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In Re Licensure Violation:	:	ORDER LIFTING CURTAILMENT
	:	OF ADMISSIONS AND
	:	PARTIALLY LIFTING
Serenity Gardens at Brick	:	DIRECTED PLAN OF
(NJ Facility ID #NJ D3501)	:	CORRECTION
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TO: Julie Treadway, Administrator (julie@serenitygardensatbrick.com)
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On January 12, 2023, the Department of Health (hereinafter “the Department”) issued a verbal order curtailing all admissions to Serenity Gardens at Brick dementia care facility (hereinafter “Serenity Gardens”), excluding readmissions. On January 13, 2023, the Department issued a written order for a Directed Plan of Correction (hereinafter “DPOC”), requiring Serenity Gardens to hire an Administrator Consultant and an infection control practitioner (ICP), and to suspend its certified medication aide program. On January 26, 2023, the Department verbally informed Serenity Gardens that the curtailment of admissions was lifted, along with part of the DPOC.

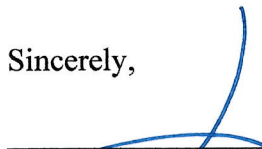
By virtue of this written order, the Department hereby lifts the curtailment of admissions to Serenity Gardens, which was effective as of January 26, 2023. The Department also lifts that portion of the DPOC requiring the facility to suspend its certified medication aide program and its use of the consultant administrator. **The portion of the DPOC requiring Serenity Gardens to use the consultant ICP remains in effect until lifted by the Department.**

Department staff will continue to monitor the facility compliance with the DPOC to determine whether corrective measures are implemented by the Facility in a timely fashion.

Failure to comply with these and other applicable requirements, as set forth in pertinent rules and regulations, may result in the imposition of penalties. Please also be advised that you may be subject to other enforcement remedies in addition to this order.

Thank you for your attention to this important matter and for your anticipated cooperation. Should you have any questions concerning this order, please contact Lisa King, Office of Program Compliance, at (609) 376-7751.

Sincerely,



Lisa King, Regulatory Officer
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New Jersey Department of Health

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