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State Licensing Infection Control Section Survey Report

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Date of Survey

1/7/2021

General Information

An infection control focused state licensure survey was conducted under the authority afforded by Parts 201 and 217 of the Public Health Code, Act 368 of 1978, and Licensing Health Facilities and Agencies Administrative Rules, R 325.45101 through 325.45385, with focus on Part 3, Subpart C – Infection Prevention and Control at SKLD Ionia nursing care facility.

Survey Findings

Compliant – Findings Through Corrective Actions Identified Onsite:

The survey identified the following findings:

R 325.45135 Rule 135; Infection prevention and control policies and procedures

During the survey, the facility's policies and procedures for transmission-based precautions did not address the multi-route transmission-based precautions.

At the time of survey, the facility identified it would take the following actions, edit policies and procedures to include multi-route transmission-based precautions.

- This is an acceptable plan to correct the issue(s) identified.
- Actual compliance will be verified at the time of the next onsite licensure survey.

R 325.45139 Rule 139; Personnel; communicable disease screening; immunization; mitigation

R 325.45145; Rule 145; Employee; health; communicable disease

R 325.45183; Rule 183; Employee records

Interview with the Director of Nursing revealed the facility currently screens new employees for TB, Influenza and Hepatitis B. Director of Nursing confirmed the facility does not conduct baseline screening for communicable diseases as referenced in this administrative rule.

At the time of survey, the facility identified it would take the following actions, the facility will be working with corporate on screening the immunization status of personnel for vaccine preventable diseases as designated in the "Healthcare Personnel Vaccination Recommendations," 2017 edition, published by the Immunization Action Coalition (IAC) and plans to educate staff on these changes.

- This is an acceptable plan to correct the issue(s) identified.
- Actual compliance will be verified at the time of the next onsite licensure survey.

In summary, SKLD Ionia facility is in compliance with the applicable infection control focused portions of Parts 201 and 217 of the Public Health Code, Act 368 of 1978, and Licensing Health Facilities and Agencies Administrative Rules, R 325.45101 through 325.45385.

Please feel free to contact me directly with any questions or concerns.



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