

Division of Child Care & Early Childhood Education

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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 6/2/2022

Date Received by DCCECE: 10/25/2022

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: Emailed report received regarding the events that took place among residents and staff during a large-scale incident that took place on 6/2/22. (See attached

pictures and narrative)

Interim Action Narrative:	was terminated on 10/25/2022 for improper use of
restraints/performance.	

Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: 10/25/2022- Licensing reviewed the information provided and researched the documentation of licensing responding to this incident back on 6/3/2022. Assistant Director Dawn Jeffery, Program Manager Sharra Litzsey, Program Coordinator Chelsea Vardell, and Specialist Kendra Rice spoke to the facility management team and discussed apparent issues with boundaries among staff with residents and licensing requested that all staff be re-trained. Additionally, licensing requested that staff be re-educated on how/when it is appropriate to initiate a restraint hold and reminded the facility that restraint holds cannot be initiated as a way to gain compliance of a resident. However,

the facility decided to terminate staff as of 10/25/22. 11/22/2022, Licensing Specialist requested the dates of boundary training. 11/23/2022, Licensing Specialist inquired about boundary training. The CEO, Michael Hinton) informed Licensing Specialist that all staff have completed boundary training (Maintaining Healthy Boundaries) except for three PRN staff members. Mr. Hinton informed Licensing Specialist that those staff will not be able to work until they have complete the boundary training. Licensing Specialist was provided with copies of the sign-in sheets of the boundary training.



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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: Kendra Rice
Person In Charge: Ana Salazar
Record Visit Date: 11/23/2022
Home Visit Date: 11/27/2022
Purpose of Visit: Complaint Visit
Regulations Out of Compliance:
Regulations Needing Technical Assistance:
Regulation Not Applicable:
Regulations Not Correctable:
Narrative:
Time of visit: 10:15 am to 12:30 pm

Census; 24

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No licensing concerns noted.

Provider Comments:

CCL Staff Signature : Date: 11/27/2022

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