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## Notice of Serious Incident

Date of Incident: 12/18/2023

Date Received by DCCECE: 12/19/2023

Facility Name: Millcreek of Arkansas PRTF

Facility Number: 233

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: During recreation time, [REDACTED] became upset due to the behavior of other patients, which caused the group to return inside. He then left the living unit through the rear door and jumped over the fence, entering a wooded area. As a result, the elopement protocol was initiated, and search efforts began. The Fordyce Police Department was also notified of his elopement and aided in the search. After about an hour, he was found on facility grounds. However, he became combative with our facility supervisor and police officers, even attempting to grab the officer's taser. Consequently, the officers had to handcuff him and take him into custody. It's worth noting that even during the arrest, he continued to resist and even threatened the life of the officers. After spending 30 minutes with the officers, he was returned to the facility. He was then placed on a new living unit with increased staff supervision. Concerning these events, Fordyce Police Department is working alongside the juvenile prosecutor on the possibility of criminal charges being filed against [REDACTED]. No determination has been made at this time. The on-site nursing staff examined him and observed various scratches and abrasions on his body. He mentioned experiencing pain in his nose. Additionally, there was swelling in the affected area. He informed the nurse that he was struck in the face by the officers. [REDACTED] Due to his elopement risk, he was not immediately transported for x-ray. He will be evaluated on-site by his PCP on 12.19.23. Further medical care will be provided pending the results of this assessment.

Interim Action Narrative: Client [REDACTED] was placed on a new living unit with increased staff supervision.

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Licensing Narrative: 12/19/23-Received provider reported incident that client ██████████ ██████████ became upset and eloped his living unit, jumped a fence and entered a wooded area. Elopement protocol was initiated, and search efforts began. Fordyce Police Department was called. Client was located on facility grounds and became combative with police and staff. Client alleged to have been injured by police during altercation. ██████████ ██████████ ██████████. Report does not indicate a staff supervision issue. Elopement protocol was followed. Complaint was alleged against Fordyce Police Department.

12/19/23-Phone call made to Chris Butler of Millcreek around 2:30PM. Client ██████████ had a Dr.'s appt. at 1:00PM. Results are not available yet. Results will be emailed to licensing upon receipt. ██████████ remains at facility. ██████████ was out of supervision of staff for a period of time before being apprehended on facility grounds. Staff were immediately aware of ██████████ elopement and followed protocol.