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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: IL6002877	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING: _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED C 08/11/2019
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S 000	Initial Comments Complaint #1945527/IL114364	S 000		
S9999	Final Observations Statement of Licensure Violations. 300.610 a) 300.1210 d) 6) 300.3240 a) Section 300.610 Resident Care Policies a) The facility shall have written policies and procedures governing all services provided by the facility. The written policies and procedures shall be formulated by a Resident Care Policy Committee consisting of at least the administrator, the advisory physician or the medical advisory committee, and representatives of nursing and other services in the facility. The policies shall comply with the Act and this Part. The written policies shall be followed in operating the facility and shall be reviewed at least annually by this committee, documented by written, signed and dated minutes of the meeting. Section 300.1210 General Requirements for Nursing and Personal Care d) Pursuant to subsection (a), general nursing care shall include, at a minimum, the following and shall be practiced on a 24-hour, seven-day-a-week basis: 6) All necessary precautions shall be taken to assure that the residents' environment remains as free of accident hazards as possible. All nursing personnel shall evaluate residents to	S9999	<h2>Attachment A</h2> <h3>Statement of Licensure Violations</h3>	

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S9999	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>see that each resident receives adequate supervision and assistance to prevent accidents.</p> <p>Section 300.3240 Abuse and Neglect</p> <p>a) An owner, licensee, administrator, employee or agent of a facility shall not abuse or neglect a resident.</p> <p>These regulations were not met as evidenced by:</p> <p>Based on interview and record review the facility failed to provide assistance to prevent a fall for 1 of 7 residents (R2), reviewed for falls in the sample of 9. This failure resulted in R2's fall sustaining a right distal femur (leg) fracture.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>R2's Minimum Data Set (MDS), dated 7/9/19, documents R2 had a Brief Interview for Mental Status (BIMS) score of 15, indicating cognition intact. The MDS further documents R2 requiring extensive assistance of two persons physical assist with bed mobility and transfers.</p> <p>R2's Fall Risk Assessment, dated 7/26/19, documents R2 scoring a 50, indicating high risk for falls.</p> <p>On 8/11/19 at 11:44 AM, R2 stated she was initially admitted to the facility to get therapy. R2 stated on the date she fell (7/26/19), she needed to sit up on the side of the bed to get ready for her appointment with the wound center, and was in need of staff assistance. R2 stated the Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) (V3) had removed the "bumpers" from the sides of the bed. V3 had a hold of her (R2's) left hand. V3 let go of her (R2's) hand and walked towards the foot of</p>	S9999		
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