / Unit B

Investigator: Anne Sinclair

Investigation Date(s): 08/29/2023 through 09/06/2023

Complainant Contact Date(s):

Allegation(s):

1. Medication error.

Investigation Methods:

Sample:	Total residents: 85 Resident sample size: 7 Closed records sample size: 0
Observations:	Residents Identified resident Staff to resident interactions Resident to resident interactions Resident rooms Dining
Interviews:	Identified resident Residents Health and Wellness Specialist Resident Care Coordinator Medtech
Record Reviews:	Sample Resident care plan/face sheet Named resident care plan/face sheet Named resident MAR (August 2023) Disclosure of services Sample staff Credentials Sample staff fingerprint background check Characteristic roster Staff roster Facility Medication Administration policy Facility investigation

Investigation Summary:

1. Facility investigated an incident involving a resident who received medication that was prescribed for another resident. Resident was sent out for hospital evaluation. Technical Assistance provided under WAC 388-78A-2462(1)(b) Background checks,

who is required to have. Failed facility practice under WAC 388-78A-2210(2)(a) Medication Services.

Conclusion / Action:

- ☒ Failed Provider Practice Identified / Citation(s) Written
- ☐ Failed Provider Practice Not Identified / No Citation Written
- ☐ N/A

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This document references the following complaint number(s): 94303, 95474

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From:
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As a result of the on-site visit(s), the department found that you are not in compliance with the licensing laws and regulations as stated in the cited deficiencies in the enclosed report.

S.M.

Residential Care Services

09/08/2023

Date

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Findings included...

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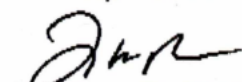
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Facility progress note, dated [REDACTED]/2023, at 6:57pm for Resident 1, stated that Resident 1 had returned to the facility from hospital stay.

Plan/Attestation Statement

I hereby certify that I have reviewed this report and have taken or will take active measures to correct this deficiency. By taking this action, North Point Village, Assisted Living & Memory Care is or will be in compliance with this law and / or regulation on (Date) 10/12/2023.

In addition, I will implement a system to monitor and ensure continued compliance with this requirement.



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