

# FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: 10/10/2023

Inspection Type: Routine Inspection

Licensee: ACC-002361 - Mon Sheong Foundation

Retirement Home: Mon Sheong Private Care

License Number: T0407

#### **About Routine Inspections**

A routine inspection, performed by an RHRA inspector, is a physical inspection of a licensed retirement home. During a routine inspection, an RHRA inspector will walk through the home, speak to residents and staff, observe care services and conditions in the home, and ensure the licensee's management and staff follow mandatory policies and practices designed to protect the welfare of residents.

Following a routine inspection, the RHRA inspector prepares a draft inspection report which is sent to the licensee. The draft report may include instances where the licensee has failed to meet the standards of the *RHA*. If included, the licensee can respond to these instances and is strongly encouraged to inform RHRA of its plans to meet the standards of the *RHA*.

Following the draft report, the RHRA inspector prepares this final inspection report, incorporating any response from the licensee with their plans to meet the standards of the *RHA*. The most recent final inspection report must be posted in the home in a visible and easily accessible location. All final inspection reports from the previous two years must also be made available in an easily accessible location in the home. The licensee must provide a copy of this report to the home's Residents' Council, if one exists.

In addition to inspection reports, RHRA may provide information to a licensee to encourage improvements of their current practices.

If the licensee repeatedly does not meet the required standards, RHRA may take further action.

#### **Focus Areas**

During a routine inspection, an inspector will focus primarily on a set number of areas which have been identified as related to the health, safety and wellbeing of resident, and may take various actions to determine whether the licensee is compliant with the RHA in relating to the areas. The areas listed in this section are ones which an inspector has identified as non-compliant.

Focus Area #1: Emergency Plan

#### **RHRA Inspector Findings**

As part of the inspection, the Licensee's emergency response plan was reviewed. During this review, the inspector found no evidence that the Licensee had completed all required drills including a full building evacuation and responding to, medical emergencies and the loss of an essential service-related situations. Additionally, the Licensee's emergency response plan did not contain procedures for a pandemic/epidemic.

#### **Outcome**

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

Focus Area #2: Resident Record, Assessment, Plan of Care

#### **RHRA Inspector Findings**

As part of the inspection, the inspector reviewed a sample of resident charts. During this review, the inspector determined that not all residnets had been re-assessed and their plans of care updated within the prescribed timelines. Additionally, the Licensee was unable to demonstrate the individuals who were involved in the development and approval of the resident plans of care. Finally, the inspector did not find evidence that copies of the plans of care had been provided to the residents and substitute decision makers.

#### **Outcome**

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

## **Additional Findings**

During a routine inspection, an inspector may observe areas of non-compliance that are not related to the standard focus areas. In these cases, an inspector may cite the home for these contraventions at the time of this inspection. In addition, an inspector may follow-up on findings of non-compliance from previous inspections. Where the licensee is unable to demonstrate they have come into compliance or maintained compliance, an inspector may cite the home for these repeat contraventions at the time of this inspection.

## **Not Applicable**

# **Current Inspection – Citations**

Citations relating to the above Focus Areas or Additional Findings made during the current inspection are listed below.

The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 24. (5); Emergency plan, general

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24. (5) The licensee shall,

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

## s. 24. (5), (a)

(a) on an annual basis at least, test the emergency plan, including arrangements with community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency, related to,

## s. 24. (5), (a), 1.

(i) the loss of essential services,

# s. 24. (5), (a)

(a) on an annual basis at least, test the emergency plan, including arrangements with community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency, related to,

#### s. 24. (5), (a), 3.

(iii) medical emergencies,

## s. 24. (5), (b)

(b) at least once every two years, conduct a planned evacuation of the retirement home;

The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 25. (3); Emergency plan, retirement home with more than 10 residents

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25. (3) The licensee shall ensure that the emergency plan provides for the following:

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

# s. 25. (3), para. 1

1. Dealing with,

## s. 25. (3), para. 1, 5.1

v.1 epidemics and pandemics,

## The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 47. (4); Development of plan of care

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47. (4) Subject to subsections (5) and (6), a plan of care for a resident is complete if the plan,

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

#### s. 47. (4), (b)

(b) sets out,

#### s. 47. (4), (b), 3.

(iii) the names of the persons who participated in the development of the plan and whether the resident and his or her substitute decision-makers, if any, participated in the development of the plan;

## The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 62. (12); Reassessment and revision

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62. (12) The licensee shall ensure that the resident is reassessed and the plan of care reviewed and revised at least every six months and at any other time if, in the opinion of the licensee or the resident,

#### s. 62. (12), (a)

(a) a goal in the plan is met;

#### s. 62. (12), (b)

(b) the resident's care needs change or the care services set out in the plan are no longer necessary;

#### s. 62. (12), (c)

(c) the care services set out in the plan have not been effective.

The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 62. (5); Involvement of resident, etc.

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62. (5) The licensee shall ensure that the resident, the resident's substitute decision-maker, if any, and any other persons designated by the resident or substitute decision-maker are given an opportunity to participate in the development, implementation and reviews of the resident's plan of care.

#### The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 62. (9); Persons who approve plans of care

#### s. 62. (9); Persons who approve plans of care

62. (9) The licensee shall ensure that the following persons have approved the plan of care, including any revisions to it, and that a copy is provided to them:

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

## s. 62. (9), para. 1

1. The resident or the resident's substitute decision-maker.

#### s. 62. (9), para. 2

2. The prescribed person if there is a person prescribed for the purpose of this paragraph.

#### **Closed Citations**

During an inspection, an inspector may follow-up with areas of non-compliance cited during a previous inspection, or verify compliance with areas initially cited during the current inspection. The inspector has verified that at the time of this report, the licensee was able to demonstrate that the following areas have come into compliance.

