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### Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 9/3/2022

Date Received by DCCECE: 9/5/2022

Facility Name: Dacus RTC

Facility Number: 108

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: Client- [REDACTED] - private- guardian is adopted mother [REDACTED] Staff member- [REDACTED] ) and Peers pushed their way passed staff into the office. A peer took medicine (acetaminophen) out of locker while Client ( [REDACTED] ) distracted Staff by stealing coffee condiments. Peer hid pill bottle under desk. While staff [REDACTED] ) was dealing with another peer. A Peer poured pills in the Client's ( [REDACTED] ) hand. The Client ( [REDACTED] ) took the pills and swallowed them. Nurse was notified and Client [REDACTED] was taken to the NEA Baptist Emergency room about 8pm. They drew blood from the client upon arrival and again at 10:30pm to check for acetaminophen levels. The levels were decreased at 10:30 and hospital discharged him with recommendations to follow up with PCP in three days.

Interim Action Narrative:

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Maltreatment Narrative:

Outcome: Founded

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Licensing Narrative: Licensing Specialist viewed camera footage of incident involving staff member and residents. Specialist observed residents and staff member in a classroom,

ration 3:1. The residents pushed staff member to get into the BI Office. Residents were observed in the BI office searching through the desk, lockers, refrigerator, and where coffee is made. Staff member attempted to get the residents out of the office with many distractions. At 6:27 pm resident (██████) was observed opening something and swallowing it. It was observed that there were transactions of residents passing things back and forth. Specialist was unable to identify what the resident actually took (pills or coffee condiments).