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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: IL6002059	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING: _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED C 03/04/2022
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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER: **APERION CARE OAK LAWN**
STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: **9401 SOUTH RIDGELAND AVENUE OAK LAWN, IL 60453**

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S 000 Initial Comments

Complaint Investigation:
2290774/IL142962
2290938/IL143165
2291471/IL143859

Facility Reported Incident of January 13, 2022/IL142864
Facility Reported Incident of January 25, 2022/IL143459

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S9999 Final Observations

Statement of Licensure Violations I of II:
300.610 a)
300.1210 d)3)

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:
3) Objective observations of changes in a

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Attachment A
Statement of Licensure Violations

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S9999	<p>Continued From page 1</p> <p>resident's condition, including mental and emotional changes, as a means for analyzing and determining care required and the need for further medical evaluation and treatment shall be made by nursing staff and recorded in the resident's medical record.</p> <p>This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by:</p> <p>Based on interview and record review, the facility failed to follow their pain policy by not reassessing and documenting a new onset of pain, administrating and documenting pain medication for one (R1) of three resident reviewed for pain management. This failure resulted in ineffective pain management for R1. R1 said R1experienced pain 10/10 for over 3.5 hour after rolling from the bed and sustaining a right femur fracture.</p> <p>The findings include:</p> <p>R1 was admitted to the facility on 11/10/20 with a diagnosis of paraplegia, assault by shotgun, hypertension, and vascular dementia without behavioral disturbances. R1's brief interview for mental status score dated 11/21/21 documents a score 15/15 is which indicates cognitively intact.</p> <p>R1's progress note dated 1/24/22 at 5:56pm: Resident complaints of pain and crackling sound to right knee upon lifting leg. No swelling noted at this time. Pain medication given. V19 (MD) notified.</p> <p>R1's progress note dated 1/25/22 at 9:35am documents: Resident stated to writer (V2 Director of Nurses/DON) that R1 had a fall in R1's room, the evening of 1/24. Resident reported that R1</p>	S9999		
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S9999	<p>Continued From page 3</p> <p>reported the staff did not believe R1. R1 said the nurse gave R1 Tylenol at that time and R1 did not receive any other pain medications after that until R1 was at the hospital. R1 said R1 had pain for almost 2 days and R1's pain was 10/10. R1 said R1 did not want to the return to the facility after the way they treated R1.</p> <p>On 2/25/22 at 11:34am, V2(DON) said R1 reported that R1 had fallen and was experiencing pain to R1's right leg. V2 said when she attempted to do range of motion to right leg, R1 yelled out in pain and V2 stopped assessment. V2 said she observed swelling to the right upper leg and informed V20(Nurse Practitioner). V2 said she informed V30 (Nurse). V2 said she did not administrator any pain medication. V2 said she would expect the nurse to assess the pain. Document the pain assessment, document medication given and if it was effective. V2 said she did not see that documentation in R1's medical record.</p> <p>On 2/24/22 at 3:31pm, V30(Nurse) said R1 will usually request Tylenol in the morning, but she is unclear if she gave R1 Tylenol on 1/25/22. V30 said R1 denied any pain or discomfort during her shift. V30 said pain would be documented in R1's progress notes.</p> <p>R1's progress notes does not document any pain or follow up assessments between fall note 1/24/22 at 6:56pm through 1/25/22 at 9:35am. R1's medication administration record for January 2022 does not document any as needed pain medications given on 1/24/22 or 1/25/22.</p> <p>Facility policy titled: Pain Management Program reviewed 4/1/21 documents: It is the goal of the facility to facilitate resident independence.</p>	S9999		

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S9999	<p>Continued From page 4</p> <p>Promote resident comfort. Preserve and enhance resident dignity and facilities life involvement. The pain management program includes documentation of pain assessment and monitoring; Pain medication shall be appropriate for the population served; medications for the control or relief of anxiety related to pain. Pain assessment protocol will be initiated under any of the following situations: a change in the resident's condition occurs to require pain medications; Resident receives routine pain medication or pain not controlled. Documentation of assessment and the resident response to the pain management plan will be made with each assessment.</p> <p>"B"</p> <p>Statement of Licensure Violations II of II: 300.610 a) 300.1210 b) 300.1210 d)3), d)6)</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Section 300.1210 General Requirements for Nursing and Personal Care</p>	S9999		

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S9999	<p>Continued From page 5</p> <p>b) The facility shall provide the necessary care and services to attain or maintain the highest practicable physical, mental, and psychological well-being of the resident, in accordance with each resident's comprehensive resident care plan. Adequate and properly supervised nursing care and personal care shall be provided to each resident to meet the total nursing and personal care needs of the resident.</p> <p>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:</p> <p>3) Objective observations of changes in a resident's condition, including mental and emotional changes, as a means for analyzing and determining care required and the need for further medical evaluation and treatment shall be made by nursing staff and recorded in the resident's medical record.</p> <p>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 see that each resident receives adequate supervision and assistance to prevent accidents.</p> <p>This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by:</p> <p>Based on interview and record review the facility failed to develop a plan of care to reduce or prevent the risk of falling with interventions to include supervision and monitoring for 1 of 3 residents (R2) reviewed for fall prevention. This failure resulted in R2 having an unwitnessed fall sustaining a closed non-displaced right femoral neck fracture.</p> <p>The findings include:</p>	S9999		

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S9999	<p>Continued From page 6</p> <p>R2</p> <p>R2 had the diagnosis of dementia with behavior disturbance, anxiety, and hypertension. Hospital paperwork dated 1/10/22 documents: R2 is below baseline level requiring increased physical assist for transfers and mobility. Physical Therapy Treatment dated 1/6/22 documents: R2 requires extensive hand-on for functional transfers. R2 remains confused, unable to follow commands consistently. R2 was unable to take steps or ambulate at this time. R2 demonstrate flexed forward posture with decrease balance and posterior lean with fatigue. R2's mobility remains limited due to decreased cognition/safety awareness/confusion, generalized decondition, decrease balance and activity tolerance. Suggested support at discharge: physical assist, close contact for safety and constant supervision.</p> <p>On 2/22/22 at 2:12pm, V12 (Therapy Director) said, we didn't evaluate R2. I briefly reviewed R2's hospital package. R2 was fall risk. Close contact and constant supervision mean R2 needs someone with R2 with him at all times for any transfers.</p> <p>On 2/22/22 at 2:37pm, V3 (Nurse) said, when R2 arrived, R2 was placed in bed and instructed to use call light with understanding. R2 had a fall within thirty minutes of arrival. R2 was discharge to the hospital. I did not receive in report that R2 was a fall risk, nor did I read R2's entire hospital package.</p> <p>On 2/23/22 at 11:40am V2 (DON) said, R2 was in the facility for 15-20 min before R2 was found on the floor. I can't remember R2 ambulation status. I determined, R2 was a fall risk based on reading</p>	S9999		
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