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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER  BRICKYARD HEALTHCARE -SYCAMORE VILLAGE CARE CENT				STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP COD 2905 W SYCAMORE ST KOKOMO, IN 46901			
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E 0000  Bldg. --	<p>An Emergency Preparedness Survey was conducted by the Indiana Department of Health in accordance with 42 CFR 483.73.</p> <p>Survey Date: 01/14/25</p> <p>Facility Number: 000258 Provider Number: 155367 AIM Number: 100289160</p> <p>At this Emergency Preparedness survey, Brickyard Healthcare-Sycamore Village Care Center was found in compliance with Emergency Preparedness Requirements for Medicare and Medicaid Participating Providers and Suppliers, 42 CFR 483.73</p> <p>The facility has 110 certified beds. At the time of the survey, the census was 91.</p> <p>Quality Review completed on 01/15/25</p>			E 0000			
K 0000  Bldg. 01	<p>A Life Safety Code Recertification and State Licensure Survey was conducted by the Indiana Department of Health in accordance with 42 CFR 483.90(a).</p> <p>Survey Date: 01/14/25</p> <p>Facility Number: 000258 Provider Number: 155367 AIM Number: 100289160</p> <p>At this Life Safety Code survey, Brickyard</p>			K 0000	Preparation, submission and implementation of this Plan of Correction does not constitute an admission or agreement with the facts and conclusions set forth on the survey report. Our Plan of Correction was prepared and executed as a means to continuously improve the quality of care and comply with all applicable federal and state requirements.		

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE

TITLE

(X6) DATE

Rachel Sailors

Executive Director

01/29/2025

Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (\*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (see instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosed days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.

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K 0222 SS=E Bldg. 01	<p>Healthcare-Sycamore Village Care Center was found not in compliance with Requirements for Participation in Medicare/Medicaid, 42 CFR Subpart 483.90(a), Life Safety from Fire and the 2012 edition of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 101, Life Safety Code (LSC), Chapter 19, Existing Health Care Occupancies and 410 IAC 16.2.</p> <p>This one-story facility was determined to be of Type V (111) construction and was fully sprinklered. The facility has a fire alarm system with smoke detection in the corridors, areas open to the corridors and battery powered smoke detectors in the resident sleeping rooms. The facility has a capacity of 110 and had a census of 91 at the time of this survey.</p> <p>All areas where the residents have customary access were sprinklered. All areas providing facility services were sprinklered.</p> <p>Quality Review completed on 01/15/25</p> <p>NFPA 101 Egress Doors</p> <p>Based on observation and interview, the facility failed to ensure the means of egress through 1 of 8 delayed egress locks was readily accessible for all residents, staff and visitors. LSC 7.2.1.6.1.1 Delayed-Egress Locking Systems allows approved, listed, delayed-egress locks shall be permitted to be installed on door assemblies serving low and ordinary hazard contents in buildings protected throughout by an approved, supervised automatic fire detection system installed in accordance with Section 9.6, or an approved, supervised automatic sprinkler system installed in accordance with Section 9.7, and</p>		K 0222	Doors in a required means of egress shall not be equipped with a latch or a lock that requires the use of a tool or key from the egress side unless using one of the following special locking arrangements: Testing and maintenance inspection to comply with requirements was completed on 1-15-2025 and will be conducted on weekly basis moving forward. Weekly compliance will be tracked in the		01/29/2025	

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	<p>where permitted in Chapters 11 through 43, provided:</p> <p>(1) The door leaves shall unlock in the direction of egress upon activation of one of the following:</p> <p>(a) Approved, supervised automatic sprinkler system installed in accordance with Section 9.7</p> <p>(b) Not more than one heat detector of an approved, supervised automatic fire detections system in accordance with section 9.6</p> <p>(c) Not more than two smoke detectors of an approved, supervised automatic fire detection system in accordance with Section 9.6</p> <p>(2) The door leaves shall unlock in the direction of egress upon loss of power controlling the lock or locking mechanism.</p> <p>(3) An irreversible process shall release the lock in the direction of egress within 15 seconds, or 30 seconds where approved by the authority having jurisdiction, upon application of a force to the release device required in 7.2.1.5.10 under all of the following conditions:</p> <p>(a) The force shall not be required to exceed 15 lbf (67 N).</p> <p>(b) The force shall not be required to be continuously applied for more than 3 seconds.</p> <p>(c) The initiation of the release process shall activate an audible signal in the vicinity of the door opening.</p> <p>(d) Once the door lock has been released by the application of force to the releasing device, relocking shall be by manual means only.</p> <p>(4) A readily visible, durable sign in letters not less than 1 in. (25mm) high and at least 1/8 in. (3.2mm) in stroke width on a contrasting background that reads as follows shall be located on the door leaf adjacent to the release device in the direction of egress:</p> <p>"PUSH UNTIL ALARM SOUNDS. DOOR CAN BE OPENED IN 15 SECONDS".</p> <p>(5) The egress side of the doors equipped with</p>				TELS system. Maintenance will report on this life safety item no less than quarterly in perpetuity.		

