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August 26, 2026

Licensee

Aaran Assisted Living Inc
2509 98th Avenue North
Brooklyn Park, MN 55444

RE: Project Number(s) SL41031015

Dear Licensee:

This is your **official notice** that you have been **granted your assisted living facility license**. Your license effective and expiration dates remain the same as on your provisional license. Your updated status will be listed on the license certificate at renewal and **this letter serves as proof** in the meantime. If you have not received a letter from us with information regarding renewing your license within 60 days prior to your expiration date, please contact us at (651) 201-5273 or by email at Health.assistedliving@state.mn.us.

The Minnesota Department of Health completed an initial survey on July 29, 2026, for the purpose assessing compliance with state licensing statutes. At the time of the survey, the Minnesota Department of Health noted violations of the laws pursuant to Minnesota Statute, Chapter 144G.

The Department of Health concludes the licensee is in substantial compliance. State law requires the facility must take action to correct the state correction orders and document the actions taken to comply in the facility's records. The Department reserves the right to return to the facility at any time should the Department receive a complaint or deem it necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of residents in your care.

STATE CORRECTION ORDERS

The enclosed State Form documents the state correction orders. The Department of Health documents state correction orders using federal software. Tag numbers are assigned to Minnesota state statutes for Home Care Providers. The assigned tag number appears in the far left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state statute number and the corresponding text of the state statute out of compliance are listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column. This column also includes the findings that are in violation of the state statute after the statement, "This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by . . ."

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.31 Subd. 4, MDH may assess fines based on the level and scope of the violations; **however, no immediate fines are assessed for this survey of your facility.**

DOCUMENTATION OF ACTION TO COMPLY

Per Minn. Stat. § 144G.30, Subd. 5(c), the licensee must document actions taken to comply with the

correction orders within the time period outlined on the state form; however, plans of correction are not required to be submitted for approval.

The correction order documentation should include the following:

- Identify how the area(s) of noncompliance was corrected related to the resident(s)/employee(s) identified in the correction order.
- Identify how the area(s) of noncompliance was corrected for all of the provider's residents/employees that may be affected by the noncompliance.
- Identify what changes to your systems and practices were made to ensure compliance with the specific statute(s).

CORRECTION ORDER RECONSIDERATION PROCESS

In accordance with Minn. Stat. § 144G.32, Subd. 2, you may challenge the correction order issued, including the level and scope, and any fine assessed through the correction order reconsideration process. The request for reconsideration must be in writing and received by the Department of Health within 15 calendar days of the correction order receipt date.

To submit a reconsideration request, please visit:

<https://forms.web.health.state.mn.us/form/HRDAppealsForm>

The MDH Health Regulation Division (HRD) values your feedback about your experience during the survey and/or investigation process. Please fill out this anonymous provider feedback questionnaire at your convenience at this link: **<https://forms.office.com/g/Bm5uQEPhVa>**. Your input is important to us and will enable MDH to improve its processes and communication with providers.

You are encouraged to retain this document for your records. It is your responsibility to share the information contained in the letter and state form with your organization's Governing Body.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,



Jess Schoenecker, Supervisor
State Evaluation Team
Email: Jess.Schoenecker@state.mn.us
Telephone: 651-201-3789 Fax: 1-866-890-9290

