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May 20, 2013

Thomas Dee, Administrator
Southwestern Vermont Medical Center
100 Hospital Drive
Bennington, VT 05201

Provider #: 470012

Dear Mr. Dee:

The Division of Licensing and Protection conducted an onsite complaint investigation on **May 14, 2013**. The purpose of the investigation was to determine if your facility was in compliance with Federal participation requirements of the Medicare/Medicaid Program. The investigation was completed on **May 15, 2013** and there were no regulatory violations related to the complaint allegations.

Sincerely,



Pamela M. Cota, RN
Licensing Chief

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Enclosure



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES

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OMB NO. 0938-0391

STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES AND PLAN OF CORRECTION	(X1) PROVIDER/SUPPLIER/CLIA IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 470012	(X2) MULTIPLE CONSTRUCTION A. BUILDING _____ B. WING _____	(X3) DATE SURVEY COMPLETED C 05/15/2013
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NAME OF PROVIDER OR SUPPLIER SOUTHWESTERN VERMONT MEDICAL CENTER	STREET ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE 100 HOSPITAL DRIVE BENNINGTON, VT 05201
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(X4) ID PREFIX TAG	SUMMARY STATEMENT OF DEFICIENCIES (EACH DEFICIENCY MUST BE PRECEDED BY FULL REGULATORY OR LSC IDENTIFYING INFORMATION)	ID PREFIX TAG	PROVIDER'S PLAN OF CORRECTION (EACH CORRECTIVE ACTION SHOULD BE CROSS-REFERENCED TO THE APPROPRIATE DEFICIENCY)	(X5) COMPLETION DATE
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A 000	<p>INITIAL COMMENTS</p> <p>An unannounced on-site complaint investigation was conducted, on 5/14/13 and 5/15/13, by the Division of Licensing and Protection as authorized by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. There were no regulatory violations identified related to the complaint.</p>	A 000		
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LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE	TITLE	(X6) DATE
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Any deficiency statement ending with an asterisk (*) denotes a deficiency which the institution may be excused from correcting providing it is determined that other safeguards provide sufficient protection to the patients. (See instructions.) Except for nursing homes, the findings stated above are disclosable 90 days following the date of survey whether or not a plan of correction is provided. For nursing homes, the above findings and plans of correction are disclosable 14 days following the date these documents are made available to the facility. If deficiencies are cited, an approved plan of correction is requisite to continued program participation.