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Notice of Serious Incident

Case Number: 022774

Date of Incident: 7/24/2024

Date Received: 7/24/2024

Facility Name: Elizabeth Mitchell Centers

Facility Number: 157

Incident Type: Licensing

Report Description: On 7/22/2024 EMAC client, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] went to the nurse's station to get her medication and the nurse grabbed the wrong medicine cup and gave to the client. The client received Topamax, Seroquel, Claritin, and Trazadone. The client was monitored by nursing and vital signs were taken after the medicine was consumed. On 7/23/2024 [REDACTED] stated she had a headache and was dizzy. [REDACTED] was taken to Urgent Care to be seen. While at Urgent Care the doctor stated that the meds will have to wear off. [REDACTED] returned to the Centers. [REDACTED] is [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and the guardian was notified of the incident.

Interim Action Narrative: Resident was evaluated at Urgent Care.

Maltreatment Narrative:

Licensing Narrative: Program Coordinator reviewed provider reported incident for licensing concerns. Program Coordinator inquired about if nurse was disciplined and what plan will be implemented to prevent this from happening again. 7/29/2024, Program Coordinator followed up with facility. Three nurses were written up following this incident and all have received retraining. Program Coordinator requested copy of training roster. Facility provided the Performance Improvement Plan for the nurses. The nurses will have a

meeting on the 7th and all will be given the training. The nurse involved will receive the training when returning tomorrow, 7/30/2024. 8/1/2024, Program Coordinator inquired about training documentation for the nurse named in this provider reported incident. 8/2/2024, Program Coordinator requested for facility to send a copy of the roster for the training scheduled for 8/7/2024. 8/6/2024, Program Coordinator received a phone call from the facility stating that the nurse involved in this incident resigned. No training documentation is available for this nurse due to her resigning. 8/9/2024, Program Coordinator followed up with facility on providing a copy of training roster. Facility provided copy of training roster and it has been uploaded.