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January 13, 2025

Vickie Runyon Jerry's Dreams Adult Homes PO Box 1086 Grand Rapids, MI 49501

> RE: License #: AS410269764 Investigation #: 2024A0467061 Jerry's Dreams #3

Dear Ms. Runyon:

Attached is the Addendum to the Special Investigation Report for the above referenced facility. Due to the severity of the violations, the revocation of your license is recommended. You will be notified in writing of the department's action and your options for resolution of this matter.

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,

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# MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS BUREAU OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SYSTEMS ADDENDUM TO SPECIAL INVESTIGATION REPORT

## I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #:	AS410269764
Investigation #:	2024A0467061
Complaint Receipt Date:	09/11/2024
Investigation Initiation Date:	09/11/2024
Report Due Date:	11/10/2024
Licensee Name:	Jerry's Dreams Adult Homes
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Licensee Address:	PO Box 1086
	Grand Rapids, MI 49501
Licensee Telephone #:	(616) 293-7198
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Administrator:	Vickie Runyon
Licensee Designee:	Vickie Runyon
Name of Facility:	Jerry's Dreams #3
Facility Address:	1126 W. Leonard Court, NW
•	Walker, MI 49534-6835
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Facility Telephone #:	(616) 293-7198
Original Issuance Date:	08/23/2005
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License Status:	REGULAR
Effective Date:	02/26/2024
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Expiration Date:	U2/25/2U2b
Capacity:	6
Program Type:	
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License Status:  Effective Date:  Expiration Date:	REGULAR  02/26/2024  02/25/2026  6  DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED MENTALLY ILL

#### II. PURPOSE OF ADDENDUM

The purpose of this addendum is to change the recommendation of provisional license to revocation, and to add an additional finding. The licensee, Vickie Runyon has failed to submit a corrective action plan by 10/17/24. In addition, Ms. Runyon has failed to appeal to the Notice of Intent (NOI) that recommended a provisional license by 12/16/24. Ms. Runyon also failed to respond to the follow-up 7 – day letter that she received on 12/27/24 requesting a corrective action plan. Therefore, it is now recommended that LARA proceed with revocation of the license.

#### III. METHODOLOGY

#### ADDITIONAL FINDING:

**INVESTIGATION:** In October 2024, the facility was cited due to residents being left unsupervised in the home and staff members not having background checks on file. Due to the staffing citation being a repeat citation from SIR #2024A0467046 dated 7/3/24, issuance of a provisional license was recommended. On 10/02/24, licensee designee, Vickie Runyon and her son, Josh Runyon were emailed a copy of the special investigation report requesting that a corrective action plan be submitted no later than 10/17/24. In addition to the corrective action plan, Ms. Runyon was informed that she must put in writing if she accepts the provisional license recommendation. On 10/21/24, I sent Ms. Runyon and her son, Josh Runyon a follow-up email with the same request from the original email on 10/02/24.

Due to not receiving a response from Ms. Runyon, the report was referred to Josh Hargrove with the Disciplinary Action Unit (DAU) on 10/29/24. A Notice of Intent was served 11/01/24 to the licensee, which included a deadline of 12/16/24 to appeal the recommendation. A compliance conference was scheduled on 12/17/24 at 10:00am via teams. As of 12/17/24, I had not received a corrective action plan from Ms. Runyon, and Mr. Hargrove had not received an appeal to the NOI, which gave LARA the authority to enact the recommendation of a provisional license.

On 12/27/24, Ms. Runyon received a letter from Mr. Hargrove informing her that a corrective action plan needs to be submitted within 7 days of receipt of the letter. Failure to do so would result in the provisional license recommendation being changed to a recommendation for revocation. As of 01/07/25. A corrective action plan has not been received by Ms. Runyon. Therefore, LARA will proceed with the recommendation of revocation.

APPLICABLE RULE		
R 400.14103	Licenses; required information; fee; effect of failure to cooperate with inspection or investigation; posting of license; reporting of changes in information.	
	(3) The failure of an applicant or licensee to cooperate with the department in connection with an inspection or investigation shall be grounds for denying, suspending, revoking, or refusing to renew.	

ANALYSIS:	Ms. Runyon has failed to cooperate with LARA by not providing a corrective action plan that was requested on 10/02/24. In addition, she failed to respond to the NOI that was served on 11/01/24, and the letter that she received on 12/27/24 from Mr. Hargrove, which informed her that failure to provide a corrective action plan within 7 days would lead to changing the recommendation from a provisional license to revocation. Therefore, there is a preponderance of evidence to support this applicable rule.
CONCLUSION:	VIOLATION ESTABLISHED

#### IV. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

It is the licensee's responsibility to provide correspondence to LARA regarding any disciplinary action recommendation. As of 01/07/2025, Ms. Runyon has not provided the requested documentation from 10/02/24, which has been more than three months.

### V. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend revocation of the license due to a repeat staffing violation, the licensee's failure to cooperate with LARA, and failure to submit a corrective action plan.

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Anthony Mullins Licensing Consultant	Date
Approved By:	
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Jerry Hendrick Area Manager	Date