

# FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

**Inspection Information** 

**Date of Inspection:** March 22, 2022 | **Name of Inspector:** Michele Clarke

**Inspection Type:** Complaint Inspection

Licensee: 2259973 Ontario Inc. / 854 2nd Avenue, Owen Sound, ON N4K 4M5 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: John Joseph Place / 854 2nd Avenue, Owen Sound, ON N4K 4M5 (the "home")

Licence Number: S0108

#### **Purpose of Inspection**

The RHRA received a complaint under section 83(1) of the Retirement Homes Act, 2010 (the "RHA").

#### **NON-COMPLIANCE**

1. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 62; Contents of plan. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 47; Development of plan of care.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):

- <u>62. (4)</u> The licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that there is a written plan of care for each resident of the home that sets out,
  - (b) the planned care services for the resident that the licensee will provide, including,
    - (i) the details of the services,
    - (ii) the goals that the services are intended to achieve,
    - (iii) clear directions to the licensee's staff who provide direct care to the resident;
- 47. (5) If an assessment of a resident indicates that the resident's care needs may include dementia care, skin and wound care or the use of a personal assistance services device, the licensee shall ensure that an interdisciplinary care conference is held as part of the development of the resident's plan of care and that the resident's plan of care takes into account the results of the care conference.

## **Inspection Finding**

At the time of inspection, the Licensee failed to include the required contents of a resident's plan of care, specifically the details, goals and directions pertaining to the care services to be received. Furthermore, the Licensee failed to conduct an interdisciplinary care conference for a resident requiring dementia care.

#### Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

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## 2. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 17; Cleanliness.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):

- **17. (1)** Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that the common areas of the home, including the floors and any furnishings, equipment and linens in those areas, are clean and sanitary.
- **17. (3)** The licensee shall document the routines and methods used to comply with subsections (1) and (2).

# **Inspection Finding**

At the time of inspection, the Licensee failed to ensure the common areas of the home were clean and sanitary and unable to provide documentation outlining cleaning methods.

#### Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

3. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 67; Same, neglect.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):

**67. (2)** Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that the licensee and the staff of the home do not neglect the residents.

## **Inspection Finding**

A report was made to the RHRA regarding the alleged neglect of a resident by the home. As part of the inspection in response to the allegation, the inspector reviewed the resident's care file and other relevant documents, and interviewed relevant staff. The inspector found that the Licensee had failed to ensure that a resident was assessed as requested by the resident's physician and family to address ongoing complaints of pain. As a result, the Licensee's inactions jeopardized the health and safety of the resident, and the Licensee failed to protect the resident from neglect.

#### **Outcome**

The Licensee submitted a plan to achieve compliance by May 13, 2022. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

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## **NOTICE**

The Final Inspection Report is being provided to the Licensee, the Registrar of the Retirement Homes Regulatory Authority (the "RHRA") and the home's Residents' Council, if any.

Section 55 of the RHA requires that the Final Inspection Report be posted in the home in a conspicuous and easily accessible location. In addition, the Licensee must ensure that copies of every Final Inspection Report from the previous two (2) years are made available in the Home, in an easily accessible location.

The Registrar's copy of the Final Inspection Report, as it appears here, will be included on the RHRA Retirement Home Database, available online at <a href="http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database">http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database</a>.

Signature of Inspector	Date
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