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following:

a. Discharge Planning (Transition Planning) recognizes the shared responsibility of healthcare

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d. The CC screens all inpatients for discharge needs as part of the discharge evaluation process, which includes the patient's discharge goals and preferences, pre-admission functional status, cognitive ability, living situation, social supports, financial resources, discharge barriers, post discharge needs and risk for readmission.

e. The CC will participate in all phases of the discharge planning process, including early identification of high-risk cases and involvement

f. The patient's discharge (transition) evaluation and plan will be documented in the patient's

2. On 05/19/21 at 1:00 PM, Investigator #15 and the Director of Clinical Services (Staff #1506) reviewed the medical record for Patient #1501, a 59-year-old male admitted on 01/28/21, on an involuntary detainment due to Grave Disability and Danger to Others/Property, with an

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medical record.

Patient #1501

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g. On 02/18/21, the patient was discharged from Wellfound Behavioral Health Hospital. The

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CC is responsible for contacting the receiving facility prior to discharge. Some shelters, like the Tacoma Rescue Mission, do not require coordination before discharging a patient, because Wellfound is familiar with their process. Staff #1507 stated that she did contact the

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service providers received an email from Staff #1507 stating that the medical providers are not willing to keep the Patient any longer and he would be discharging the next day, 02/18/21. The CC stated that per the provider, the Patient was

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showed that staff documented the Patient's challenges to include dependent on others for Activities of Daily Living (ADL's) and negative coping skills. Investigator #15 found no evidence that the Patient's Chronic/Stable medical problems included Dementia, which was identified during the Patient's admission and the

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insight as fair. The Patient was partially able to demonstrate awareness of symptoms and partially recognized the need for treatment.

iv. The provider documented the Patient's

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PRINTED: 06/15/2021 **FORM APPROVED** State of Washington STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES (X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA (X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION (X3) DATE SURVEY AND PLAN OF CORRECTION **IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** COMPLETED A. BUILDING: _ C 013299 B. WING 05/21/2021 NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 3402 S 19TH ST WELLFOUND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH HOSPITAL TACOMA, WA 98405 SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION (X4) ID (EACH DEFICIENCY MUST BE PRECEDED BY FULL (EACH CORRECTIVE ACTION SHOULD BE CROSS-REFERENCED TO THE APPROPRIATE COMPLETE DATE PRÉFIX PREFIX REGULATORY OR LSC IDENTIFYING INFORMATION) TAG DEFICIENCY) L1110 Continued From page 13 L1110 12. On 05/19/21 at 3:40 PM, during an interview with Investigator #15, the Care Coordinator (Staff #1507) stated that the care provider at the adult family home was aware that Patient #1503 would pick up his belongings when he discharges, and reported that he would have Patient #1503's belongings ready for him. The CC stated that she received a call from the care provider at the adult family home after Patient #1503's discharge via Saferide/Uber. The care provider reported that Patient #1503 arrived at the adult family home and refused to leave with his belongings. The stated that the AFH care provider contacted law enforcement and the designated crisis responder (DCR) to evaluate and transport the Patient to an Emergency Department. 13. On 05/19/21 at 3:40 PM, during an interview with Investigator #15. Staff #1507 stated that she thought that the discharge plan for the Patient was to go to a hotel, "because he had money" and he didn't want to go to an adult family home. Staff #1507 stated that she had not communicated with the Patient's outpatient community services case manager and was not aware of the services Patient #1503 received in the community. Staff #1507 verified that Patient #1503 had no medication upon discharge, no means of transportation to leave the adult family home with his belongings, no ability to pay for transportation or housing, no ability to obtain his

medications, and was not connected to

community resources.