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K 0324 SS=E Bldg. 01	<p>delayed-egress locks shall be provided with emergency lighting in accordance with 7.9. This deficient practice could affect all residents, staff and visitors.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Based on observations made on 01/14/25 with the Maintenance Director during a tour of the facility at 11:25 a.m., the main entrance / exit door was provided with a delayed egress lock and was provided with the proper signage indicating the doors can be opened in 15 seconds by pushing on the door, however, when the doors were pushed, the irreversible process to release the lock was not initiated. This was acknowledged by the Maintenance Director at the time of the observation who added that he would have his vendor come out and make adjustments to the door as needed as soon as possible.</p> <p>This item was discussed with the Maintenance Director and the facility Administrator at the exit conference on 01/14/25.</p> <p>3.1-19(b)</p> <p>NFPA 101 Cooking Facilities</p>			K 0324			01/29/2025
	<p>Based on observation and interview, the facility failed to provide an approved method for returning cooking appliances to where they were when the kitchen hood extinguishing equipment was designed and installed for 1 of 1 kitchen hood extinguishing system. NFPA 96, Standard for Ventilation Control and Fire Protection of Commercial Cooking Operations Section 2011 Edition Section 12.1.2.2, states cooking appliances requiring protection shall not be moved, modified,</p>				<p>The corrective action for the areas found to be affected by this alleged deficient practice are as follows; The deficient practice could affect as many as 32 residents, 6 staff, and 2 visitors in the facility. The facility Maintenance Director ordered a dormont posi-set caster placement safety set system on</p>		

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	<p>or rearranged without prior re-evaluation of the fire-extinguishing system by the system installer or servicing agent, unless otherwise allowed by the design of the fire extinguishing system. Section 12.1.2.3 states the fire-extinguishing system shall not require reevaluation where the cooking appliances are moved for the purposes of maintenance and cleaning, provided the appliances are returned to approved design location prior to cooking operations, and any disconnected fire-extinguishing system nozzles attached to the appliances are reconnected in accordance with the manufacturer's listed design manual. Section 12.1.2.3.1 states an approved method shall be provided that will ensure that the appliance is returned to an approved design location. The deficient practice could affect as many as 32 residents, 6 staff, and 2 visitors in the facility.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Based on observations made during a tour of the facility with the Maintenance Director on 01/14/25 at 11:45 a.m., the four (4) burner stove and the flat grill which was located on the cooking line under the hood in the kitchen were not provided with an approved method that would ensure that the appliances were returned to an approved design location after they had been moved for maintenance and/or cleaning. Based on interview at the time of the observation, the Maintenance Director stated that he was not aware an approved method should be provided to ensure that the appliances were returned to an approved design location after maintenance or cleaning and that he would have something done to the kitchen stove or floor to meet code compliance as soon as possible.</p>				<p>1-22-2025 and was installed on 1-28-2025. The maintenance director will place in TELS to ensure the safety system is in place on a monthly basis and will have any deficiencies or repairs completed immediately. Maintenance will report on this life safety item no less than quarterly in perpetuity.</p>		

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K 0712 SS=F Bldg. 01	<p>This item was discussed with the Maintenance Director and the facility Administrator at the exit conference on 01/14/25.</p> <p>3.1-19(b)</p> <p>NFPA 101 Fire Drills</p> <p>Based on record review and interview, the facility failed to conduct quarterly fire drills for 1 of 4 quarters. LSC 19.7.1.6 requires drills to be conducted quarterly on each shift under varied conditions. This deficient practice affects all residents, staff, and visitors.</p> <p>Findings include:</p> <p>Based on record review of the monthly fire drill documentation entitled "Fire Drill" report form with the Maintenance Director on 01/14/25 at 9:34 a.m., there was no documentation for a third shift fire drill conducted within the fourth quarter (October, November, and December) of 2025. Based on interview at the time of record review, the Maintenance Director acknowledged the aforementioned missing fire drill documentation stating that he had completed two second shift fire drills and mistakenly thought that one of those two fire drills was completed on the third shift.</p> <p>This item was discussed with the Maintenance Director and the facility Administrator at the exit conference on 01/14/25.</p> <p>3.1-19(b) 3.1-51(c)</p>		K 0712	<p>The corrective action for the areas found to be affected by this alleged deficient practice are as follow; .This deficient practice affects all residents, staff, and visitors. Maintenance completed a third shift fire drill on 1-29-2025. The facility maintenance director will ensure there is a two-hour difference for drills on varying shifts. The maintenance director will put a monthly self-audit in TELS. The maintenance director will report on this life safety item no less than quarterly in perpetuity.</p>		01/29/2025	