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F 000	INITIAL COMMENTS An onsite revisit and complaint investigation was conducted on 4/24/24. Tag F689, F697, F755, F760, and F791 were corrected as of 4/24/24. A repeat tag was cited. New tags were also cited as a result of the complaint investigation survey that was conducted at the same time as the revisit. The facility is still out of compliance.	F 000		
F 867 SS=D	QAPI/QAA Improvement Activities CFR(s): 483.75(c)(d)(e)(g)(2)(i)(ii) §483.75(c) Program feedback, data systems and monitoring. A facility must establish and implement written policies and procedures for feedback, data collections systems, and monitoring, including adverse event monitoring. The policies and procedures must include, at a minimum, the following: §483.75(c)(1) Facility maintenance of effective systems to obtain and use of feedback and input from direct care staff, other staff, residents, and resident representatives, including how such information will be used to identify problems that are high risk, high volume, or problem-prone, and opportunities for improvement. §483.75(c)(2) Facility maintenance of effective systems to identify, collect, and use data and information from all departments, including but not limited to the facility assessment required at §483.70(e) and including how such information will be used to develop and monitor performance indicators. §483.75(c)(3) Facility development, monitoring, and evaluation of performance indicators,	F 867		

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE 04/29/2024
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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 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.

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F 867	<p>Continued From page 1 including the methodology and frequency for such development, monitoring, and evaluation.</p> <p>§483.75(c)(4) Facility adverse event monitoring, including the methods by which the facility will systematically identify, report, track, investigate, analyze and use data and information relating to adverse events in the facility, including how the facility will use the data to develop activities to prevent adverse events.</p> <p>§483.75(d) Program systematic analysis and systemic action.</p> <p>§483.75(d)(1) The facility must take actions aimed at performance improvement and, after implementing those actions, measure its success, and track performance to ensure that improvements are realized and sustained.</p> <p>§483.75(d)(2) The facility will develop and implement policies addressing: (i) How they will use a systematic approach to determine underlying causes of problems impacting larger systems; (ii) How they will develop corrective actions that will be designed to effect change at the systems level to prevent quality of care, quality of life, or safety problems; and (iii) How the facility will monitor the effectiveness of its performance improvement activities to ensure that improvements are sustained.</p> <p>§483.75(e) Program activities.</p> <p>§483.75(e)(1) The facility must set priorities for its performance improvement activities that focus on high-risk, high-volume, or problem-prone areas;</p>	F 867			

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F 867	<p>Continued From page 2</p> <p>consider the incidence, prevalence, and severity of problems in those areas; and affect health outcomes, resident safety, resident autonomy, resident choice, and quality of care.</p> <p>§483.75(e)(2) Performance improvement activities must track medical errors and adverse resident events, analyze their causes, and implement preventive actions and mechanisms that include feedback and learning throughout the facility.</p> <p>§483.75(e)(3) As part of their performance improvement activities, the facility must conduct distinct performance improvement projects. The number and frequency of improvement projects conducted by the facility must reflect the scope and complexity of the facility's services and available resources, as reflected in the facility assessment required at §483.70(e). Improvement projects must include at least annually a project that focuses on high risk or problem-prone areas identified through the data collection and analysis described in paragraphs (c) and (d) of this section.</p> <p>§483.75(g) Quality assessment and assurance.</p> <p>§483.75(g)(2) The quality assessment and assurance committee reports to the facility's governing body, or designated person(s) functioning as a governing body regarding its activities, including implementation of the QAPI program required under paragraphs (a) through (e) of this section. The committee must:</p> <p>(ii) Develop and implement appropriate plans of action to correct identified quality deficiencies;</p>	F 867			

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F 867	<p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>(iii) Regularly review and analyze data, including data collected under the QAPI program and data resulting from drug regimen reviews, and act on available data to make improvements.</p> <p>This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by:</p> <p>Based on observations, record review and resident, Nurse Practitioner, and staff interview the facility's Quality Assessment and Assurance Committee (QAA) failed to maintain implemented procedures and monitor interventions that the committee had previously put in place following the recertification and complaint investigation surveys of 4/21/22 and 7/13/23 and the complaint investigation surveys of 8/30/23 and 2/21/24.</p> <p>This was for 4 recited deficiencies in the areas of Safe/Clean/Comfortable/Homelike Environment (F584), Reporting of Alleged Violations (F609), Resident Records-Identifiable Information (F842), and Infection Control (F880). The continued failure during 2 or more federal surveys of record showed a pattern of the facility's inability to sustain an effective Quality Assurance Program.</p> <p>The tag is cross-referenced to:</p> <p>F584: Based on observations, resident and staff interviews, the facility failed to provide a room free of a strong smell of urine which reached out into the hallway. This was evident in 2 of 3 rooms reviewed for a safe, clean, homelike environment (Rooms 307 and Room 314).</p> <p>During a recertification and complaint investigation survey of 4/21/22 the facility was cited for failing to keep walls, resident furniture and sinks in good condition.</p> <p>During a complaint investigation survey of 8/30/23 the facility was cited for failing to: clean and repair</p>	F 867			

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F 867	<p>Continued From page 5 providing care to 1 of 1 resident (Resident #21).</p> <p>During a recertification and complaint investigation survey of 4/21/22 the facility was cited for not following isolation precautions for a resident who had orders to be on isolation enteric precautions.</p> <p>During an interview with the Administrator on 4/24/24 at 2:05 PM she stated the QA (Quality Assurance) committee met monthly and consisted of the Administrator, Director of Nursing, Medical Director and the Directors of the facility's departments. When an area of concern was identified during an IDT (Interdisciplinary Team) meeting, a PIP (performance improvement project), including audits with results was submitted to the QA committee every month until the concern was resolved. She further stated that as oversight, the corporate consultants also have access to this information to audit, submit recommendations, and follow-up to the QA Committee. The Administrator revealed that overcoming certain citations such Environment and Infection Control are difficult as they encompass so many potential issues. She further stated that the facility must ask permission from corporate for the funds to fix walls and replace resident furniture. The Administrator revealed they received a citation for failure to report on 2/21/24 and it was because the fax would not go through for several hours. They have since found that sending a fax from Human Resources works faster.</p>	F 867			