March 23, 2018

Mary Ruth Butler, Administrator
Mountain Valley of Cascadia
601 West Cameron Avenue
Kellogg, ID 83837-2004

Provider #: 135065

RE: FACILITY FIRE SAFETY & CONSTRUCTION SURVEY REPORT COVER LETTER

Dear Ms. Butler:

On March 14, 2018, a Facility Fire Safety and Construction survey was conducted at Mountain Valley of Cascadia by the Department of Health & Welfare, Bureau of Facility Standards to determine if your facility was in compliance with State Licensure and Federal participation requirements for nursing homes participating in the Medicare and/or Medicaid programs. This survey found that your facility was not in substantial compliance with Medicare and Medicaid program participation requirements. This survey found the most serious deficiency to be a widespread deficiency that constitutes no actual harm with potential for more than minimal harm that is not immediate jeopardy, as documented on the enclosed CMS-2567, whereby significant corrections are required.

Enclosed is a Statement of Deficiencies and Plan of Correction, Form CMS-2567, listing Medicare and/or Medicaid deficiencies. If applicable, a similar State Form will be provided listing licensure health deficiencies. In the spaces provided on the right side of each sheet, answer each deficiency and state the date when each will be completed. Please provide ONLY ONE completion date for each federal and state tag in column (X5) Completion Date to signify when
you allege that each tag will be back in compliance. **NOTE:** The alleged compliance date must be after the "Date Survey Completed" (located in field X3) and on or before the "Opportunity to Correct" (listed on page 2). After each deficiency has been answered and dated, the administrator should sign the Statement of Deficiencies and Plan of Correction, CMS-2567 Form in the spaces provided and return the originals to this office. If a State Form with deficiencies was issued, it should be signed, dated and returned along with the CMS-2567 Form.

Your Plan of Correction (PoC) for the deficiencies must be submitted by **April 5, 2018.** Failure to submit an acceptable PoC by **April 5, 2018,** may result in the imposition of civil monetary penalties by **April 25, 2018.**

Your PoC must contain the following:

- What corrective action(s) will be accomplished for those residents found to have been affected by the deficient practice;

- How you will identify other residents having the potential to be affected by the same deficient practice and what corrective action(s) will be taken;

- What measures will be put into place or what systemic changes you will make to ensure that the deficient practice does not recur;

- How the corrective action(s) will be monitored to ensure the deficient practice will not recur, i.e., what quality assurance program will be put into place; and,

- Include dates when corrective action will be completed.

- The administrator must sign and date the first page of both the federal survey report, Form CMS-2567. If a State Form was issued as well, it should also be signed, dated and returned.

All references to federal regulatory requirements contained in this letter are found in Title 42, Code of Federal Regulations.

Remedies may be recommended for imposition by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) if your facility has failed to achieve substantial compliance by **April 18, 2018,** (Opportunity to Correct). Informal dispute resolution of the cited deficiencies will not delay the imposition of the enforcement actions recommended (or revised, as appropriate) on **April 18, 2018.** A change in the seriousness of the deficiencies on **April 18, 2018,** may result in a change in the remedy.
The remedy, which will be recommended if substantial compliance has not been achieved by April 18, 2018, includes the following:

Denial of payment for new admissions effective June 14, 2018.
42 CFR §488.417(a)

If you do not achieve substantial compliance within three (3) months after the last day of the survey identifying noncompliance, the CMS Regional Office and/or State Medicaid Agency must deny payments for new admissions.

We must recommend to the CMS Regional Office and/or State Medicaid Agency that your provider agreement be terminated on September 14, 2018, if substantial compliance is not achieved by that time.

Please note that this notice does not constitute formal notice of imposition of alternative remedies or termination of your provider agreement. Should the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services determine that termination or any other remedy is warranted, it will provide you with a separate formal notification of that determination.

