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A1193	8:36-17.3(a)(4) Resident Environment (a) The housekeeping and sanitation conditions in paragraphs 1 through 12 below shall be met. Application of this requirement with respect to the individual living environment shall take into consideration residents' personal preferences for style of living: 4. All furnishings shall be clean and in good repair, and mechanical equipment shall be in working order. Items which are broken or worn to the extent that they may cause discomfort or present danger to residents shall be repaired, replaced, or removed promptly;	A1193		

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A1193	Continued From page 1 This REQUIREMENT is not met as evidenced by: Complaint #: NJ 00190207 Based on interview and record review, it was determined that the facility failed to provide documented evidence that residents phone services were promptly addressed and repaired for 1 of 3 residents reviewed, Resident #2. This deficient practice was evidenced by the following: On 4/1/26 at 11:00 a.m., the surveyor reviewed Resident #2's medical record (MR), which revealed that Resident #2 moved into the facility in [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] with a diagnosis of [REDACTED]. Surveyor continued review of the MR revealed "Progress Notes (PN)" dated [REDACTED], written by a Registered Nurse (RN), which documented that the RN discussed with Resident #2 concerns regarding Resident #2's phone not working. Additionally, the RN documented that Resident #2 was informed that maintenance was actively working on the issue with the phone and offered Resident #2 alternative communication options that the resident [REDACTED] at the time. At 12:09 p.m., the surveyor interviewed the Director of Maintenance (DOM) and inquired about Resident #2's broken phone service. The DOM stated that he was notified that Resident	A1193		

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A1193	Continued From page 2 #2's phone was not working but was unable to remember the date. The DOM also stated that he tried to repair Resident #2's phone service but he could not, so he notified IT (Information technology). The surveyor then requested copies of the phone repair request and repair completion date. At 1:00 p.m., the Executive Director (ED) provided the surveyor with a copy of the email notification to IT for Resident #2's phone service repair. The email notification revealed that on [REDACTED], IT was notified that Resident #2's phone dial tone was not working, and a request was made to reboot Resident #2's phone line. However, the IT email notification did not indicate date and time when Resident #2's phone service was restored. At 2:51 p.m., the surveyor interviewed the RN regarding Resident #2's phone not working. The RN stated that she was unsure of the date when Resident #2's phone stopped working. The RN stated that she offered the resident alternatives communication devices, but she did not document her discussion with Resident #2 until [REDACTED]. On 4/2/26 at 12:18 p.m., the surveyor interviewed Resident #2 and inquired about the phone service repair. Resident #2 stated that the phone problem started on [REDACTED] and was not repaired until [REDACTED], 11 days later. At 12:39 p.m., the surveyor interviewed a Certified Medication Aide (CMA) regarding Resident #2's phone service not working. The CMA stated that Resident #2 on [REDACTED], notified her that the phone was not working and Resident #2 called maintenance. The CMA stated that on	A1193		

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A1193	Continued From page 3 3/14/26, she [CMA] notified maintenance through the employee group chat that Resident #2's phone was not working. At 1:00 p.m., the surveyor interviewed the ED regarding the procedure for repair request. The ED stated that a resident or a staff member can notify maintenance via phone or electronically. The ED stated that the facility used an electronic tracking system for repairs but was unable to provide the surveyor with documented evidence of Resident #2's phone repair request and completion date. The surveyor reviewed the facility policy and procedure titled, "Maintenance Work Orders" dated 9/2021, which revealed, "Maintenance requests will be responded to in a prompt and efficient manner. Records will be kept of work performed."	A1193			



Plan of Correction (POC)

Tag: Resident Environment -- Furnishings & Equipment in Good Repair

Regulation: 38:36-17.3(a)(4)

Facility: Allendale Senior Living

Survey Date: April 02, 2026

Complaint #: NJ 00190207

1. Corrective Action for Affected Resident (Resident #2)

Resident #2's phone service was temporarily fixed and functional on [NJ Exec Order 26.4b] The phone line was fully repaired on [NJ Exec Order 26.4b1]

- The facility verified that the resident's phone is currently functioning properly.
- The resident was interviewed by Nursing and maintenance to ensure satisfaction with communication access.
- Alternative communication options (facility phone, staff-assisted calls, and virtual communication devices) were re-educated and offered.
- No further concerns were voiced by the resident at the time of follow-up.

2. Identification of Other Residents Affected

To ensure no other residents were affected by a similar deficient practice:

- A facility-wide audit of all resident phone services and communication devices was conducted by Maintenance.
- All resident rooms were checked to confirm phones were in working order.
- A review of maintenance logs, IT requests, and work order systems for the past 30 days was completed to identify any unresolved or undocumented repair requests.
- Any identified issues were immediately corrected.



3. Systemic Changes to Prevent Recurrence

The facility has implemented the following corrective measures:

- Revised Maintenance Work Order Process:
 - All maintenance requests (including phone/IT issues) must be entered into the electronic work order tracking system immediately upon notification.
 - Work orders must include:
 - Date and time reported
 - Description of issue
 - Date and time of completion
 - Confirmation of resolution
 - IT Communication Protocol:
 - All IT-related requests must include documented follow-up and resolution confirmation.
 - IT will provide written or electronic confirmation when issues are resolved.
 - Timeliness Standards Established:
 - Routine repairs: addressed within 24–48 hours
 - Urgent resident-impacting issues (e.g., communication devices): addressed within 24 hours or escalated
 - Escalation Process:
 - If a repair is not completed within the expected timeframe, it will automatically escalate to the Director of Maintenance and Executive Director.
 - Nursing Documentation Requirement:
 - Nursing staff must document all resident complaints related to environmental or equipment issues at the time of occurrence, including interventions and follow-up.
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4. Staff Education

Education was provided to the following staff by the Executive Director:

- Nursing (RNs, LPNs, CNAs, CMAs)
- Maintenance Department

Education Topics Included:

- Importance of maintaining a safe and functional resident environment
- Proper use of the maintenance work order system
- Documentation requirements for resident complaints and interventions
- Timely response expectations and escalation procedures

All staff completed education by 04/15/2026, with attendance records maintained.

5. Monitoring and Quality Assurance

To ensure ongoing compliance:

- The Director of Maintenance or designee will audit 10 maintenance work orders weekly x 4 weeks, then monthly x 2 months to ensure:
 - Timely completion
 - Proper documentation
 - Evidence of resolution
- Results of audits will be reviewed at the Quality Assurance Performance Improvement (QAPI) Committee meetings.
- Any identified trends or concerns will result in immediate corrective action and re-education.

6. Completion Date

All corrective actions and systemic changes were completed by:

April 15, 2026

accepted 4/23/26



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STATE FORM: REVISIT REPORT

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This report is completed by a State surveyor to show those deficiencies previously reported that have been corrected and the date such corrective action was accomplished. Each deficiency should be fully identified using either the regulation or LSC provision number and the identification prefix code previously shown on the State Survey Report (prefix codes shown to the left of each requirement on the survey report form).

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FOLLOWUP TO SURVEY COMPLETED ON 4/2/2026		☐ CHECK FOR ANY UNCORRECTED DEFICIENCIES. WAS A SUMMARY OF UNCORRECTED DEFICIENCIES (CMS-2567) SENT TO THE FACILITY? ☐ YES ☐ NO			