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Notice of Incident

Date of Incident: 9/29/2021

Date Reported to DCCECE: 9/30/2021

Agency Name: Millcreek PRTF

Agency Number: 233

Type of Facility: PRTF

Facility License Type: Regular

Type of Incident: Suicide Attempt

Incident Description: Incident took place at [REDACTED] in the patients room; [REDACTED] was agitated because she could not watch TV anymore, so she went to her room. The unit left to go to the cafeteria while [REDACTED], remained in her room. [REDACTED] took her clothes off, found a phone charge cord in the hallway and tied it around her neck. She stated she did this because she heard a voice telling her to. Upon noticing that she was not with the group, staff came back to the unit and discovered her condition in the bedroom. A nurse and supervisor were called to assist. Client was placed on suicide prevention precautions.

Agency's Interim Corrective Action: Staff members involved were placed on administrative leave as an investigation is conducted. In-services are being completed campus-wide in relation to head counts, documentation, informational handoffs, staff to patient ratio/supervision, cell phone usage/security.

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?** No **Outcome:** N/A

Assigned Investigator: N/A

Date of DCCECE's Follow-up: 10/2/21, 10/14/21 **Type of Follow-up:** Phone calls and email.

Details from Follow-up: I emailed facility staff on 10/14/21 requesting more information and the [REDACTED] for the [REDACTED]. Chris Butler, Risk Manager, replied and advised me that staff is

on leave, there is no video footage that pertains to the incident, and the child is now currently off of suicide precautions. On, 10/14/21, I responded and asked if any of the staff have been disciplined. Staff members involved are as follows; [REDACTED]. I am awaiting a response from the agency.