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Tranquility Hospice, Inc 12631 Imperial Highway, Suite F-208 Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

LEGAL NOTICE OF TERMINATION FROM MEDICARE PROGRAM

Effective on **December 26, 2024**, the Secretary of the Department of Health & Human Services will terminate its Medicare Provider Agreement with Tranquility Hospice, Inc. A Medicare complaint validation survey conducted on November 23, 2023, found Tranquility Hospice, Inc was not in compliance with requirements for participation in the Medicare and Medicaid programs as established by the Social Security Act (Section 1861).

The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has determined that Tranquility Hospice, Inc was not in compliance with the following five (5) Medicare Conditions of Participation for Hospice services:

42 C.F.R § 418.54 Initial and Comprehensive Assessment of the Patient

42 C.F.R § 418.56 Interdisciplinary Group (IDG), Care Planning, and Coordination of Services

42 C.F.R § 418.60 Infection Control

42 C.F.R § 418.64 Core Services

42 C.F.R § 418.102 Medical Director

Medicare and Medicaid programs will not make payments for services furnished to patients who were admitted on or after December 26, 2024. For patients admitted prior to December 26, 2024, payment may be available for up to thirty (30) calendar days after the effective date of termination if applicable.

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