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58.19(2)j	 58.19(2) Medication and treatment. 481—58.19(135C) Required nursing services for residents. The resident shall receive and the facility shall provide, as appropriate, the following required nursing services under the 24-hour direction of qualified nurses with ancillary coverage as set forth in these rules: j. Provision of accurate assessment and timely intervention for all residents who have an onset of adverse symptoms which represent a change in mental, emotional, or physical condition. (I, II, III)[ARC 1398C, IAB 4/2/14, effective 5/7/14; ARC 2560C, IAB 6/8/16, effective 7/13/16] 	I	\$2000.00	Upon Receipt
	DESCRIPTION: Based on clinical record reviews, facility policy reviews and interviews, the facility failed to provide appropriate assessment and intervention for a resident after a significant change in condition. On 4/11/17, staff found Resident #1 on the floor after a fall and notified the nurse (Staff B). The nurse (Staff B) directed staff to lift the resident from the floor to the wheelchair as Resident #1 cried out in pain when moved. Staff interviews revealed they did not want to lift the resident but had to follow the nurse's directions. Staff interviews revealed Resident #1 could not stand on both feet, could not move his left leg and had			

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significant pain. The hospital records revealed the resident sustained a hip fracture. The resident's physician stated he would expect staff not transfer residents when staff suspected injury or actual injury. Concerns were identified for 1 of 2 discharged residents with a facility census of 46 residents.		
Findings include:		
1. The Minimum Data Set (MDS) dated 1/5/17 documented the pertinent diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease for Resident #1. The same MDS documented a Brief Interview of Mental Status (BIMS) score of 3 which indicated severe cognitive impairment, required minimal assistance for for transfer, independent with ambulation with the use of a walker, had no limitations in functional range of motion, and had one fall with non-major injury since the last MDS dated 10/20/16.		
The care plan problem revised 7/22/15 identified the at risk for falls due to poor safety recognition and directed to staff to anticipate resident needs. The care plan problem dated 7/22/15 documented the resident independent with ambulation.		
The Fall Risk Assessment dated 4/5/17 documented a score of 65; a score of 45 or more indicates high risk for falls. A facility report titled Incidents by Incident		

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	Type for Resident #1 documented the resident had 2		
	witnessed and 2 unwitnessed falls 11/20/16-4/17/17.		
	A Progress Notes entry dated 4/11/17 at 5:24 PM		
	completed by Staff B, licensed practical nurse (LPN)		
	from a temporary agency staff, document staff found		
	Resident #1 lying on the left side on the floor of his/her		
	room. The resident reported he slipped and fell		
	coming out of the bathroom. Staff B documented the		
	resident could not stand on both feet, could not move		
	the left leg, moved the right leg minimally and		
	complained of pain greater than 10 on a 1-10 scale.		
	The resident transported to the emergency room. The		
	entry contained no further assessment of the resident		
	other than vital signs.		
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	The Progress Notes entry dated 4/11/17 at 22:10		
	documented the resident transferred to another		
	hospital for a possible fracture of the hip and possible		
	surgery tomorrow.		
	According to the Emergency Department (ED) report		
	dated 4/11/17, Resident # 1 (90 years old) presented		
	to the ED after an unwitnessed fall. The resident was		
	unable to move his left lower leg due to pain. Resident		
	#1 complained of back, pain, neck pain, left hip pain.		
	The radiology results revealed Resident #1 sustained		
	intertrochanteric fracture associated with varus		
	angulation (left hip fracture).		
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The hospital admitted Resident #1 and he underwent open reduction and internal fixation surgery. On 4/17/17, the resident had been readmitted to the facility for skilled care. During interview on 8/25/17 at 4:11 PM Staff F, CNA stated that Staff E, CNA and she found the resident lying on his/her left side and notified Staff B (nurse). Staff F stated that Staff E stated the resident's left leg abnormally turn out to the left side when Staff B rolled the resident to lay on his/her back. Staff F stated Staff E is not a nurse and had worked as a CNA for a long time and knew that observation could indicate the resident had a hip fracture. Staff F stated Staff B instructed them (Staff E and herself) to transfer the resident from the floor to the wheelchair. Staff F said the CNAs looked at each other when told to transfer the resident because they did not think it was a good idea to move the resident		
herself) to transfer the resident from the floor to the wheelchair. Staff F said the CNAs looked at each other when told to transfer the resident because they		

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During interview on 8/29/17 at 4:20pm Staff E stated Staff F and herself found Resident #1 lying on his/her back but trying to roll to the left side. Staff E went to get the nurse (Staff B). Staff E stated Staff F asked the resident if s/he could move his/her arms and legs; the resident cold move both arms independently, and could move the right leg some, but couldn't move the left leg and grimaced in pain when trying to do so. Staff E stated Staff B did not perform a "hands on" assessment of the resident. Staff B told Staff F and Staff E to transfer the resident from the floor to the wheelchair; she stated that she did not think it was a good idea to do so, but proceeded with Staff F to use a gaitbelt around the resident's waist to lift the resident up and placed him in the wheelchair. The resident cried out in pain during		
and Staff E stated she told Staff B it was not a good idea and refused to do so. Staff E then left the unit and asked the DON and ADON to come to the resident's room.		
During interview on 8/29/17 at 10:10 AM the ADON stated it is the facility's expectation that staff fully assess resident/s, including vital signs, treat any injuries if able and to leave the resident when found on the floor, etc; and if the resident needs to be transferred to the emergency room have the		

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ambulance personnel transfer the resident. She stated the current falls policy does not direct to leave the resident where found but is revising the policy today to include that.		
During interview on 8/30/17 at 4:52 PM the resident's primary care physician stated he would expect resident/s be left on the floor when found for ambulance personnel to transfer in the event of an actual or suspected injury.		
During an interview with Staff B, licensed practical nurse (LPN) on 8/25/17 at 1:30 p.m. revealed she could not recall anything about this incident or with Resident #1. Staff B reported she could not recall that far back. FACILITY RESPONSE:		

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