

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: April 30, 2014 **Name of Inspector:** Julie Hebert

Inspection Type: Routine Inspection

Licensee: St Andrew's Residence, Chatham / 99 Park Street, Chatham, ON N7M3R5 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: St Andrew's Residence / 99 Park Street, Chatham, ON N7M 3R5 (the "home")

Licence Number: S0196

Purpose of Inspection

The RHRA conducts routine inspections as set out in section 77(3) 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. 54; Information for residents.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsections:

- s. 54. (2) The package of information shall include, at a minimum,
 - (c) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 67 (4) to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents.
 - (I) a statement that a resident may purchase or apply for care services, other services, programs or goods from external care providers;
 - (s) information as to whether the retirement home has automatic sprinklers in each resident's room;

Inspection Finding

The information package given to residents does not include the home's abuse and neglect policy; information about external care providers; or information about sprinklers in resident's rooms.

Outcome

Corrective action taken by the Licensee.

2. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 25; Emergency plan, retirement home with more than 10 residents.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsections:

s. 25. (2) The licensee shall ensure that the development of the emergency plan includes,

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- (a) consultation with the relevant community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency;
- (b) identification of hazards and risks that may give rise to an emergency affecting the home, whether the hazards and risks arise within the home or in the surrounding vicinity or community, and strategies to address those hazards and risks.
- (3) The licensee shall ensure that the emergency plan provides for the following:
 - 3. Resources, supplies and equipment vital for the emergency response being set aside and readily available at the retirement home and regular testing of all such resources, supplies and equipment to ensure that they are in working order.

Inspection Finding

The home's emergency plan does not include the above noted sections.

Outcome

Corrective action scheduled to be completed by the Licensee by September 1, 2014.

3. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 27; Infection prevention and control program.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection:

- <u>s. 27. (9)</u> 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,
 - (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; and
 - (b) the need for and process of reporting, providing surveillance of and documenting incidents of infectious illness.

Inspection Finding

The home has not completed the required infection control training with staff.

Outcome

Corrective action scheduled to be completed by the Licensee by October 1, 2014.

4. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; Obligations of licensees re staff. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 14; Staff training. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 55; Contents of records.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsections:

- **<u>s. 65. (2)</u>** Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that no staff work in the home unless they have received training in,
 - (a) the Residents' Bill of Rights;
 - (c) the protection afforded for whistle-blowing described in section 115;

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- (d) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 68 (3) regarding the use of personal assistance services devices for residents;
- (f) fire prevention and safety;
- <u>s. 14. (1)</u> 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.
- <u>s. 55. (5)</u> A licensee of a retirement home shall keep records proving compliance with the Act and this Regulation in relation to,
 - (c) the skills, qualifications and training of the staff who work in the home.

Inspection Finding

The home was unable to show documentation of training done in the above noted areas.

Outcome

Corrective action scheduled to be completed by the Licensee by July 30, 2014.

5. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 23; Behaviour management.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsections:

- <u>s. 23. (1)</u> Every licensee of a retirement home shall develop and implement a written behaviour management strategy that includes,
 - (c) strategies for monitoring residents that have demonstrated behaviours that pose a risk to the resident or others in the home; and
 - (d) protocols for how staff and volunteers shall report and be informed of resident behaviours that pose a risk to the resident or others in the home.

Inspection Finding

The home's behaviour management policy does not include strategies for monitoring residents who have demonstrated behaviours or protocols for how staff and volunteers shall report resident behaviours.

Outcome

Corrective action scheduled to be completed by the Licensee by July 30, 2014.

6. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 29; Administration of drugs or other substances.

Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsections:

- **<u>s. 29.</u>** 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 administration of a drug or other substance, the licensee shall ensure that,
 - (c) neither the licensee nor a staff member administers a drug to a resident in the home unless the licensee or the staff member has received training in the procedures applicable to the administration of the drug;

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- (e) if the licensee or a staff member is involved in the administration of the drug or other substance at the home, that the licensee or staff member is trained in,
 - (i) ways of reducing the incidence of infectious disease, including maintaining proper hand hygiene,
 - (ii) the safe disposal of syringes and other sharps, and
 - (iii) recognizing an adverse drug reaction and taking appropriate action.

Inspection Finding

No documentation could be found in the home to show medication administration training in the above noted sections.

Outcome

Corrective action taken by the Licensee.

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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 Public Register, available online at http://rhra.ca/en/register/.

Signature of Inspector	Date
Quice Hebert	July 29, 2014

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