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**Blessing Hospice Care, Inc.
19725 Sherman Way, Suite 282B
Winnetka, CA 91306**

**LEGAL NOTICE OF
TERMINATION FROM MEDICARE PROGRAM**

Effective on **June 8, 2024**, the Secretary of the Department of Health & Human Services will terminate its Medicare Provider Agreement with Blessing Hospice Care, Inc. at approved location in Winnetka, California and new location at 11428 Artesia Blvd., Suite 11, Artesia, CA 90701. This action is being taken because this hospice agency was not in compliance with requirements for participation in the Medicare and Medicaid programs as established by the Social Security Act (Section 1861) and its underlying regulations.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services has determined that Blessing Hospice Care, Inc. was not in compliance with the following three (3) Medicare Conditions of Participation for Hospice services:

- 42 C.F.R. § 418.56 Interdisciplinary Group (IDG), Care Planning & Coordination of Services
- 42 C.F.R. § 418.102 Medical Director
- 42 C.F.R. § 418.104 Clinical Records

Medicare and Medicaid programs will not make payments for services furnished to patients who were admitted on or after June 8, 2024. For patients admitted prior to June 8, 2024, payment may be available for up to thirty (30) calendar days after the effective date of termination.

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