

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

In re:

ST. JUDE NURSING CENTER, INC.,

Debtor.

No. 16-42116-TJT

Chapter 11

Judge Thomas J. Tucker

PATIENT CARE OMBUDSMAN'S SIXTH REPORT

Deborah L. Fish, patient care ombudsman, appointed by order dated March 10, 2016 (Docket #49), in accordance with the United States Bankruptcy Code (the "Code"), submits this sixth report on the status of the quality of patient care in the Chapter 11 case of St. Jude Nursing Center, Inc. (the "Debtor"). This report covers the period from November 16, 2016 to January 4, 2017 and is based on several visits to the Debtor's facility, as well as discussions with the prior administrator and the new administrator of the facility, staff members, and some of the residents.

INTRODUCTION

The Debtor filed a petition under Chapter 11 of the Code on February 18, 2016. The Debtor is a privately owned and licensed long-term skilled nursing facility located at 34350 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia, Michigan 48150. It consists of 64 licensed beds, located within the Debtor-owned facility. The current census ranges between 54 and 55 residents. The majority of the residents are long term. The Debtor continues to employ nearly 84 full and part-time employees. The

Debtor's facility continues to offer services such as skilled nursing care, hospice care, Alzheimer's and dementia patient care, physical rehabilitation, tracheal and enteral services, wound care, and short-term respite care.

The facility continues to be financially managed by Mission Point Management Services, LLC ("MPMS"). All other day-to-day operations of the nursing home are managed and handled by Brad Mali and the Debtor's administrative staff.

PATIENT STAFFING AND SERVICES

As stated above, a new administrator was hired for the facility. There have not been any other material changes to the Debtor's staff since my last report. The Debtor would like to hire two additional certified nursing assistants for the afternoon shift. All shifts, however, are properly covered per state regulations.

QUALITY OF CARE

The Debtor has maintained all of its services and is delivering similar quality care to essentially the same patient population as it did pre-petition.

During my visits to the facility, I surveyed the hallways, resident rooms, bathrooms and dining area for cleanliness. I observed the lunch-time food delivery service. During this time, there were several minor incidents, all of which were managed appropriately by the staff.

The residents that were out of bed were groomed and had on clean attire. The residents continue to report that the food is good.

SUPPLIES

The administrator reported that there are no issues with supplies for the residents.

SECURITY

There were no security issues to report.

CONCLUSION

The Debtor has continued the same quality of care post-petition as it did as of the date of the petition. Monitoring will continue.

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