If you believe these deficiencies have been corrected, you may contact Nate Elkins, Supervisor, Facility Fire Safety and Construction, Bureau of Facility Standards, 3232 Elder Street, PO Box 83720, Boise, ID 83720-0009, Phone #: (208) 334-6626, option 3; Fax #: (208) 364-1888, with your written credible allegation of compliance. If you choose and so indicate, the PoC may constitute your allegation of compliance. We may accept the written allegation of compliance and presume compliance until substantiated by a revisit or other means. In such a case, neither the CMS Regional Office nor the State Medicaid Agency will impose the previously recommended remedy, if appropriate.

If, upon the subsequent revisit, your facility has not achieved substantial compliance, we will recommend that the remedies previously mentioned in this letter be imposed by the CMS Regional Office or the State Medicaid Agency beginning on March 14, 2018, and continue until substantial compliance is achieved. Additionally, the CMS Regional Office or State Medicaid Agency may impose a revised remedy(ies), based on changes in the seriousness of the non-compliance at the time of the revisit, if appropriate.

In accordance with 42 CFR §488.331, you have one opportunity to question cited deficiencies through an informal dispute resolution process. To be given such an opportunity, you are required to send your written request and all required information as directed in Informational Letter #2001-10. Informational Letter #2001-10 can also be found on the Internet at:
Go to the middle of the page to Information Letters section and click on State and select the following:

BFS Letters (06/30/11)

2001-10 Long Term Care Informal Dispute Resolution Process
2001-10 IDR Request Form

This request must be received by April 5, 2018. If your request for informal dispute resolution is received after April 5, 2018, the request will not be granted. An incomplete informal dispute resolution process will not delay the effective date of any enforcement action.

Thank you for the courtesies extended to us during the survey. If you have any questions, please contact us at (208) 334-6626, option 3.

Sincerely,

Nate Elkins, Supervisor
Facility Fire Safety and Construction

Enclosures
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The survey was conducted by:

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Health Facility Surveyor
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FACILITY STANDARDS

This plan of correction is submitted as required under Federal and State regulations and statutes applicable to long-term care providers. The plan of Correction does not constitute agreement by the facility that the surveyors findings constitute a deficiency and/or that the scope and severity of the deficiencies cited are correct applied.

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Initial Comments
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measures, has the potential to limit relevant
facility awareness and expose residents to
Legionella and other water source bacterium
based on inconclusive data. This deficient
practice affected 66 residents, staff and visitors
on the date of the survey.

Findings include:

During review of provided water management
documentation conducted on 3/14/18 from
approximately 8:30 - 11:00 AM, documentation
failed to demonstrate implementation of a water
management plan for the transmission of
waterborne pathogens such as Legionella that
included a risk assessment and identified control
measures as determined by evaluation of the
system.

Further review of the provided water
management plan for the control of waterborne
pathogens such as Legionella revealed the
following:

- The risk assessment did not identify the
decorative fountain.
- The risk assessment did not address the fire
suppression system.
- Controlled sources of emergency water were
identified on the risk assessment that were not
part of the complex water system (bottled water
and water from a vendor for emergency usage).
- The risk assessment was not in alignment with
the described water system for the facility.
- Control measures were not identified for stored
water systems, point of use, or inactive systems
as applicable.

CFR standard:
42 CFR 483.80

K 100-2 | OTHER RESIDENTS:
All residents have potential to be affected
by deficient practice.

3. SYSTEMIC CHANGES:
Facility will implement facility risk
assessment for water management and
control measures.

4. MONITOR:
Executive director and/or designee will
validate that facility water management
program is complete with facility risk
assessment, and identifying control
measures. Audits will be completed
monthly for 3 months. Monitoring of this
system will be added to the preventative
maintenance check. Results of audit will
be reviewed in QAPI to ensure systems
being followed. Plan to be updated as
indicated.

5. DATE OF COMPLIANCE:
April 18, 2018
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**Laboratory Director's or Provider/Supplier Representative's Signature**

*Margaret Butler, Executive Director*

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