

### FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the *Retirement Homes Act, 2010*

Inspection Information		
Date of Inspection: May 8, 2017	Name of Inspector: Tania Buko	
Inspection Type: Routine Inspection		
Licensee: London Canada Investors Limited Partnership / 355 Burrard Street, Vancouver, BC V6C 2G8 (the "Licensee")		
<b>Retirement Home:</b> Arbor Trace Alzheimer's Special Care Center / 120 Chelton Road, London, ON N6M 1C6 (the "home")		
Licence Number: S0221		

#### **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 O. Reg. 166/11, s. 11; Posted information.

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

**<u>11. (1)</u>** For the purposes of paragraph 4 of subsection 55 (2) of the Act, the following information is prescribed as information that must be posted in a retirement home under that subsection:

3. An explanation of the procedures to be followed in the case of an evacuation.

#### Inspection Finding

The posted evacuation procedures in the home did not provide clear directions or an explanation in relation to how the home was to evacuate in the case of an emergency.

#### Outcome

The Licensee took corrective action to achieve compliance.

2. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 24; Emergency plan, general. 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 subsection(s):

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

#### 24. (5) The licensee shall,

(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,

(i) the loss of essential services,

(ii) situations involving a missing resident,

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

(c) keep a written record of the testing of the emergency plan and planned evacuations and of any changes made to improve the emergency plan.

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

(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.

**<u>25. (3)</u>** The licensee shall ensure that the emergency plan provides for the following:

2. Evacuation of the retirement home, including a system in the home to account for the whereabouts of all residents in the event that it is necessary to evacuate and relocate residents and evacuate staff and others in case of an emergency.

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.

25. (4) The licensee shall ensure that the emergency plan addresses the following components:

- 2. Lines of authority.
- 3. Communications plan.
- 4. Specific staff roles and responsibilities.

**25. (5)** The licensee shall ensure that the emergency plan for the retirement home is evaluated and updated at least annually and that the updating includes contact information for the relevant community agencies, partner facilities and resources that will be involved in responding to an emergency.

#### **Inspection Finding**

The home's emergency plan has not been updated, evaluated, or tested on an annual basis in the noted areas, and the home has failed to ensure that resources and supplies are set aside and readily available in an emergency. In addition, the home's emergency plan does not have a proper evacuation procedure in place including a system to account for residents, and the home has failed to ensure a full evacuation of the home has been conducted every two years.

#### 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 O. Reg. 166/11, s. 43; Initial assessment of care needs. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 44; Full assessment of care needs.

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

**43. (1)** Subject to section 45, no later than two days after a resident commences residency in a retirement home, the licensee of the home shall ensure that an initial assessment of the resident's immediate care needs is conducted.

**43. (2)** The initial assessment mentioned in subsection (1) shall consider the following matters with respect to the resident:

2. Presence of infectious diseases.

7. Risk of harm to self and to others.

**44. (1)** Subject to section 46, no later than 14 days after a resident commences residency in a retirement home, the licensee shall ensure that a full assessment of the resident's care needs and preferences is conducted.

**<u>44. (2)</u>** The full assessment mentioned in subsection (1) shall consider the following matters with respect to the resident:

7. The matters listed in subsection 43 (2).

#### Inspection Finding

The routine inspection revealed that the Licensee failed to ensure that all the initial assessments reviewed were completed no later than two days of admission, and that all full assessments reviewed were completed within 14 days of admission. Additionally, the initial assessments did not include the noted areas, and the full assessments did not include all matters listed in the initial assessment, specifically, presence of infectious diseases, risk of harm to self and others, and risk of wandering.

#### Outcome

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

# The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; Training. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; On-going 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):

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

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



(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;

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

**<u>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.

**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.

#### **Inspection Finding**

The routine inspection revealed the Licensee failed to ensure that staff were trained in the following areas prior to the commencement of work in the home, and that staff completed their annual training in the required areas.

#### Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by July 31, 2017. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

#### 5. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 32; Records.

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

<u>32.</u> If the licensee or a member of the staff of a retirement home administers a drug or other substance to a resident, the licensee shall ensure that,

(b) if a drug is administered, there is written evidence that the drug was prescribed for the resident by a person who is authorized to prescribe a drug under section 27 of the Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991;

#### **Inspection Finding**

The inspection revealed the Licensee failed to ensure that all records reviewed had corresponding physician orders for the medications administered to the residents.

#### Outcome

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

6. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 41; Dementia care program.

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

**<u>41. (4)</u>** The program shall be supervised by a member of a College, as defined in the Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991, with specific training in dementia care and care of older adults.

#### Inspection Finding

The Licensee was unable to show evidence to support that the Regulated Health Care Professional supervising the home's Dementia Care had the specific required training.

#### Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

#### 7. 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(s):

**27. (2)** The licensee shall consult on an ongoing basis and not less than once a year with the local medical officer of health or designate about identifying and addressing health care issues in the retirement home in order to reduce the incidence of infectious disease outbreaks in the home.

**27. (3)** The licensee shall keep a written record of the consultation required under subsection (2) that shall include a record of when the consultation took place, what was discussed and any recommendations that the local medical officer of health or designate made.

#### **Inspection Finding**

The Licensee failed to ensure the home has an infection prevention and control program in the prescribed areas.

#### Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by July 31, 2017. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.



## 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 <a href="http://rhra.ca/en/register/">http://rhra.ca/en/register/</a>

Signature of Inspector	Date
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