



COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE  
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ADULT RESIDENTIAL LICENSING

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**CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**  
**MAILING DATE: August 31, 2011**

Ms. Melanie Werdel, EVP/Administrator  
Emeritus Corporation  
3131 Elliott Avenue, Suite 500  
Seattle, Washington 98121

RE: Emeritus at Bloomsburg  
420 Shaffer Road  
Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania 17815

Dear Ms. Werdel:

As a result of the Department of Public Welfare's licensing inspection on June 10, 2011 of the above personal care home, the violations with 55 Pa.Code Ch. 2600 (relating to Personal Care Homes) specified on the enclosed Violation Report were found.

All violations specified on the enclosed Violation Report must be corrected by the dates specified on the Violation Report and continued compliance with 55 Pa.Code Ch. 2600 must be maintained. As soon as each violation is corrected, notify the Department's Regional Office of Adult Residential Licensing so that compliance can be verified.



Sincerely,


A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Michele Moskalczyk".

Regional Licensing Administrator

Enclosure  
Violation Report

VIOLATION REPORT  
PERSONAL CARE HOMES - 55 Pa.Code Chapter 2600

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSONAL CARE HOME EMERITUS AT BLOOMSBURG, 420 SHAFFER ROAD BLOOMSBURG, PA 17815		CURRENT LICENSE NUMBER 211200	
INSPECTION DATES (Include all dates of the inspection) 06/10/2011		REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE GERALD DUMAS, RYAN NOVAK	
PRINTED NAME AND TITLE OF LEGAL ENTITY REPRESENTATIVE SIGNING PLAN OF CORRECTION (Required on FIRST PAGE only unless multiple representatives produce the plan)			
SIGNATURE OF LEGAL ENTITY 	DATE 8-25-11	REGIONAL LICENSING APPROVAL OF PLAN OF CORRECTION 	DATE 8/30/11

REGULATION 55 Pa.Code §2600	VIOLATION	DATE COMPLIANCE VERIFIED BY	PLAN OF CORRECTION (include a step-by-step plan to correct the specific violation, as well as a plan to assure the violation does not recur)	DATE COMPLIANCE VERIFIED BY
141a A resident shall have a medical evaluation by a physician, physician's assistant or certified registered nurse practitioner documented on a form specified by the Department, within 60 days prior to admission or within 30 days after admission.	The physician who completed medical evaluation for resident # 1 dated 2/10/2011 indicated the need for skilled care ( S.N.F. a skilled nursing facility) due to the residents decreased mobility and increased dementia. Resident was admitted to the personal care home on 2/13/2011.	6/20/2011	6/20/2011- Physician reevaluated resident and determined personal care to a be correct placement.	
		8/24/2011	8/24/2011- an audit of medical evaluation was completed to verify that physician evaluation of level of care is accurate.	 8/30/11
		Ongoing	Ongoing- Resident Care Director/ Executive Director or designee will review resident medical evaluations prior to admission for accuracy.	
		8/25/2011	8/25/2011- Management team in-serviced on content and accuracy of the medical evaluation.	
		Ongoing	Ongoing- Executive Director/Resident Care Director will randomly audit move in paperwork to verify accuracy.	

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