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December 12, 2023

Stephanie Leone  
Hope Network Behavioral Health Services  
PO Box 890  
3075 Orchard Vista Drive  
Grand Rapids, MI 49518-0890

RE: License #: AS340089072  
Investigation #: 2024A0464004  
Westlake IV

Dear Ms. Leone:

Attached is the Special Investigation Report for the above referenced facility. Due to the violations identified in the report, a written corrective action plan is required. The corrective action plan is due 15 days from the date of this letter and must include the following:

- How compliance with each rule will be achieved.
- Who is directly responsible for implementing the corrective action for each violation.
- Specific time frames for each violation as to when the correction will be completed or implemented.
- How continuing compliance will be maintained once compliance is achieved.
- The signature of the responsible party and a date.

If you desire technical assistance in addressing these issues, please contact me. In any event, the corrective action plan is due within 15 days. Failure to submit an acceptable corrective action plan will result in disciplinary action.

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) 356-0183.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Megan Aukerman, MSW". The signature is written in a cursive style.

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

**I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

|                                       |   |
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| <b>License #:</b>                     | AS340089072   |
| <b>Investigation #:</b>               | 2024A0464004  |
| <b>Complaint Receipt Date:</b>        | 10/12/2023  |
| <b>Investigation Initiation Date:</b> | 10/12/2023  |
| <b>Report Due Date:</b>               | 12/11/2023  |
| <b>Licensee Name:</b>                 | Hope Network Behavioral Health Services                             |
| <b>Licensee Address:</b>              | PO Box 890, 3075 Orchard Vista Drive<br>Grand Rapids, MI 49518-0890 |
| <b>Licensee Telephone #:</b>          | (616) 430-7952  |
| <b>Administrator:</b>                 | Heather Burnell   |
| <b>Licensee Designee:</b>             | Stephanie Leone   |
| <b>Name of Facility:</b>              | Westlake IV   |
| <b>Facility Address:</b>              | 11652 Grand River<br>Lowell, MI 49331                               |
| <b>Facility Telephone #:</b>          | (616) 897-5900  |
| <b>Original Issuance Date:</b>        | 11/09/1999  |
| <b>License Status:</b>                | REGULAR   |
| <b>Effective Date:</b>                | 09/28/2023  |
| <b>Expiration Date:</b>               | 09/27/2025  |
| <b>Capacity:</b>                      | 6   |
| <b>Program Type:</b>                  | DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED<br>MENTALLY ILL                            |

**II. ALLEGATION(S)**

|  | <b>Violation<br/>Established?</b> |
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| Resident A's Clonazepam 2mg was missing. | Yes                               |

**III. METHODOLOGY**

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| 10/12/2023 | Special Investigation Intake<br>2024A0464004   |
| 10/12/2023 | Special Investigation Initiated - Telephone<br>Stephanie Leone, Licensee Designee  |
| 10/12/2023 | APS Referral<br>Centralized Intake, DHHS   |
| 10/20/2023 | Inspection Completed On-site<br>Brandi Moore (Program Manager), Chris Thelen (Staff), Lydia Wynaalda (Staff), Ryleigh Kelly (Staff) and Shae Moore (Staff) |
| 10/20/2023 | Contact-Document received<br>Resident A's MAR  |
| 12/12/2023 | Exit Conference<br>Stephanie Leone, Licensee Designee  |

**ALLEGATION: Resident A's Clonazepam 2mg was missing.**

**INVESTIGATION:** On 10/12/2023, I received an online BCAL complaint which alleged that on 09/16/2023, while staff were completing the shift change narcotic count, they noticed the count was off for Resident A's Clonazepam 2mg. Resident A was missing two pills.

On 10/12/2023, I spoke to licensee designee, Stephanie Leone. She was aware of the new complaint.

On 10/12/2023, I contacted the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Centralized Intake to complete an Adult Protective Services (APS) referral.

On 10/20/2023, I completed an unannounced, onsite inspection at the facility and interviewed program manager, Brandi Moore. Ms. Moore stated she recently learned of the missing medications and conducted an internal investigation. Ms. Moore stated the two pills have not been located and at this point and they do not

have any information regarding where the pills may have gone. She confirmed no other controlled substances were missing.

I then interviewed facility staff, Chris Thelen. He stated he has administered Resident A's Clonazepam 2mg; however, he does not typically complete the controlled substance count during shift change. Mr. Thelen denied being aware of any missing medications.

I then interviewed staff, Lydia Wynalda and Ryleigh Kelly, individually. Both stated they are trained in medication administration and were working on 10/15/2023, as well as 10/16/2023. Both stated they complete controlled substance counts at every shift change. Both confirmed Resident A's Clonazepam 2 mg counts were on prior to 10/15/2023. Ms. Wynalda and Ms. Kelly stated that when counts were completed on 10/16/2023, Resident A had two Clonazepam 2mg tablets missing. Both denied taking the pills or witnessing someone else take the medications.

I then interviewed staff, Shae Moore. Mr. Moore stated he worked second shift on 10/15/2023. Mr. Moore stated he completed the controlled substance count with Ms. Wynalda. At that time, the count matched the number of pills regarding Resident A's Clonazepam 2mg.

On 10/20/2023, I then reviewed the controlled substance log and medication. The log reflected Resident A was missing Clonazepam 2mg. The two pills were also missing from the medication room.

On 12/12/2023, I completed an exit conference with licensee designee, Stephanie Leone. She was informed of the investigation findings and recommendations. She stated a corrective action plan would be submitted.

| <b>APPLICABLE RULE</b> |  |
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| <b>R 400.14312</b>     | <b>Resident medications.</b>   |
|                        | <b>(6) A licensee shall take reasonable precautions to ensure that prescription medication is not used by a person other than the resident for whom the medication was prescribed.</b>   |
| <b>ANALYSIS:</b>       | <p>On 10/12/2023, a complaint was received, alleging Resident A was missing two Clonazepam 2mg.</p> <p>On 10/20/2023, an onsite inspection was completed at the facility. Staff, Brandi Moore, Lydia Wynalda and Ryleigh Kelly all reported there were two missing pills of Resident A's Clonazepam 2mg. All three staff denied having information regarding where the missing pills went.</p> |

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|                    | <p>The controlled substance log and medications were reviewed. Both reflected Resident A was missing two Clonazepam 2mg.</p> <p>Based on the investigative findings, there is sufficient evidence to support a rule violation that Resident A had two missing Clonazepam 2mg.</p> |
| <b>CONCLUSION:</b> | <b>VIOLATION ESTABLISHED</b>  |

**IV. RECOMMENDATION**

Upon receipt of an acceptable corrective action plan, I recommend that the licensing status remain unchanged.

*Megan Aukerman, MSW*

12/12/2023

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Megan Aukerman  
Licensing Consultant

Date

Approved By:

*Jerry Hendrick*

12/12/2023

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Jerry Hendrick  
Area Manager

Date