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# **521 Visit Compliance Report**

Licensee: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Licensee Address: 2466 SOUTH 48TH STREET

SPRINGDALE AR 72766

Licensing Specialist: Chelsea Vardell

Person In Charge: Ana Salazar

Record Visit Date: 12/29/2022

**Home Visit Date:** 12/30/2022

Purpose of Visit: Self Report Visit

### **Regulations Out of Compliance:**

Regulation Description: All buildings and furnishings shall be safe, clean, and in good repair.

**Sub Regulation Description: Regulation Number:** 9.911.6

#### **Regulations Needing Technical Assistance:**

## **Regulations Not Correctable:**

#### Narrative:

The Program Coordinator and Licensing Specialist visited the facility and discussed three incidents of self-harm by resident on 12/11/22, 12/13/22, and 12/23/22. On 12/11/22 the resident self-harmed using a

broken light socket cover. On 12/13/22, resident self-harmed with a piece of a shampoo bottle while in the shower, and on 12/23/22 the resident obtained a screw from what was originally believed to be the cafeteria door and threatened to swallow it.

The DON reported that the staff had originally thought that this screw came from the door frame of the door in the cafeteria, but the screws appear to be different, so they are unsure where it came from. Licensing viewed the cafeteria door and the remaining cafeteria. Two outlet covers were seen to be loose and in need of repair. DON Ana Salazar notified maintenance of the outlet covers during the walkthrough. No missing screws were noted to be seen on or around the door frame. Licensing also viewed the resident's bedroom (room 305). The resident's bathroom was viewed and seen to have a new light switch cover installed as the resident had also self-harmed with it on 12/11/2022. A screw was seen protruding from the cover over the bedroom window. The DON took a picture of the screen and requested that it be secured back into the frame with maintenance. The DON reports the outlet covers in the cafeteria and the screw in the resident's room will be addressed today. Licensing discussed with the DON if any documentation is kept when a resident is on safety precautions to confirm that staff are keeping constant communication while a resident is in the shower. The facility is not currently keeping any documentation other than their "Q 15's" which are mandatory 15-minute observation sheets required for all residents. Licensing encouraged the facility to document how and when staff are complying with any doctor's orders. Licensing also discussed the facility using paper cups with hygiene products for the residents on self-harm precautions to eliminate the possibility of a resident using plastic bottles for self-harm.

The facility will be cited for 911.6 for the loose outlet covers in the cafeteria, protruding screw in the window of room 305, and the broken light switch cover reportedly used to self-harm by the resident on 12/11/22 (already corrected). Please have the outlet overs and screw repaired by 12/30/22.