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Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 10/20/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 10/23/2023

Facility Name: Perimeter of the Ozarks

Facility Number: 237
Incident Type: Licensing
Report Description: Name: ONotification: on 10/20 at around 1830 staff reported that resident became escalated due to being told they could not have their blanket over their head. Staff asked resident to remove blanket and for safety and resident became verbally aggressive. Staff removed blanket and resident took contraband out of their pocket and started attempting to self-harm with it. Staff retrieved object. Resident then began banging their head on the wall. Staff placed hand on wall to prevent injury. Resident continued to escalate and had to be restrained. Once restrained resident was able to de-escalate and return to demonstrating safe behaviors. Patient placed on self-harm precautions and referred to therapist for duration and to see if any additional precautions are needed.
Interim Action Narrative:
Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: 10/24/2023 - The provider reported incident was reviewed by Licensing Specialist Jarred Parnell. Licensing Specialist will contact facility to see what the contraband was. 11/1/2023 - The facility responded and said the contraband was a piece of plastic, it was unknown where it came from.