

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

Inspection Information		
Date of Inspection: March 11, 2020	Name of Inspector: Rachelle Harber	
Inspection Type: Routine Inspection		
Licensee: 2396745 Ontario Inc. / 258 Talbot Street, Aylmer, ON N5H 1H7 (the "Licensee")		
Retirement Home: Aylmer Retirement Residence / 258 Talbot Street, Aylmer, ON N5H 1H7 (the "home")		
Licence Number: S0435		

#### **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. 59; Procedure for complaints to licensee.

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

59. (2) The licensee shall ensure that a written record is kept in the retirement home that includes,

(c) the type of action taken to resolve the complaint, including the date of the action, time frames for actions to be taken and any follow-up action required;

(d) the final resolution, if any, of the complaint;

(e) every date on which any response was provided to the complainant and a description of the response;

(f) any response made in turn by the complainant.

#### **Inspection Finding**

The Licensee did not meet the legislative requirements related to the homes complaints procedure.

#### Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

# 2. 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. 47; Development of plan of care.

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

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

- 2. Presence of infectious diseases.
- 4. Known allergies.
- 5. Dietary needs including known food restrictions.

**47. (1)** Subject to subsection (4), as soon as possible and not later than two days after a resident commences residency in a retirement home, the licensee of a retirement home shall develop an initial plan of care for the resident based on the initial assessment of the resident's immediate care needs conducted under section 43 that includes all of the information listed in subsection 62 (4) of the Act that is relevant to the resident's immediate care needs.

**47. (2)** No later than 21 days after a resident commences residency in a retirement home, the licensee of the home shall develop a complete plan of care for the resident based on the full assessment of the resident's care needs and preferences conducted under section 44 that takes into account all of the matters that must be considered in a full assessment.

#### **Inspection Finding**

The Licensee did not meet the legislative requirements related to assessments and plans of care.

#### Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

# 3. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 29; Administration of drugs or other substances.

The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 30; Storage of drugs or other substances. 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>29.</u>** 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,

(b) no drug is administered by the licensee or the staff to the resident in the home except in accordance with the directions for use specified by the person who prescribed the drug for the resident;

<u>30.</u> If drugs or other substances are stored in a retirement home on behalf of a resident, the licensee of the home shall ensure that,

(b) controlled substances as defined in the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (Canada) are stored in a separate, double-locked stationary cupboard in the locked area or stored in a separate locked area within the locked medication cart;

<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,

(a) the person who administered the drug or other substance prepares a written record noting the name and amount of the drug or other substance, the route of its administration and the time and date on which it was administered;

(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 Licensee did not meet the legislative requirements related to administration of drugs or other substances.

# Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

 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. 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;

**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.

**<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 Licensee did not meet the legislative requirements for staff training.

# Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

 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):

# 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;

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

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.

#### Inspection Finding

The homes emergency plan does not meet the requirements set out in this section.

#### Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

#### 6. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 90; Compliance order.

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



**<u>90. (1)</u>** If the Registrar believes on reasonable grounds that a licensee has contravened a requirement under this Act, the Registrar may serve an order on the licensee ordering the licensee to refrain from doing something, or to do something, for the purpose of ending the contravention and achieving compliance and for the purpose of ensuring that the contravention is not repeated and that compliance is maintained.

# **Inspection Finding**

The inspection revealed that the Licensee is in contravention of Compliance Order No. 2019-S0435-90-01-A dated October 28, 2019.

#### Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.



# 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 Retirement Home Database available online at <u>http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database</u>.

Signature of Inspector	Date
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