

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

Inspection Information	
Date of Inspection: July 30, 2020	Name of Inspector: Julie Hebert
Inspection Type: Mandatory Reporting Inspection	
Licensee: Amber Lea Place Ltd. / 384 St. Paul Avenue, Brantford, ON N3R 4N4 (the "Licensee")	
Retirement Home: Amber Lea Place Retirement Residence / 384 St. Paul Avenue, Brantford, ON N3R 4N4 (the "home")	
Licence Number: S0083	

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 the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 62; Assessment of resident. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 62; Reassessment and revision.

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

62. (6) The licensee shall ensure that the plan of care is based on an assessment of the resident and the needs and preferences of the resident.

62. (12) The licensee shall ensure that the resident is reassessed and the plan of care reviewed and revised at least every six months and at any other time if, in the opinion of the licensee or the resident, (b) the resident's care needs change or the care services set out in the plan are no longer necessary;

Inspection Finding

During the inspection, several different issues were identified with residents. Three residents were identified as actively exit-seeking from the home. Another resident had escalating behaviours that culminated in an incident of resident to resident emotional abuse. Another resident recently returned from hospital with a change in care needs surrounding transfers and ambulation. The home was not able to demonstrate that these care needs were included in the residents' plans of care as the care need changed.

Outcome

At the time of the inspection, the Licensee was not in compliance. The home has since taken corrective action to achieve compliance.

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,

(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;

Inspection Finding

The home was not able to demonstrate that strategies for heightened monitoring had been implemented for residents following incidents of at risk behaviour, nor did it appear the home had implemented sufficient strategies to prevent and address these behaviours.

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 the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 67; Policy to promote zero tolerance.

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

67. (4) Without in any way restricting the generality of the duties described in subsections (1) and (2), the licensee shall ensure that there is a written policy to promote zero tolerance of abuse and neglect of residents and shall ensure that the policy is complied with.

Inspection Finding

The home had not followed their zero tolerance of abuse policy as they failed to report an incident of resident to resident emotional abuse to the substitute decision makers of the victim, nor had they reported the incident to the RHRA.

Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. 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 Retirement Home Database, available online at http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database.

Signature of Inspector	Date
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