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MARLON I. BROWN, DPA
DIRECTOR

May 22, 2026

John Drews
Country Living Of Hillsdale LLC
101 Village Green Blvd.
Hillsdale, MI 49242

RE: License #: AL300249260
Investigation #: 2026A1032029
Country Living Of Hillsdale LLC

Dear John Drews:

Attached is the Special Investigation Report for the above referenced facility. No substantial violations were found.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at (616) 356-0100.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dwight Forde".

Dwight Forde, Licensing Consultant
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350 Ottawa, N.W.
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS
SPECIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	AL300249260
Investigation #:	2026A1032029
Complaint Receipt Date:	04/03/2026
Investigation Initiation Date:	04/09/2026
Report Due Date:	06/02/2026
Licensee Name:	Country Living Of Hillsdale LLC
Licensee Address:	101 Village Green Blvd. Hillsdale, MI 49242
Licensee Telephone #:	(517) 398-5333
Administrator:	Stacy Morgan
Licensee Designee:	John Drews, Designee
Name of Facility:	Country Living Of Hillsdale LLC
Facility Address:	1127 N. Lake Pleasant Rd., Hillsdale, MI 49242
Facility Telephone #:	(517) 437-0239
Original Issuance Date:	09/19/2002
License Status:	REGULAR
Effective Date:	07/05/2025
Expiration Date:	07/04/2027
Capacity:	20
Program Type:	ALZHEIMERS AGED

II. ALLEGATION(S)

	Violation Established?
Concerns about an employee's poor performance were ignored.	No

III. METHODOLOGY

04/03/2026	Special Investigation Intake 2026A1032029
04/09/2026	Special Investigation Initiated - On Site Interview with Home Manager Jodi Cook and Resident A
05/22/2026	Exit Conference With Administrator Stacy Morgan

ALLEGATION:

Concerns about an employee's poor performance were ignored.

INVESTIGATION:

On 4/9/26, I interviewed home manager Jodi Cook in the facility. I explained that there was a complaint that an employee had used a vape pen leading to a decline in Resident A's health. Ms. Cook reported that an employee had been terminated recently due to performance and conduct issues. Ms. Cook stated that there was a suspicion that the employee had used a vape pen while working inside the facility but nothing was every proven. I was advised that Resident A had been ill but there was no connection between her condition and the employee's alleged use of a vape pen near her person.

I attempted to interview Resident A, who had been identified in the complaint as having suffered medically from the terminated employee's actions. Resident A was able to acknowledge her name but was not well oriented, often displaying garbled speech or responding with sentences unconnected with the questions asked.

During my onsite inspection I observed a public restroom that was connected to an area that staff used to store their belongings. There were lockers on the wall, many of which had padlocks. Ms. Cook advised that staff are not required to lock up their belongings.

APPLICABLE RULE	
R 400.641	Resident behavior interventions.
	(5) Staff, volunteers, visitors, or other occupants of the facility shall not mistreat a resident. Mistreatment includes any intentional action or omission that exposes a resident to a serious risk, physical or emotional harm, or the deliberate infliction of pain by any means.
ANALYSIS:	I learned that an employee had been dismissed over the concerns expressed in the complaint. While there may have been a period of discussion about the employee's behavior, which may have been viewed as non-compliance, the facility ultimately removed the risk, thus remaining in compliance with the rule.
CONCLUSION:	VIOLATION NOT ESTABLISHED

On 5/22/26, I shared my findings with Administrator Stacy Morgan.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend no changes to the status of this license.

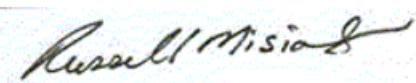


5/22/26

Dwight Forde
Licensing Consultant

Date

Approved By:



6/16/26

Russell B. Misiak
Area Manager

Date