POLICY AREA	Dementia License Policies
TITLE OF POLICY	3.07 ALDC Medication Management
STATUE/RULE REFERENCE (if any)	144G.82 Subd. 3 (4)
EFFECTIVE/REVISED DATE	08/01/2021

POLICY: As an Assisted Living with Dementia Care licensed facility, Heritage of Edina provides medication management for residents with Alzheimer's disease or other dementias.

PROCEDURE:

- 1. Medication management for residents with Alzheimer's disease or other dementias follows Heritage of Edina standard medication management policies.
- 2. In addition, for residents with Alzheimer's disease or other dementias, Heritage of Edina includes, as part of the medication assessment, a focus on psychotropic medications and potential nonpharmacological plans if psychotropic medications are not beneficial, necessary, appropriate, or indicated.
- 3. Bluestone Physician will see residents monthly to assess medications/needs and appropriateness of meds.
- 4. Behavioral Health Intervention (BHI) will routinely assess resident and update behavioral plan/interventions.
- 5. Behavior plan for each resident will be available to HHAs in a designated binder at their work stations.