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STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 41031	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING _____		(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED 07/29/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER AARAN ASSISTED LIVING INC		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2509 98TH AVENUE NORTH BROOKLYN PARK, MN 55444			
(X4) ID PREFIX TAG	SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES (EACH DEFICIENCY MUST BE PRECEDED BY FULL REGULATORY OR LSC IDENTIFYING INFORMATION)	ID PREFIX TAG	PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION (EACH CORRECTIVE ACTION SHOULD BE CROSS-REFERENCED TO THE APPROPRIATE DEFICIENCY)		(X5) COMPLETE DATE
0 000	Initial Comments *****ATTENTION***** ASSISTED LIVING PROVIDER LICENSING CORRECTION ORDER In accordance with Minnesota Statutes, section 144G.08 to 144G.95, these correction orders are issued pursuant to a survey. Determination of whether violations are corrected requires compliance with all requirements provided at the Statute number indicated below. When Minnesota Statute contains several items, failure to comply with any of the items will be considered lack of compliance. INITIAL COMMENTS: SL#41031015-0 On July 27, 2026, through July 29, 2026, the Minnesota Department of Health conducted a survey at the above provider, and the following correction orders are issued. At the time of the survey, there were two (2) residents; 2 receiving services under the Provisional Assisted Living license.	0 000	Minnesota Department of Health is documenting the State Correction Orders using federal software. Tag numbers have been assigned to Minnesota State Statutes for Assisted Living License Providers. The assigned tag number appears in the far-left column entitled "ID Prefix Tag." The state Statute number and the corresponding text of the state Statute out of compliance is listed in the "Summary Statement of Deficiencies" column. This column also includes the findings which are in violation of the state requirement after the statement, "This Minnesota requirement is not met as evidenced by." Following the surveyors' findings is the Time Period for Correction. PLEASE DISREGARD THE HEADING OF THE FOURTH COLUMN WHICH STATES,"PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION." THIS APPLIES TO FEDERAL DEFICIENCIES ONLY. THIS WILL APPEAR ON EACH PAGE. THERE IS NO REQUIREMENT TO SUBMIT A PLAN OF CORRECTION FOR VIOLATIONS OF MINNESOTA STATE STATUTES. THE LETTER IN THE LEFT COLUMN IS USED FOR TRACKING PURPOSES AND REFLECTS THE SCOPE AND LEVEL ISSUED PURSUANT TO 144G.31 SUBDIVISION 1-3.		
0 660 SS=D	144G.42 Subd. 9 Tuberculosis prevention and control	0 660			

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

TITLE

(X6) DATE

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0 660	Continued From page 1 (a) The facility must establish and maintain a comprehensive tuberculosis infection control program according to the most current tuberculosis infection control guidelines issued by the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Division of Tuberculosis Elimination, as published in the CDC's Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report. The program must include a tuberculosis infection control plan that covers all paid and unpaid employees, contractors, students, and regularly scheduled volunteers. The commissioner shall provide technical assistance regarding implementation of the guidelines. (b) The facility must maintain written evidence of compliance with this subdivision. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to establish and maintain a tuberculosis (TB) prevention and control program based on the most current guidelines issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) when the licensee failed to complete a TB baseline screening for one of five employees (licensed assisted living director (LALD)-A). This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include:	0 660			

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0 660	Continued From page 2 The licensee completed a facility TB risk assessment on March 22, 2026, indicated the facility was a low risk for TB transmission. LALD-A was hired on May 6, 2026. LALD-A's employee record included one completed TB skin test dated May 6, 2026, but lacked documentation of a completed second TB skin test. On July 27, 2026, at approximately 12:50 p.m., LALD-A stated they were unaware that a second TB skin test had to be completed and would schedule to complete the second TB skin test soon. The licensee's Tuberculosis Screening/Prevention policy, dated July 28, 2025, indicated all staff were required as a part of their employment to be tested for TB via tuberculin skin testing (TST) or serum blood test. The Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) guidelines, Regulations for Tuberculosis Control in Minnesota Health Care Settings, dated July 2013, and the CDC guidelines, indicated an employee may begin working with residents after a negative TB history and symptom screen (no symptoms of active TB disease) and a negative IGRA (serum blood test) or TST (first step) dated within 90 days before hire. The second TST may be performed after the HCW (health care worker) starts working with patients. Baseline TB screening should be documented in the employees' record. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one	0 660			

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0 660	Continued From page 3 (21) days	0 660			
0 680 SS=F	144G.42 Subd. 10 Disaster planning and emergency preparedness (a) The facility must meet the following requirements: (1) have a written emergency disaster plan that contains a plan for evacuation, addresses elements of sheltering in place, identifies temporary relocation sites, and details staff assignments in the event of a disaster or an emergency; (2) post an emergency disaster plan prominently; (3) provide building emergency exit diagrams to all residents; (4) post emergency exit diagrams on each floor; and (5) have a written policy and procedure regarding missing residents. (b) The facility must provide emergency and disaster training to all staff during the initial staff orientation and annually thereafter and must make emergency and disaster training annually available to all residents. Staff who have not received emergency and disaster training are allowed to work only when trained staff are also working on site. (c) The facility must meet any additional requirements adopted in rule. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to have a written emergency preparedness plan (EPP) with all the required content. This had the potential to affect all residents, employees, and visitors.	0 680			

