

Team Advocacy Inspection for April 24, 2019
Beard Residential Care Facility #1
Inspection conducted by Kristy Caldwell, P&A Team Advocate,
Jessica Garrido, P&A Employee, and Austin Smith, Volunteer

Facility Information

Beard Residential Care Facility #1 is located in Florence County at 123 N Warren St., Timmonsville, SC 29161. Team arrived at the facility at 11:00 AM and exited the facility at 12:30 PM. The administrator, Catherine Beard, was not present for the inspection. The facility is operated by Catherine Beard. There was one staff member present when Team arrived. The facility is licensed for ten beds. The census was nine with eight residents present on the day of Team's inspection. The DHEC license had an expiration date of April 30, 2019. An administrator's license was current and posted. The facility had a written emergency plan to evacuate to Gene's Residential Care Facility #2, 2385 Pamplico Highway, Florence, SC 29505.

Overview of Visit

During Team's visit we interviewed three residents; talked to residents and staff; reviewed three residents' records, medications and medication administration records; and toured the facility. Team did not observe lunch. A menu was posted with fried chicken, salad, bread, peaches and tea as lunch. Team conducted an exit interview with the staff.

Report Summary

Two residents reported needing toiletry items. Two residents reported needing eyeglasses. Two residents reported needing dentures. Two residents reported needing dental and vision exams. One resident reported needing a podiatry exam. The flooring buckled in some spots on the front porch. Resident A's most recent physical exam shows a low salt diet; in contrast, the most recent individual care plan had regular. Resident C's Divalproex Sod ER 500mg, take 2 tablets at bedtime, present was it was not on the MAR. DHEC inspections were not available for review. The kitchen water temperature was 112.4°.

Areas of Commendation

- The facility was clean and free of any odors. Resident rooms were organized and clean. It was very spacious with tall ceilings. The facility was home-like with multiple sitting areas, hangings on walls and cute curtains on windows. The wrap around porch had multiple chairs for residents to use.
- A current activity calendar was posted. Activities included arts and crafts, Bible study, a nature walk and dots drawing.

- The facility had adequate supply of food available.
- Staff was very helpful during the inspection.
- The facility was kept at a comfortable temperature.
- Individual care plans were current and updated as needed.
- Monthly observation notes were current.
- The controlled substance log coincided with the amount of medication present.
- Current First Aid/CPR training documentation was present. SLED checks were completed.
- Team observed residents coming and going as they pleased.

Areas Needing Improvement

Health/Safety

- No concerns noted.

Supervision & Administrator

- No concerns noted.

Residents' Rights

- No concerns noted.

Recreation

- No concerns noted.

Residents' Activities of Daily Living (ADLs)

- Two residents reported needing eyeglasses.
- Two residents reported needing dentures.
- Two residents reported needing shoes.
- Two residents reported needing various toiletry products.
- One resident reported needing a shower chair and lift.

Medication Storage and Administration

- Resident C's had Divalproex Sod ER500mg, take 2 tablets at bedtime, available with their other medications but it was not on the MAR.

Meals & Food Storage

- No concerns noted.

Resident Records

- Resident A's last quarterly report was dated 6/20/18.
- Resident B did not have any quarterly reports available.
- Resident C's last quarterly report was dated 3/20/18.

Resident Personal Needs Allowances

- No concerns noted.

Appropriateness of Placement

- No concerns noted.

Personnel Records

- A health Assessment was not available for review for one staff member.

Housekeeping, Maintenance, Furnishings

- Outside two crawl space entryways were exposed and without doors.
- The flooring buckled in several areas on the front porch.

Additional Recommendations

- One resident would like to move.

Please Note: Residents listed in the report are assigned random gender identification. This is for the purpose of making the report easier to read. However, the gender does not identify the individuals in the report.