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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 3/17/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 3/20/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Facility Type: Residential

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: Name: [REDACTED], DOB: [REDACTED], Notified: [REDACTED]
(Guardian) On 3/17/23, resident presented to RN with a 1.5-inch laceration on left forearm with no active bleeding. When RN inquired about the cause of the injury, resident stated that they used contraband to self-harm in the shower. Resident was reluctant to give up the contraband, but RN was successful in retrieving the item used. The area was cleansed with antibacterial soap and bandaged accordingly. Will monitor laceration and will notify MD if there are any deviations from baseline while healing. In relation to this, resident will continue to be on self-harm precautions with 1:1 observation, and in addition, resident's person will be searched each shift to ensure that resident is not carrying any contraband that they can utilize to harm themselves or others.

Interim Action Narrative: RN retrieved contraband. Resident was assessed by nursing. She will continue to be on self-harm precautions 1:1. Resident will be searched each shift to ensure that resident is not carrying any contraband that can utilized harm to self or others.

Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: 3/21/23- Program Coordinator emailed the CEO to request information on what the contraband was and if the resident was still on safety precautions (1:1) at the time of this new incident. Licensing Staff informed of the contraband obtained from a previous incident. Resident is still on 1:1 safety precautions that has been modified to require the pockets be cut off the paper scrubs and a person search on each shift with oncoming/outgoing staff. 3/22/2023, Licensing Specialist Sutton followed-up on incident. Licensing Specialist informed that the facility continues to look for placement for resident.