

Medicare and Medicaid Notice to the Public

Notice is hereby given that on April 18, 2022 the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) will terminate the agreement between the Secretary of Health and Human Services and Minocqua Health and Rehab Minocqua, WI as a skilled nursing facility in the Medicare program. In addition, as authorized by the Wisconsin Department of Public Health (WDPH), notice is given that the provider's agreement as a nursing facility in the Medicaid program will also be terminated effective May 3, 2022.

CMS has determined that Minocqua Health and Rehab has failed to attain substantial compliance with the following Medicare and Medicaid participation requirements:

- 42 CFR 483.10 – Resident Rights
- 42 CFR 483.25 – Quality of Care
- 42 CFR 483.35 – Nursing Services
- 42 CFR 483.80 – Infection Control
- 42 CFR 483.90 – Physical Environment
- 42 CFR 483.50 – Laboratory, Radiology, and Other Diagnostics
- 42 CFR 483.70 – Administrator

The Medicare program will not make payment for skilled nursing facility services furnished to residents admitted to the facility on or after February 3, 2022. For residents admitted prior to February 3, 2022, payment may continue to be made for up to 30 days of services after May 3, 2022, the date of termination.

In addition, Federal Financial Participation will not be available to the State for any Medicaid residents admitted to the facility on or after February 3, 2022. For Medicaid residents admitted prior to that date, Federal Financial Participation may continue to be made to the State for up to 30 days of covered services to qualified residents furnished on or after May 3, 2022, the date of termination.

This action is mandated by Section 1819(h)(2)(C) of the Social Security Act and Federal regulations at 42 CFR §§ 488.412 and 488.456. If the provider demonstrates substantial compliance with all CMS requirements, and a revisit survey confirms substantial compliance, prior to May 3, 2022, the provider will remain active in the Medicare Program and CMS will not terminate their provider agreement.