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0 680	Continued From page 4 This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death), and was issued at a widespread scope (when problems are pervasive or represent a systemic failure that has affected or has potential to affect a large portion or all of the residents). The findings include: On July 27, 2026, at approximately 11:30 a.m., licensed assisted living director (LALD)-A provided a binder and stated the contents were the licensee's EPP. The licensee's EPP, dated March 10, 2026, lacked an individualized plan to include all the required content below: -missing resident quarterly review; and -emergency preparedness (EP) training and testing program. On July 27, 2026, at approximately 12:00 a.m., LALD-A acknowledged the licensee's EPP lacked the above listed required content and stated the licensee was not aware of all the requirements of Appendix Z. The licensee's Emergency Preparedness policy, dated July 28, 2025, indicated the licensee would have an identified EPP in place to assure the safety and well-being of residents and staff during periods of an emergency or disaster that disrupts services. The licensee's Missing Resident policy, dated July 8, 2025, indicated the licensee would review the missing resident plan at least quarterly and	0 680			

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0 680	Continued From page 5 document any changes to the plan. Minnesota Administrative Rule 4659.0100 dated August 11, 2021, indicated assisted living facilities shall comply with the federal emergency preparedness regulations for long-term care facilities under Code of Federal Regulations title 42, section 483.72, or successor requirements. This part referenced documents, specifications, methods, and standards in "State Operations Manual Appendix Z - Emergency Preparedness for All Provider and Certified Supplier Types: Interpretive Guidance." No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	0 680			
01470 SS=D	144G.63 Subd. 2 Content of required orientation (a) The orientation must contain the following topics: (1) an overview of this chapter; (2) an introduction and review of the facility's policies and procedures related to the provision of assisted living services by the individual staff person; (3) handling of emergencies and use of emergency services; (4) compliance with and reporting of the maltreatment of vulnerable adults under section 626.557 to the Minnesota Adult Abuse Reporting Center (MAARC); (5) the assisted living bill of rights and staff responsibilities related to ensuring the exercise and protection of those rights; (6) the principles of person-centered planning and service delivery and how they apply to direct	01470			

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01470	Continued From page 6 support services provided by the staff person; (7) handling of residents' complaints, reporting of complaints, and where to report complaints, including information on the Office of Health Facility Complaints; (8) consumer advocacy services of the Office of Ombudsman for Long-Term Care, Office of Ombudsman for Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, Managed Care Ombudsman at the Department of Human Services, county-managed care advocates, or other relevant advocacy services; and (9) a review of the types of assisted living services the staff member will be providing and the facility's category of licensure. (b) In addition to the topics in paragraph (a), orientation may also contain training on providing services to residents with hearing loss. Any training on hearing loss provided under this subdivision must be high quality and research based, may include online training, and must include training on one or more of the following topics: (1) an explanation of age-related hearing loss and how it manifests itself, its prevalence, and the challenges it poses to communication; (2) health impacts related to untreated age-related hearing loss, such as increased incidence of dementia, falls, hospitalizations, isolation, and depression; or (3) information about strategies and technology that may enhance communication and involvement, including communication strategies, assistive listening devices, hearing aids, visual and tactile alerting devices, communication access in real time, and closed captions.	01470			

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01470	Continued From page 7 This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the licensee failed to ensure orientation with all the required content was completed for one of five employees (clinical nurse supervisor (CNS)-B). This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: CNS-B was hired on January 1, 2025. On July 27, 2026, at approximately 10:45 a.m., during the entrance conference, agent (A)-C stated A-C and licensed assisted living director (LALD)-A were responsible for all orientation requirements for the licensee. CNS-B's employee record lacked documentation of a completed orientation to assisted living regulations with the required content related to: -review of provider's policies and procedures; -reporting maltreatment of vulnerable adults or minors; -handling of resident complaints, reporting of complaints, where to report; and -consumer advocacy services. On July 27, 2026, at approximately 2:45 p.m., A-C stated CNS-B's orientation was started by a	01470			

