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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 6/2/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 6/5/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Facility Type:

Incident Type: Dual

Report Description: Name: [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED] Notifications: See Below
Summary: On the evening of 6/2/23, [REDACTED] disclosed to [REDACTED] (MHT) that [REDACTED] ?kisses her at times? and told her if she didn?t have sex with her that she would ?kill her.? She did not disclose any further information related to date or time of incident. Corrective Action: [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were separated units. [REDACTED] was placed on a sexual misconduct precaution safety plan with constant line of sight and moved into the high acuity room. Hotline call placed (Report documented only, NOT accepted. Referral # [REDACTED] Therapist to further process with both residents and develop individualized programming to tailor each need. Parties notified of event: Alyssa Denny (AR-DHS) for [REDACTED] (Guardian, non DHS) ? for [REDACTED] Cassie Sowder, CEO Art Hickman, Regional CEO Rebecca Thomas, VP Clinical Training Jill Shrader, VP Risk Compliance/Quality Annika Perry, MSW - Therapist Edison Sullivan ? Clinical Director Kris Stewart, Reagan Stanford, and Ashlyn Whelchel (Disability Rights of AR) Chelsea Vardell, Linda White, and Kendra Rice, DHS

Interim Action Narrative: AR Child Abuse Hotline was called but call was screened. Residents were separated. AO placed on sexual misconduct precaution safety plan with constant line of sight and moved into the high acuity room.

Maltreatment Narrative: SCREENED OUT

Licensing Narrative: Licensing Specialists visited the facility and spoke with CEO. Residents are currently separated due allegations.



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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: Sarah Kroon

Record Visit Date: 6/6/2023

Home Visit Date: 6/6/2023

Purpose of Visit: Self Report Visit

Regulations Out of Compliance:

Regulations Needing Technical Assistance:

Regulation Not Applicable:

Regulations Not Correctable:

Narrative:

Time of Visit: 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

Census: 29

Licensing Specialists spoke with the Cassie Sowder, CEO, and Sarah Kroon, Director of Nursing, regarding the provider reported incident.

Licensing Specialists were informed that the residents were separated on separate units. The timeframe of the provider reported incident is unknown. It was reported that the incident happened weeks ago. At the time of this incident, residents were not roommates but were on the same unit. Resident [REDACTED] informed staff that she did not report the incident sooner due to being threatened by resident [REDACTED]

Ms. Cassie Sowder (CEO) informed Licensing Specialists that resident [REDACTED] is in the high acuity room due to the allegation and safety.

Provider Comments:

CCL Staff Signature :

Date: 6/15/2023



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