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## Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 1/21/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 1/23/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: Name: [REDACTED], Guardian: Ward of State (AR) - notified Incident: 01/21/23 approximately at 1300 Precaution safety plan: Suicide Risk, for 7 days LOS constant Police were called: N/A I'm writing to inform you that earlier today, [REDACTED] became dysregulated on the unit, stating she was suicidal. She began scratching at wrist and the side of her neck. She then took a staff keys and put the lanyard around her neck and used keys to further scratch her neck. Staff intervened quickly to maintain safety. Resident was able to regulate emotions and no further incident occurred. Superficial scratches noted and assessed by RN on wrist/side of neck. No first aid/medical intervention needed. C-SSRS preformed, she scored high risk. [REDACTED] will be placed on a suicide and self-harm precaution safety plan with constant line of sight for the next 7 days.

Interim Action Narrative:

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Maltreatment Narrative:

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Licensing Narrative: Spoke with DON Sarah Kroon and therapist Madelyn Spence, who stated that resident pulled a break away lanyard off of a staff member's neck and the lanyard

has a key attached to it. CEO Cassie Sowder stated she is looking into getting away from using lanyards and exploring options. For now, resident is on a safety plan (licensing specialist viewed). Resident was observed to be within LOS during licensing visit today on 01-24-23. Resident received individual therapy within 24 hours of incident occurring.