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### Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 3/8/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 3/8/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: Name: [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED], Notified: Amber Winters (AR/DHS) On 3/8/23 at approximately 1020, resident pulled the extension cord through the plexiglass around the TV and was able to wrap those around her hands. Staff and RN worked to remove the cords from her. Once she was released from the cords, she was no longer an immediate threat to herself or others. She then went to the end of the hallway and began to talk with staff and RN about what was upsetting her. She then re-escalated and attempted to tie a long sleeve shirt around her neck. Because of this she was placed in a physical hold. During this she scratched multiple staff members. She was not injured during this. Once she was calm, processing with RN and no longer an immediate threat to herself she was released from containment. Because of this she will continue to be on assault and property destruction for 7 more days and will be on self-harm precautions with constant line of sight for 7 days or until reassessed by clinical.

Interim Action Narrative:

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Maltreatment Narrative:

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Licensing Narrative:Talked to ADON and CEO about this incident. Resident pulled extension cord out that is secured behind the tv box. Staff is being trained on "imminent risk" to make better decisions about when restraint is appropriate to ensure that a child acting out in this way is prevented from doing so in a timely manner.