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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 10/3/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 10/3/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237

Incident Type: Licensing

DOB: Notifications: See Below At 15:54 **Report Description: Name:** resident went to the end of the hallway on the orange unit. Resident once at the end of the hallway sat down and took off one of her socks and tried to tie it around her neck. Staff intervened and took her socks away. Staff were assigned to stay with patient and therapist came to process with resident. Order given that all clothes and materials to be taken away until she can contract for safety due to continued escalated behaviors. Nurse practitioner will meet with resident to evaluate patient and potential need for med changes or further treatment planning. Patient is in paper scrubs with no additional clothing and has no access to any type of blankets or other materials. Assigned staff sitting with patient to ensure safety. Corrective Actions: Taking away any material that could potentially be used for strangulation. Patient removed from unit until she can contract for safety Patient to remain in paper scrubs with no additional clothing until she is safe from self-harm and Suicidal Behaviors for 72 hours Staff to remain with patient until she is safe from any type of behaviors for 72 hours Notifications: , Guardian Travis Hood, CEO Art Hickman, Regional CEO Rebecca Thomas, VP Clinical Training Annika Perry, MSW ? Clinical Director Sarah Kroon- Director of Nursing Kris Stewart, Reagan Stanford, and Ashlyn Whelchel (Disability Rights of AR) Chelsea Vardell, Kendra Rice, Jarred Parnell and Felicia Harris (DHS)

Interim Action Narrative:

Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: 10/4/2023 The provider reported incident was reviewed by Licensing Specialist Jarred Parnell.