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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 9/28/2023
Date Received by DCCECE:9/28/2023
Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks
Facility Number: 237
Incident Type: Licensing
Report Description: Name: DOB: Notification: (guardian) staff reported that resident told them today (9/28/23) they have been suicidal and last night came up with a plan and had intent. Resident also told staff she had access to a length of fabric she planned on using. Staff searched room and was unable to find any length of material. Patient was placed on suicide precautions and asked to change into paper scrubs for safety. Patient refused initially but was informed of the importance of changing and that we had to do a body search due to her report of having material she planned on using. She eventually agreed and submitted to the safety search. Nursing was able to retrieve the material that the patient had stashed in her clothes. Patient is in paper scrubs on unit restrictions and suicide precautions for safety at this time. She has also been referred to her therapist to see about duration of time and if any additional precautions are needed. Unit search to be done to check sheets, blankets, clothing, etc for any additional contraband or ripped items.
Interim Action Narrative:
Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: 9/29/2023 - The provider reported incident was reviewed by

Licensing Specialist Jarred Parnell.