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01470	Continued From page 8 previous LALD that worked for the licensee and all CNS-B's orientation was not completed as the licensee went through a transition when LALD-A was hired for the licensee. The licensee's Staff Orientation and Education policy, dated July 28, 2025, indicated the required orientation content would be provided to employees. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Twenty-one (21) days	01470			
01880 SS=D	144G.71 Subd. 19 Storage of medications An assisted living facility must store all prescription medications in securely locked and substantially constructed compartments according to the manufacturer's directions and permit only authorized personnel to have access. This MN Requirement is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, interview, and record review, the licensee failed to ensure medications were stored securely for one of two residents (R1) reviewed with medication management services. This practice resulted in a level two violation (a violation that did not harm a resident's health or safety but had the potential to have harmed a resident's health or safety, but was not likely to cause serious injury, impairment, or death) and was issued at an isolated scope (when one or a limited number of residents are affected or one or a limited number of staff are involved, or the	01880			

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01880	Continued From page 9 situation has occurred only occasionally). The findings include: On July 27, 2026, at approximately 10:00 a.m., during a tour of the facility with agent (A)-C, the surveyor observed six (6) prefilled pens of R1's medication Wegovy (semaglutide) 2.4 milligrams (mg)/0.75 milliliter (ml) (used to reduce appetite for weight loss) stored in a temperature tracked unlocked refrigerator along with the resident's food in the kitchen on the main level of the facility. On July 27, 2026, at approximately 10:05 a.m., A-C confirmed that the kitchen refrigerator was unlocked and R1's medication Wegovy was unsecured. A-C stated the licensee's small medication refrigerator recently malfunctioned and R1's Wegovy medication was moved into the kitchen refrigerator and stored there until the licensee can acquire a new small refrigerator. On July 27, 2026, at approximately 10:45 a.m., during the entrance conference, clinical nurse supervisor (CNS)-B stated the licensee provided medication management to all the residents. R1 was admitted on May 18, 2026, with diagnoses including bipolar disorder and anxiety. R1's Master Care Plan, dated May 19, 2026, indicated R1 services provided included medication administration. R1's Assessment dated May 31, 2026, indicated R1's medication management included medications are securely stored in designated medication storage areas. R1's signed current medications list, dated May	01880			

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01880	Continued From page 10 18, 2026, indicated Wegovy 2.4 mg/0.75 ml inject 2.4 mg subcutaneously one time weekly for four (4) weeks. The licensee's Storage/Control of Medications policy, dated July 28, 2025, indicated the licensee would securely store resident medications requiring refrigeration in an area separated from foods. No further information was provided. TIME PERIOD FOR CORRECTION: Seven (7) days	01880			

Food & Beverage Inspection Report

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Establishment Info

AARAN ASSISTED LIVING INC
2509 98th Ave N
Brooklyn Park, MN 55444
Hennepin County
Parcel:

Phone:

License Info

License: HFID 41031

Risk:
License:
Expires on:
CFPM: Dahir Ali
CFPM #: 65476; Exp: 3/9/2029

Inspection Info

Report Number: F1068261048
Inspection Type: Full - Single
Date: 7/27/2026 Time: 3:50:36 PM
Duration: minutes
Announced Inspection: Yes
Total Priority 1 Orders: 1
Total Priority 2 Orders: 0
Total Priority 3 Orders: 0
Delivery: Emailed

! New Order: 7-200 Toxic Supplies and Applications

7-207.11B *Priority Level: Priority 1 CFP#: 28*

MN Rule 4626.1660B Label and locate personal medications in areas that do not contaminate food, equipment, linens, and single-service and single-use articles.

COMMENT: MEDICATION STORED IN REFRIGERATOR ABOVE FOOD.

Comply By: 7/27/2026 Originally Issued On: 7/27/2026

Food & Beverage General Comment

THE INSPECTION WAS COMPLETED AND DISCUSSED WITH THE PERSON IN CHARGE AND HEALTH REGULATION DIVISION NURSING EVALUATOR, CARL SAMROCK (MDH).

THE ESTABLISHMENT HAS A RESIDENTIAL GRADE KITCHEN, INCLUDING THE REFRIGERATOR AND DISH MACHINE.

