

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: June 13, 2019 **Name of Inspector:** Rachelle Harber

Inspection Type: Mandatory Reporting Inspection

Licensee: Maple Retirement Homes Inc. / 307 King street, Hamilton, ON L8N 1C1 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: Montgomery Retirement Home / 1605 Main Street , Hamilton, ON L8H 1C4 (the

"home")

Licence Number: S0457

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 O. Reg. 166/11, s. 22; Risk of falls.

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

- **22. (1)** Every licensee of a retirement home shall develop, document and implement strategies to reduce or mitigate the risk of falls in common areas of the home.
- **22.** (2) If a resident of a retirement home falls in a common area of the home or while being assisted by the licensee or staff, the licensee shall ensure that,
 - (b) corrective action is taken as necessary to prevent future harm to residents;
 - (c) the licensee or a staff member documents the fall, the response to the fall and the corrective actions taken, if any.
- **22. (3)** If a resident of a retirement home falls in the home in circumstances other than those described in subsection (2) and the licensee or a staff member becomes aware of the fall, the licensee shall ensure that the licensee or a staff member documents the fall, the response to the fall and the corrective actions taken, if any.

Inspection Finding

The inspection revealed that a resident was having frequent falls in the home. The home was not able to demonstrate that that they developed, documented and implemented strategies to reduce the resident's risk of falls. Further, the licensee did not document the falls, the response to the falls or corrective action taken, if any to prevent future harm.

Outcome

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The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by August 26, 2019. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

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

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

- **23.** (1) Every licensee of a retirement home shall develop and implement a written behaviour management strategy that includes,
 - (a) techniques to prevent and address resident behaviours that pose a risk to the resident or others in the home;
 - (b) strategies for interventions to prevent and address resident behaviours that pose a risk to the resident or others in the home;
 - (c) strategies for monitoring residents that have demonstrated behaviours that pose a risk to the resident or others in the home;
 - (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.
- **23. (2)** The licensee shall ensure that all staff who provide care services to residents are advised at the beginning of every shift of each resident whose behaviours require heightened monitoring because those behaviours pose a risk to the resident or others in the home.

Inspection Finding

The inspection revealed that a resident was displaying behaviors that posed a risk to the resident and others in the home. The home was not able to demonstrate that they implemented their behavior management strategy to prevent and address those behaviors. Further, there was no evidence that the home monitored the behaviors or informed other staff of the need for heightened monitoring.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by August 26, 2019. 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; Additional training for direct care staff.

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,
 - (i) all Acts, regulations, policies of the Authority and similar documents, including policies of the licensee, that are relevant to the person's duties;

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- <u>65. (5)</u> The licensee shall ensure that all staff who provide care services to residents receive training in the following matters and at the times required by the regulations, as a condition of continuing to have contact with residents, in addition to the other training that they are required to receive under this section:
 - 3. Behaviour management.
- **14. (3)** For the purposes of paragraph 5 of subsection 65 (5) of the Act, every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that every staff member who provides a care service to a resident has received or receives training in,
 - (b) each care service offered in the home so that the staff member is able to understand the general nature of each of those services, the standards applicable under the Act to each of those services and the aspects of each of those services that may be relevant to the staff member's own duties in the home.

Inspection Finding

Evidence shows that the licensee did not ensure staff is trained on the homes behavior management strategy, the homes falls policy and care services related to assistance with mobility.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted plan to achieve compliance by August 26, 2019. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

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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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