

Wisconsin Department of Health Services

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION		(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 0012426	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING: _____ B. WING: _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED C 07/21/2026
NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER COMFORTS OF HOME RIVER FALLS CBRF		STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 2328 AURORA CIRCLE RIVER FALLS, WI 54022		
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N 000	Initial Comments On 07/21/2026, Surveyor conducted a complaint investigation and standard survey at Comforts of Home River Falls CBRF. The complaint was unsubstantiated. One deficiency was identified. Census: 28	N 000		
N 416	83.37(2)(e) Other administration given or delegated by RN Other administration. Injectables, nebulizers, stomal and enteral medications, and medications, treatments or preparations delivered vaginally or rectally shall be administered by a registered nurse or by a licensed practical nurse within the scope of their license. Medication administration described under sub. (2)(e) may be delegated to non-licensed employees pursuant to s. N 6.03(3). This Rule is not met as evidenced by: Based on observation, record review, and interview, the provider did not ensure 2 of 2 employees responsible for the administration of medically oriented tasks including eye drops and injectables were delegated by a registered nurse. Medication administration described under sub. (2)(e) was not delegated to non-licensed employees pursuant to s.N6.03(3). Findings include: On 07/21/2026, at approximately 1:15 PM, Surveyor interviewed Caregiver A and asked if s/he was responsible for administering medication, including delegated nursing tasks. Caregiver A stated s/he was responsible for	N 416		

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N 416	Continued From page 1 passing medications including eye drops, taking blood sugars, and administering insulin. When asked if s/he was delegated by a registered nurse, Caregiver A stated s/he reviewed the information on delegation of those tasks with Registered Nurse (RN) B, but RN B did not require him/her to demonstrate each delegated task. Surveyor asked Caregiver A for clarification and Caregiver A informed Surveyor s/he was required to complete one medication pass with RN B prior to getting signed off. Caregiver A indicated that administration of one oral medication would count. On 07/21/2026 at approximately 1:26 PM, Surveyor observed Caregiver C administer one drop of Refresh into Resident 1's left eye. Surveyor asked Caregiver C if there were any other delegated tasks s/he was responsible for. Caregiver C informed Surveyor s/he was also responsible for blood sugar checks and administering insulin. Surveyor asked Caregiver C if s/he was delegated by a registered nurse to complete the tasks identified. Caregiver C stated at the time of delegation there were not a lot of delegated tasks prescribed, and informed Surveyor s/he was trained by Caregiver D to do eye drops, take blood sugars and inject insulin. Caregiver C informed Surveyor Caregiver D was not a registered nurse. Caregiver C stated RN B offered more training but did not observe him/her completing the tasks per the delegation requirements outlined in N6.03(3). Surveyor reviewed Caregiver A's employee record. Caregiver A had a hire date of 11/13/2023. The record contained a document with the title, "Medication Administration Competency Observation/Delegation" that was	N 416		

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N 416	Continued From page 2 initialed and signed by Caregiver A and RN B. Surveyor reviewed Caregiver C's employee record. Caregiver C had a hire date of 02/17/2025. The record contained a document with the title, "New Hire Checklist for Orientation Med passer," which included nurse delegated tasks including blood sugar checks, insulin/sliding scale insulin, and eye drops. The checklist was initialed by Caregiver C and Caregiver D and signed off by RN B on 01/05/2026. Caregiver C's record contained a document with the title, "Medication Administration Competency Observation/Delegation," but delegated tasks were not initialed and left blank. The document had RN B's initials next to a section that included the following instructions: "-Wash or sanitize hands before med pass and between residents -Assured correct resident by verifying with photo or identified with other staff. -Informed resident that they were administering medications to them. -Mar reviewed for parameters or special instructions prior to giving meds. -Med cart locked and Mar concealed when cart is unattended. -Ensure resident takes med and stay with them until med is gone. -Medications given in scheduled time frame (1 hour before or after)." The document was signed by Caregiver D on 01/12/2026. RN B's signature was written below Caregiver D's signature, but no date was listed to document when RN B signed the incomplete document. The provider did not ensure staff were delegated	N 416		

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