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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 2/7/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 2/8/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: Name: [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED], Guardian: [REDACTED] - notified o Incident: 02/7/23 at approximately 1230, resident became escalated and began to attempt to self-ham with her fingernails on her left forearm. When she was physically blocked by staff, she then began to attempt to bang her head on the wall. When RN arrived, staff were physically blocking to prevent her from self-harming. RN was able to verbally deescalated resident enough to get her to come to the comfort room. While she was there, she paced from seclusion to comfort room and shut herself in the bathroom. She then began to attempt to hit herself in the face, punch the wall and bang her head all which were physically blocked by staff. RN and staff were able to finally deescalate resident. No injuries noted. PRN cold pack provided for discomfort in knuckle from punching the wall. Current self-harm precaution safety plan to be continued until safe behavior is observed.

Interim Action Narrative:

Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: Specialist Sutton completed a record review visit at facility today. Spoke with CEO Cassie Sowder who confirmed that resident is on a self-harm safety plan and assault precautions due to recent behavioral disturbances resulting in incidents. Facility continues to monitor progress and needs.