

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: July 5, 2018 | Name of Inspector: Douglas Crust

Inspection Type: Routine Inspection

Licensee: Estherville Manor Ltd. / 10606 Mclaughlin Rd., Brampton, ON L7A 0C9 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: Estherville Manor / 10606 Mclaughlin Rd., Brampton, ON L7A 0C9 (the "home")

Licence Number: T0468

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,
 - (s) information as to whether the retirement home has automatic sprinklers in each resident's room;

Inspection Finding

The information included in the package of information provided to residents regarding sprinklers is incorrect. The Home does not have sprinklers in each resident's room at this time.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted a plan to achieve compliance by August 27, 2018. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

2. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 53; Agreement required.

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

53. (1) The licensee of a retirement home shall enter into a written agreement with every resident of the home before the resident commences residency in the home.

Inspection Finding

The evidence demonstrated that the Licensee did not have written and signed agreements with each resident before tenancy commenced.

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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. 24; Emergency plan, general.

The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 26; Emergency plan, retirement home with 10 or fewer residents.

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

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.

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,
 - (ii) situations involving a missing resident,
 - (iii) medical emergencies,
- (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.
- <u>26.</u> The emergency plan for a retirement home that has 10 or fewer residents shall, in addition to the requirements in section 24, meet the following requirements:
 - 3. The plan shall include steps in the evacuation of the 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.
 - 4. The plan shall require that resources, supplies and equipment vital for the emergency response are set aside, readily available at the home and tested regularly to ensure that they are in working order.
 - 6. The licensee shall ensure that the plan is 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 evidence demonstrated that the Licensee did not have a current arrangement in place for transportation of residents in the event of an emergency. Also, the Licensee could not demonstrate that annual testing of the emergency plan had taken place in 2017 for the named areas and no record of testing was kept, as prescribed. Further, the emergency plan stated that a meal census would be used to account for residents during an evacuation but the Licensee could not produce one. Finally, the Licensee could not demonstrate that the supplies and equipment vital for an emergency response are tested regularly or that the emergency plan was updated annually.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted a plan to achieve compliance by August 27, 2018. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

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4. 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. (4) The licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that a written surveillance protocol is established in consultation with the local medical officer of health or designate in order to identify, document and monitor residents who report symptoms of respiratory or gastrointestinal illness.

Inspection Finding

The Licensee's Infection Prevention and Control program, as presented for inspection, did not address a written surveillance protocol for gastrointestinal infections, as prescribed.

Outcome

The Licensee took corrective action to achieve compliance.

5. 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):

<u>44. (1)</u> 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.

Inspection Finding

Based on the information presented during the inspection it was not possible to confirm that the full assessment of care needs for one resident was completed within the prescribed time frame.

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 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.

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 subsection(s):

- <u>65. (4)</u> 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.
- **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.
- **29.** 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,
 - (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,
 - (ii) the safe disposal of syringes and other sharps,

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(iii) recognizing an adverse drug reaction and taking appropriate action;

Inspection Finding

Based on the information supplied by the Licensee, one staff member did not complete the annual training in all of the prescribed areas. In addition, the Licensee could not demonstrate that stafftraining in medication administration included all of the items prescribed.

Outcome

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

7. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 31; Medication management system.

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

31. (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 the administration of a drug or other substance, the licensee shall establish a medication management system, which includes written policies and procedures, to ensure that all drugs and other substances to be administered to residents of the home are acquired, received in the home, stored, dispensed, administered, destroyed and disposed of correctly as required by law and in accordance with prevailing practices.

Inspection Finding

The Licensee's medication management policy presented for inspection did not demonstrate procedures for all of the prescribed areas.

Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

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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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