

Division of Child Care & Early Childhood Education

P.O. Box 1437, Slot S150, Little Rock, AR 72203-1437

P: 501.320.3971

Notice of Incident

Date of Incident: 12/6/2021

Date Reported to DCCECE: 12/7/2021

Agency Name: Piney Ridge Treatment Center

Agency Number: 203

Type of Facility: PRTF/SRU Facility License Type: Regular

Type of Incident: Elopement

Incident Description: Resident eloped from the facility after pushing past staff who was coming inside from the courtyard. The resident was able to elope through a gate that had been locked improperly.

Agency's Interim Corrective Action: Staff followed the resident as she hid in bushes off the facility grounds. The resident refused to follow staff prompts and then was able to get inside of an unlocked vehicle in the community. Staff was able to get the resident out of the car and returned her to the facility.

Licensing Specialist Assigned: C. Vardell Licensing Supervisor Assigned: A. Clowers

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

Was the Hotline Called: N/A Was it accepted? Outcome: N/A

Assigned Investigator: N/A

Date of DCCECE's Follow-up: 12/8/2021 Type of Follow-up: Email

Details from Follow-up: 12/8/2021-Licensing Specialist emailed Ronissa Adams to see if the resident sustained any injuries during the incident and if the police were ever notified of the elopement. Ronissa stated that the staff had her in eyesight the entire time and she was back to the facility before staff could call the police department.