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## Notice of Incident

Date of Incident: 11/21/2021  
Date Reported to DCCECE: 11/23/2021

Agency Name: Dacus RTC  
Agency Number: 108  
Type of Facility: PRTF                      Facility License Type: Regular

Type of Incident: Maltreatment

Incident Description: Resident [REDACTED] was refusing to follow prompts by staff [REDACTED] as he was attempting to escort him back to his room. Resident [REDACTED] then reportedly fell backwards onto staff [REDACTED] and was caught under the arms by the staff. Staff then picked the resident up under the arms and transported him down the hallway.

Agency's Interim Corrective Action: Staff will be placed on suspension pending the results of the maltreatment investigation.

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

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Child Abuse Hotline (Only applies to maltreatment incidents) Yes

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

Assigned Investigator: DCFS

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Date of DCCECE's Follow-up: 11/24/2021    Type of Follow-up: 11/24/2021

Details from Follow-up: 11.24.21-Licensing Specialist emailed [REDACTED] to get an updated ICA due to the maltreatment report being accepted. The current ICA addressed retraining for the staff, but did not mention the staff having no direct or unsupervised contact with children until the conclusion of the maltreatment investigation. Licensing Specialist called [REDACTED] with the agency as [REDACTED] is off work for the holiday. [REDACTED] confirmed that the facility will update the ICA and ensure that the A/O has no direct or unsupervised contact with the children until the conclusion of the maltreatment

investigation. Licensing Specialist emailed the assigned investigator for contact information. 12/6/21-Licensing Specialist spoke to the secondary investigator who interviewed the A/V and gained additional contact information for the primary investigator. Primary investigator did not answer so a second email was sent to the primary investigator for a return call. Licensing Specialist visited the facility, discussed the incident, reviewed camera footage, received nursing notes, and written incident reports. Licensing was notified that staff [REDACTED] resigned from their position.