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## Notice of Incident

Date of Incident: 8/19/2021  
Date Reported to DCCECE: 9/7/2021

Agency Name: Millcreek of Arkansas PRTF  
Agency Number: 233  
Type of Facility: PRTF Facility License Type: Regular

Type of Incident: [REDACTED]

Incident Description: Location: [REDACTED] (Patient Room): Staff Involved: IS1  
[REDACTED] and IS2 [REDACTED].

Involved Child: IC1 [REDACTED] age [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]. Summary: Risk received IC1's statement on 8/23/21: IS1 [REDACTED] came into my room to remove contraband. IS2 [REDACTED] came into my room and pushed me onto my bed for no reason. She kept getting in my face, so I pushed her out of my face and she said, "Girl, I'll beat the fuck out of you--you better know who you are fucking with." I told her to get out of my face and she said, "Don't get your ass back up 'cause nobody's playing with you." I told her that I didn't care and to leave me alone. She then kicked me in my head and stabbed me with a pen twice in my left hand. IS1 [REDACTED] then stated, "If you touch me, I'm going to knock your ass flat down. IS1 had thrown my dinner away earlier, so I didn't eat. The next morning she threw my breakfast away. She also told me that all it takes is a drink and a bag of chips for someone to beat my ass. The AV IC1 also stated that IS1 came to her and told her to write another statement about IS2 and the pen/pencil situation to make it sound like it was an accident. Nurse Assessment: Sore noted on left hand 1st digit palm area. Patient reports that staff stabbed her with a pencil. Also has a pencil tip blood blister area on left 1st digit. Patient reports that she had a knot on center of forehead and only complained of it being tender now.

Agency's Interim Corrective Action: The agency provided the ICA on the incident report. They advised that staff was put on leave pending an investigation.

Licensing Specialist Assigned: S. Pitts  
Licensing Supervisor Assigned: A. Clowers

Child Abuse Hotline (Only applies to maltreatment incidents)

Was the Hotline Called: Yes Was it accepted? Yes Outcome: Unsubstantiated

**Assigned Investigator:** DCFS

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**Date of DCCECE's Follow-up:** 9/7/2021 and 9/20/21      **Type of Follow-up:** Email

**Details from Follow-up:** I emailed Justin Wendel with Millcreek following receipt of incident report and requested to have video of the incident saved. He responded that no video is available of the incident. As of 9/7/21 I am waiting to find out who the investigator assigned to this is in order to get approval to visit the agency. On 9/20/21, I initially emailed the investigator Carolyn Gamble on 9/7/21 and have not received a reply. I resent the email on 9/20/21 asking the status of the case and for permission to proceed with questioning involved individuals or requesting an interim corrective action. On 9/21/21, DCFS investigator Carolyn Gamble emailed me back and advised me that the finding was unsubstantiated. There is no video of this incident available and no way for Licensing to determine if any violations existed.