



Medicare and Medicaid Notice to the Public

Notice is hereby given that August 25, 2023 the agreement between the Secretary of Health and Human Services and Simmons Loving Care Health Facility, Gary, IN as a skilled nursing facility in the Medicare program will be terminated. In addition, as authorized by the Simmons Loving Care Health Facility, notice is given that the facility's agreement as a nursing facility in the Medicaid program will be terminated effective August 25, 2023.

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services has determined that Simmons Loving Care Health Facility has failed to attain substantial compliance with the following Medicare and Medicaid participation requirements:

- 42 C.F.R. § 483.10 Resident Rights
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.12 Freedom from Abuse, Neglect, and Exploitation
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.24 Quality of Life
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.25 Quality of Care
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.50 Laboratory, Radiology and other Diagnostic Services
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.55 Dental Services
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.60 Food and Nutrition Services
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.70 Administration
- 42 C.F.R. § 483.75 Quality Insurance and Performance Improvement

The Medicare program will not make payment for skilled nursing facility services furnished to residents admitted to the facility on or after May 6, 2023. This date is due to a previously imposed denial of payment for new admissions. For residents admitted prior to May 6, 2023, payment may continue to be made for up to 30 days of services on or after August 25, 2023, 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 May 6, 2023. For Medicaid residents admitted prior to May 6, 2023, 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 August 25, 2023, the date of termination.

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