

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: August 13, 2015 | **Name of Inspector:** Janet Evans

Inspection Type: Mandatory Reporting Inspection

Licensee: 1583187 Ontario Inc. / 307 King Street, Hamilton, ON L8N 1C1 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: Sheridan Lodge / 6 Sheridan Street, Brantford, ON N3T 2P6 (the "home")

Licence Number: S0161

Purpose of Inspection

The RHRA received a report under section 75(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. 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

The Licensee failed to ensure training of insulin administration for a PSW by an RHP. In addition to this, staff of the home failed to follow prevailing practice for medication administration. This resulted in a resident being admitted to hospital when she was administered approximately 30 units of insulin more than she was prescribed.

Outcome

Corrective action taken by the Licensee.

2. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 62; Reassessment and revision.

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

<u>62. (12)</u> 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,

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

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At the time of the inspection there was no evidence from the chart reviewed that the resident had been reassessed and the plan of care updated every 6 months as required.

Outcome

Corrective action scheduled to be completed by the Licensee on September 30, 2015.

3. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; Training. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 14; Staff training.

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

- **65. (2)** 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;
 - (b) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 67 (4) to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents;
 - (c) the protection afforded for whistle-blowing described in section 115;
 - (d) the licensee's policy mentioned in subsection 68 (3) regarding the use of personal assistance services devices for residents;
 - (e) injury prevention;
 - (f) fire prevention and safety;
 - (g) the licensee's emergency evacuation plan for the home mentioned in subsection 60 (3);
 - (h) the emergency plan and the infection prevention and control program of the licensee for the home mentioned in subsection 60 (4);
 - (i) all Acts, regulations, policies of the Authority and similar documents, including policies of the licensee, that are relevant to the person's duties;
 - (j) all other prescribed matters.
- 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.

Inspection Finding

The Licensee failed to show evidence that they completed the mandatory training for staff prior to their beginning work at the home.

Outcome

Corrective action taken by the Licensee.

4. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 36; Continence care.

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

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36. (1) If one of the care services that the licensee or the staff of a retirement home provide to a resident of the home is continence care, the licensee shall establish a continence care program that includes,

- (a) measures to promote continence;
- (b) measures to prevent constipation, including nutrition and hydration protocols;
- (c) toileting programs;
- (d) strategies to maximize the resident's independence, comfort and dignity, including the use of equipment, supplies, devices and assistive aids.

Inspection Finding

The Licensee confirmed that they provided continence care but they did not have evidence of a continence care program.

Outcome

Corrective action scheduled to be completed by the Licensee by September 30, 2015.

5. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 64; Hiring staff.

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

64. (1) A licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that screening measures are conducted in accordance with the regulations before hiring staff and accepting volunteers to work in the home.

Inspection Finding

The Licensee failed to show evidence that the required screening was completed before hiring staff to work in the home.

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
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