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Subject: Nursing Home State Licensure Survey Findings for The Michigan Veterans Home Grand Rapids

An onsite state nursing home licensure survey was conducted on October 26, 2021, at The Michigan Veterans Home Grand Rapids pursuant to the Michigan Public Health Code, Act 368 of 1978, Part 201, Section 333.20155, which requires the department to make at least one visit to each licensed health facility or agency every 3 years for survey and evaluation for the purpose of licensure. A nursing home in Michigan is required to be licensed under the Michigan Public Health Code Act 368 of 1978 Part 217, Section 333.21711.

Participants included:

- Shawne Cripps, Healthcare Surveyor
- Carly MacDonald, Administrator

Findings: **333.20173a Covered facilities; criminal history checks.** No facility employees or contractors who have access to residents of the facility completed the miltcpartnership.gov criminal background fingerprint check. On November 15, 2021, the administrator provided evidence employees and contractors have begun the process of fingerprinting as required by the statute. The administrator has agreed to address the criminal background fingerprinting concern/practice to their Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement committee to ensure the practice was corrected and compliance maintained. Compliance was identified on November 15, 2021. No additional follow-up is necessary at this time. Substantial compliance will be addressed at the next onsite survey.

Based on the onsite state nursing home licensure survey findings, The Michigan Veterans Home Grand Rapids is in compliance with the Michigan Public Health Code, Act 368 of 1978, Article 17 Facilities and Agencies, Part 201 General Provisions (MCL 333.20101 through 333.20211); Part 17 Nursing Homes (MCL 333.21701 through 333.21799e); and/or the Michigan Administrative Rules for Health Facilities or Agencies (R 325.45101 through R 325.45385).

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions or concerns.

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