

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

Inspection Information		
Date of Inspection: March 21, 2018	Name of Inspector: Debbie Rydall	
Inspection Type: Routine Inspection		
Licensee: Elgin Lodge Holding Corporation / 429 One Old Mill Drive, Toronto, ON M6S 0A1 (the "Licensee")		
Retirement Home: Kingsway Arms at Elgin Lodge / 551 Mary Street, Port Elgin, ON N0H 2C2 (the "home")		
Licence Number: S0412		

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; Contents.

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

54. (2) The package of information shall include, at a minimum,

(k) an itemized list of the different types of accommodation and care services provided in the retirement home and their prices;

Inspection Finding

The package of information reviewed during the routine inspection was not completely aligned with the requirements of the legislation in the area listed.

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 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,

(iii) medical emergencies,

(iv) violent outbursts;

(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,

(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.

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

1. Dealing with,

i. fires,

iii. violent outbursts,

v. medical emergencies,

vi. chemical spills,

viii. loss of one or more essential services.

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.

4. Specific staff roles and responsibilities.

Inspection Finding

The emergency plan reviewed at the time of the routine inspection was not completely aligned with the requirements of the legislation in the listed areas. Further, the home failed to complete the required testing of their emergency plan.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by June 10, 2018. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

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.

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):

<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,

(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;

(f) fire prevention and safety;

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.

<u>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;

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

Inspection Finding

The training records reviewed at the time of the routine inspection revealed that not all staff had received the required training prior to working in the home as per the requirements of the legislation.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by April 25, 2018. RHRA to confirm by inspection.

4. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 15; Policy of zero tolerance of abuse and neglect.

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

<u>15. (3)</u> The policy to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents described in subsection 67 (4) of the Act shall,

(d) provide that the licensee of the retirement home shall ensure that the resident's substitute decision-makers, if any, and any other person specified by the resident,

(ii) are notified within 12 hours upon the licensee becoming aware of any other alleged, suspected or witnessed incident of abuse or neglect of a resident;



(e) provide that the licensee of the retirement home shall ensure that the resident and the resident's substitute decision-makers, if any, are notified of the results of an investigation described in clause 67 (5) (e) of the Act immediately upon the completion of the investigation;

Inspection Finding

The home's prevention of abuse policy reviewed during the routine inspection was not completely aligned with the legislation in the area listed.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by May 1, 2018. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

5. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 20; Food preparation.

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

<u>20. (4)</u> The licensee shall ensure that whenever food is prepared in the retirement home, at least one person involved in preparing the food holds a current certificate in food handling from the local public health unit or has recently successfully completed a food handling training program equivalent to that offered by public health units.

Inspection Finding

There was no documented evidence provided at the time of the inspection to support that the required staff held current certificates in food handling as per the requirements of the legislation.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by April 25, 2018. 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 <u>http://rhra.ca/en/register/</u>

Signature of Inspector	Date
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