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Notice of Incident

Date of Incident: 8/30/2021 Date Reported to DCCECE: 9/3/2021

Agency Name: Piney Ridge Treatment CenterAgency Number: 203Type of Facility: SRUFacility License Type: Regular

Type of Incident: Other

Incident Description: Licensing Unit received a complaint from an unknown source stating that the facility is severely understaffed. "On August 30, 2021 one unit had 31 kids and 3 staff during the day. Yesterday there were only 8 staff for 94 kids. The DON and a nurse had to staff the annex building".

Agency's Interim Corrective Action: N/A

Licensing Specialist Assigned: C. Vardell Licensing Supervisor Assigned: S. Singleton-Litzsey

<u>Child Abuse Hotline</u> (Only applies to maltreatment incidents)

Was the Hotline Called:No Was it accepted?N/A Outcome: N/A

Assigned Investigator: N/A

Date of DCCECE's Follow-up: 9.7.21 Type of Follow-up: In person

Details from Follow-up: Licensing Specialist visited the facility on 9/7/21 for an unannounced after hours visit to conduct a buildings and grounds walkthrough. The facility was currently in ratio, but the reports from 8/30/21 did show that two units were out of ratio that night as the complaint stated. Additionally, due to call ins, ratio will be out of compliance again tonight 9/7/21.

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