Wellfound Behavioral Health Hospital Plan of Correction for State Investigation (Case #2021-4819 and Case #2021-2697)

	Tag	How the Deficiency Will Be Corrected	Responsible	Estimated Date of	Monitoring
	Number		Individual	Correction	Procedure;
					Target for
					Compliance
		Regarding the finding related to the failure to properly document the assessment of the patients pre- admission function status, cognitive	Amanda Bieber- Mayberry, LICSW,	06/25/2021	Weekly tracers of
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		barriers, post- discharge needs, ability to maintain his activities of daily	Services		discharged
		living independently, coordination with community care providers and	Services		patients charts
		coordination for discharge arrangements, Social Work leadership will			equal to 10 or
		develop updated electronic medical record templates and			30% of 40
		documentation standards that are inclusive of preadmission level of functioning, identification of high risk issues or barriers that may impact			
		the type and timeliness of discharge, and documentation of			patients charts
		interdisciplinary treatment team discussion sand decision making			up to 30 charts whichever is
		related to discharge.			greater will be
					conducted to
		Electronic medical record template updates will be made available for			ensure patients
		staff use no later than June 25, 2021. All appropriate Care Coordinator and Social Work staff will be educated to these standards no later than			are provided an
		June 25, 2021.			appropriate, safe
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					documentation
					of adequate
	5.				assessment and
					decision making
					is completed in
	:On d	Recieved 6/23/21 (updated POC) Approved 7/15/21			accordance with
	POC	kecieved 4/20/21 (opening			expectations will
	POC +	Approved 7/15/21			begin on June 28,
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Tag Number	How the Deficiency Will Be Corrected	Responsible Individual	Estimated Date of Correction	Monitoring Procedure; Target for Compliance
				or greater compliance has been sustained for three consecutive months, ongoing tracers will be completed monthly. If compliance falls below 95%, the Director of Clinical Services or designee will provide re- training to clinical staff and resume weekly tracers until compliance returns to 95%. Results of tracer auditing will be reported to Quality
				Committee monthly

Wellfound Behavioral Health Hospital Progress Report for

State Psychiatric Hospital Complaint Investigation (Case #2021-4819 and #2021-2697) 05/19/21 and 05/21/21

Tag	How Corrected	Date	Results of Monitoring
Number			
Tag Number L1110	Regarding the finding related to the failure to properly document the assessment of the patients pre- admission function status, cognitive ability, living situation, social supports, financial resources, discharge barriers, post- discharge needs, ability to maintain his activities of daily living independently, coordination with community care providers and coordination for discharge arrangements, Social Work leadership developed updated electronic medical record templates and documentation standards that are inclusive of preadmission level of functioning, identification of high risk issues or barriers that may impact the type and timeliness of discharge, and documentation of interdisciplinary treatment team discussions and decision making related to discharge.	Date Completed 06/23/2021	Record review for July 2021: 75% compliance for discharge records reviewed (30/40). 80% of out of compliance (8/10) records were admitted prior to the adoption of the new electronic medical record template. By excluding charts admitted prior to the plan of correction, the compliance rate is 93% (30/32) Record review for August 2021: 85 compliance for discharge records reviewed (34/40). 85% of out of compliance (5/6) records were admitted prior to the adoption of the new electronic medical record template. By excluding charts admitted prior to the implementation of the plan of correction, the compliance rate is 97% (34/35).
	Electronic medical record template updates were created and made available for use and all care coordinators and social workers were trained on their use on June 23, 2021.		



STATE OF WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

09/14/21

Angela Naylor Chief Executive Officer Wellfound Behavioral Health Hospital 3402 South 19th Street Tacoma, WA 98405

RE: Complaint #110514/Case #2021-2697 and Complaint #111640/Case #2021-4819

Dear Ms. Naylor,

This letter contains information regarding the recent complaint investigation conducted by the Washington State Department of Health on 05/19/21. This investigation was completed on 05/21/21. Hospital staff members developed a plan of correction to correct deficiencies cited during this investigation. This plan of correction was approved on 07/15/21.

Hospital staff members sent a Progress Report dated 08/18/21, that indicates all deficiencies have been corrected. The Department of Health accepts Wellfound Behavioral Health Hospital's attestation that it will correct all deficiencies cited in Chapter 246-322 WAC.

Your cooperation and hard work during the investigation is sincerely appreciated.

Sincerely,

Mary New, MSN, RN Nurse Consultant

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