

Quality Assurance and Program Improvement (QAPI)
Report of the Board Liaison to the Board of Directors

The quarterly meeting of the Quality Assurance and Program Improvement (QAPI) Committee was held on May 4, 2022. The following quarterly reports were reviewed.

Length of Stay	Average Q4 LOS is 21 days; Average Q3 LOS is 30 days. Difference was more involved residents.
Significant weight loss	4 weight loss concerns were addressed and they are all stable
Pressure ulcers	1 occurrence.
In-service training	Training sessions met appropriate standards. Most were held via zoom. New hire orientation, COVID-19, and dementia CARES program are being held regularly.
Maintenance/life safety	Presented monthly safety checklists/spreadsheet. 5 Stair chairs received and staff will be educated in how to use in the event of fire. Campus updated the surveillance system.
Health Center falls (minor & major)	No unusual or serious trends; compared well to benchmarks. No serious injuries in the Health Center.
Psychotropic utilization	At or below State or national averages or had appropriate rationale for use
Regulatory reports	No concerns noted.
CASPER Report (MDS data)	Falls, UTI, movement independently, and weight loss were flagged
Infections (UTI, respiratory, blood, other)	No significant negative trends noted. Several COVID-19 cases reported for staff members in the past quarter. 1 UTI in the health center
Antibiotic stewardship	Two inappropriate antibiotics use noted. Rationale provided.
Contractures, range of motion, length of rehab	No inappropriate incidents or conditions noted.
Theft & Loss reports	No theft or loss reported.
Grievance reports	No report was submitted

Other Projects: Board representative is part of the center's compliance program.

Next Meeting: The next meeting of the QAPI Committee is tentatively scheduled for July 13, 2022.