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Notice of Serious Incident

Case Number: 019005

Date of Incident: 2/5/2024

Date Received by PRLU: 2/6/2024

Facility Name: Elizabeth Mitchell Centers

Facility Number: 157

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: On February 5, 2024 a client started a physical altercation with DOB DOB . After the altercation was taken to ACH for an evaluation out of an abundance of caution, client was evaluated for cervical spine pain. Client was cleared and transported back to the Centers. Staff was given instructions to care for muscle strain. Clients is in out of state custody and the guardian was notified.

Interim Action Narrative: Resident was taken to AR Children's Hospital for an evaluation.

Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: Program Coordinator reviewed provider reported incident for licensing concerns. Program Coordinator will inquire about camera footage, nursing note, and if there are witness statements. Facility reported that there is camera footage. Program Coordinator will schedule a day and time to review camera footage. 2/12/2024, Program Coordinator reviewed camera footage.

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521 Visit Compliance Report

Licensee: Elizabeth Mitchell Centers

Facility Number: 157

Licensee Address: 6501 W 12TH ST LITTLE ROCK AR 72204-1511

Licensing Specialist: Kendra Rice

Person In Charge: Paul Hofstad

Record Visit Date: 2/12/2024

Home Visit Date: 2/12/2024

Purpose of Visit: Self Report Visit

Regulations Out of Compliance:

Regulations Needing Technical Assistance:

Regulation Not Applicable:

Regulations Not Correctable:

Narrative:

Time of visit: 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Census: 46

Licensing received provider reported incident on 2/6/2024 for ELS Incident #019005.

Program Coordinator reviewed camera footage with Centers' staff. This incident took place in a classroom. Two staff members were observed in the classroom.

Resident was observed standing by the teacher's desk. The teacher was sitting behind the desk with the resident beside her, and a peer sitting in front of the desk. Resident walked away from the desk toward the wall on the opposite side of the room.

While standing by the wall, a peer approached the resident and attacked her. The staff member sitting on the opposite side of the room was observed running toward the two residents. Running to the residents, Program Coordinator observed the teacher on her walkie while going toward the residents.

Other staff members were observed entering the classroom to assist with separating the residents. The resident was escorted out of the classroom. The peer was observed coming from the side of the room where she attacked the resident and return to her seat.

Provider Comments:

CCL Staff Signature :

Provider Signature :

Barbara Mc Cury

Date: 2/12/2024

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