THE KITCHEN FINISHES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

FLOORS: VINYL PLANK
WALLS: SMOOTH, PAINTED
CEILINGS: PAINTED

THE ESTABLISHMENT HAS A SCHEDULED MEAL MENU FOR RESIDENTS. THE PERSON IN CHARGE STATED THAT ALL FOOD PREPARED FOR RESIDENTS IS KEPT NO LONGER THAN A DAY, USING SAME DAY SERVICE

THE FOLLOWING TOPICS WERE DISCUSSED DURING THE INSPECTION:

- HANDWASHING & DISPOSABLE GLOVE USE
- SANITIZATION CYCLE ON THE RESIDENTIAL DISH MACHINE
- SERVING A HIGHLY SUSCEPTIBLE POPULATION
- SAME DAY SERVICE
- BODILY FLUID CLEAN-UP PROCEDURES
- EMPLOYEE ILLNESS POLICY AND REPORTING PROCEDURES

ADDITIONAL FOLLOW-UP IS REQUIRED. SEND THE INSPECTOR PICTURES OF THE INTERNAL KITCHEN REFRIGERATOR THERMOMETER, SHOWING THAT THE UNIT IS CAPABLE OF MAINTAINING TCS FOODS AT 41 DEGREES F OR BELOW.

NOTE: All new food equipment must meet the applicable standards of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). Plans and specifications must be submitted for review and approval prior to new construction, remodeling or alterations.

I acknowledge receipt of the inspection report number F1068261048 from 7/27/2026

Gabriel Stark

Dahir Ali
Person in charge

Gabe Stark,
Public Health Sanitarian 2
gabe.stark@state.mn.us

Temperature Observations/Recordings

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AARAN ASSISTED LIVING INC	Report Number: F1068261048
Brooklyn Park	Inspection Type: Full
County/Group: Hennepin County	Date: 7/27/2026
	Time: 3:50:36 PM

Food Temperature: **Product/Item/Unit:** MILK; **Temperature Process:** Cold-Holding
Location: Refrigerator at 49 Degrees F.
Comment: PIC STATED FOOD HAD JUST BEEN PUT AWAY AFTER GROCERY SHOPPING
Violation Issued?: No

Food Temperature: **Product/Item/Unit:** BUTTER; **Temperature Process:** Cold-Holding
Location: Refrigerator at 50 Degrees F.
Comment: PIC STATED FOOD HAD JUST BEEN PUT AWAY AFTER GROCERY SHOPPING
Violation Issued?: No



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Establishment Info

AARAN ASSISTED LIVING INC
Brooklyn Park
County/Group: Hennepin County

Inspection Info

Report Number: F1068261048
Inspection Type: Full
Date: 7/27/2026
Time: 3:50:36 PM

Sanitizing Equipment: Product: Hot Water; **Sanitizing Process:** Dish Machine
Location: Kitchen **Equal To** 180 Degrees F.
Comment:
Violation Issued?: No



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Phone:

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Establishment Info

AARAN ASSISTED LIVING INC
2509 98th Ave N
Brooklyn Park, MN 55444
Hennepin County
Parcel:

Phone:

License Info

License: HFID 41031

Risk:
License:
Expires on:
CFPM:
CFPM #: ; Exp:

Inspection Info

Report Number: F1068261049
Inspection Type: Follow-up - Single
Date: 7/28/2026 Time: 9:33:55 AM
Duration: minutes
Announced Inspection:
Total Priority 1 Orders: 0
Total Priority 2 Orders: 0
Total Priority 3 Orders: 0
Delivery:

No orders were issued for this inspection report.

Food & Beverage General Comment

FOLLOW-UP CONDUCTED TO ENSURE SAFE FOOD OPERATIONS.

PERSON IN CHARGE PROVIDED PICTURE OF THE REFRIGERATOR, CONFIRMING THAT THE MEDICATION HAD BEEN RELOCATED AND THAT THE UNIT WAS ABLE TO MAINTAIN AMBIENT AIR TEMPERATURES AT 41 DEGREES F OR BELOW.

NO ADDITIONAL FOLLOW-UP IS REQUIRED.

NOTE: All new food equipment must meet the applicable standards of the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). Plans and specifications must be submitted for review and approval prior to new construction, remodeling or alterations.

I acknowledge receipt of the inspection report number F1068261049 from 7/28/2026

Establishment Representative

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