#### **Retirement Homes Act, 2010:**

#### s. 65. (2); Training

65. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,

## s. 65. (2), (a)

(a) the Residents' Bill of Rights;

#### s. 65. (2); Training

65. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,

## s. 65. (2), (b)

(b) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 67 (4) to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents;

#### s. 65. (2); Training

65. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,

## s. 65. (2), (c)

(c) the protection afforded for whistle-blowing described in section 115;

#### s. 65. (2); Training

65. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,

#### s. 65. (2), (d)

(d) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 68 (3) regarding the use of personal assistance services devices for residents;

#### s. 65. (2); Training

65. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,

#### s. 65. (2), (f)

(f) fire prevention and safety;

## s. 65. (2); Training

65. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,

### s. 65. (2), (h)

(h) the emergency plan and the infection prevention and control program of the licensee for the home mentioned in subsection 60 (4);

## s. 65. (4); On-going training

65. (4) The licensee shall ensure that the persons who are required to receive the training described in subsection (2) receive ongoing training as described in that subsection at the times required by the regulations.

#### **Ontario Regulation 166/11:**

#### s. 14. (1); Staff training

14. (1) For the purposes of clause 65 (2) (j) of the Act, every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that all staff who work in the home receive training in the procedure described in subsection 73 (1) of the Act for a person to complain to the licensee.

#### s. 14. (2); Staff training

14. (2) For the purposes of subsection 65 (4) of the Act, the licensee shall ensure that the persons who are required to receive training under subsection 65 (2) of the Act receive the training at least annually.

# s. 14. (5); Staff training

14. (5) The licensee shall ensure that the persons who are required to receive the training described in subsection 65 (5) of the Act receive that training on an ongoing basis, namely at least annually after receiving the training described in subsection (4).

## s. 21. (2); Hazardous substances

21. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that all hazardous substances used by staff of the home or under their control are labelled properly and are kept inaccessible to residents at all times.

#### s. 24. (4); Emergency plan, general

24. (4) The licensee shall keep current all arrangements with community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency.

#### s. 24. (5); Emergency plan, general

24. (5) The licensee shall,

#### s. 24. (5), (a)

(a) on an annual basis at least, test the emergency plan, including arrangements with community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency, related to,

## s. 24. (5), (a), 2.

(ii) situations involving a missing resident,

## s. 24. (5); Emergency plan, general

24. (5) The licensee shall,

# s. 24. (5), (a)

(a) on an annual basis at least, test the emergency plan, including arrangements with community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency, related to,

## s. 24. (5), (a), 3.1

(iii.1) epidemics and pandemics,

## s. 24. (5); Emergency plan, general

24. (5) The licensee shall,

## s. 24. (5), (a)

(a) on an annual basis at least, test the emergency plan, including arrangements with community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency, related to,

# s. 24. (5), (a), 4.

(iv) violent outbursts;

## s. 27. (5); Infection prevention and control program

27. (5) The licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that,

#### s. 27. (5), (0.a)

(0.a) any guidance, advice or recommendations given to retirement homes by the Chief Medical Officer of Health are followed in the retirement home;

## s. 27. (5.1); Infection prevention and control program

27. (5.1) The licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that an infectious disease outbreak is reported to the Authority on the same day it is reported to the local medical officer of health or designate under clause (5) (a).

## s. 27. (9); Infection prevention and control program

27. (9) The licensee shall ensure that each staff member who works in the retirement home receives training on how to reduce the incidence of infectious disease transmission, including,

#### s. 27. (9), (a)

(a) the need for and method of maintaining proper hand hygiene and method of preventing cross contamination, including proper handling of soiled linens, the protection of uniforms, and the separation of clean and dirty items;

#### s. 27. (9); Infection prevention and control program

27. (9) The licensee shall ensure that each staff member who works in the retirement home receives training on how to reduce the incidence of infectious disease transmission, including,

#### s. 27. (9), (b)

(b) the need for and process of reporting, providing surveillance of and documenting incidents of infectious illness.

## s. 30.; Storage of drugs or other substances

30. If drugs or other substances are stored in a retirement home on behalf of a resident, the licensee of the home shall ensure that,

#### s. 30. (a)

(a) the drugs or other substances are stored in an area or a medication cart that,

#### s. 30. (a), 2.

(ii) is locked and secure,

#### s. 40.; Provision of a meal

40. If one of the care services that the licensee or the staff of a retirement home provide to a resident of the home is the provision of a meal, the licensee shall ensure that,

#### s. 40. (c)

(c) the menu is varied and changes daily;

#### s. 59. (2); Procedure for complaints to licensee

59. (2) The licensee shall ensure that a written record is kept in the retirement home that includes,

## s. 59. (2), (d)

(d) the final resolution, if any, of the complaint;

# s. 59. (2); Procedure for complaints to licensee

59. (2) The licensee shall ensure that a written record is kept in the retirement home that includes,

s. 59. (2), (f)

(f) any response made in turn by the complainant.

# **NOTICE**

The Final Inspection Report is being provided to the Licensee, the Registrar of 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 http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database.

Signature of Inspector	Date
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