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IN RE: New Vista Center	Nursing	and	Rehabilitation	LIFTING D PLAN O	•	
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This order memorializes the order communicated by telephone on May 28, 2020 lifting the Directed Plan of Correction issued on April 21, 2020.

On April 21, 2020, the Department of Health (Department) issued an Emergency Curtailment of Admissions Order, requiring the facility to remain closed to all admissions, as well as a Directed Plan of Correction, requiring the facility to, inter alia, retain consultants and report to the Department. The Department memorialized this directive in a written order dated April 21, 2020.

On May 1, 2020 the Department partially lifted the April 21 Emergency Curtailment Order of Admissions to allow the facility to readmit residents who were discharged from a hospital. Otherwise, the Emergency Curtailment Order and Directed Plan of Correction remained in effect.

On May 20, 2020, the Department lifted the April 21, 2020 Emergency Curtailment of Admissions Order to also allow new admissions, and the Directed Plan of Correction remained in effect.

Based upon the recommendation of the Division of Health Facility Survey and Field Operations, the Department has now lifted the Directed Plan of Correction that was issued on April 21, 2020.

New Vista must comply with the April 13, 2020 Emergency Conditional Curtailment of Admissions Order, which is directed to all New Jersey Nursing Homes and

Assisted Living Facilities, and sets forth minimum requirements to effectively cohort residents and other requirements.

New Vista shall also comply with the applicable standards in N.J.A.C. 8:39-1 et seq. (Standards for Licensure of Long Term Care Facilities) as modified by the operational waivers, the unwaived Medicare conditions of 42 C.F.R. 483.1 et seq. (Requirements for Long Term Care Facilities), the conditions as modified by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid services 1135 blanket waivers, and the New Jersey specific 1135 waivers.

If you have any questions regarding this order, please contact Lisa King in the Office of Program Compliance at (609) 376-7890. For other questions, please contact the New Jersey Coronavirus and Poison Center Hotline at (800) 222-1222. For COVID-19 updates, please continue to check the Department's website for routinely updated information (https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/topics/ncov.shtml).

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