

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: February 23, 2022 Name of Inspector: Julie Hebert

Inspection Type: Routine Inspection

Licensee: Douglas Bloomfield / 97 Cove Crescent, Stoney Creek, ON L8E 5A1 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: Serenity Blenheim Independent Living / 84 Marlborough Street, Blenheim, ON NOP 1A0

(the "home")

Licence Number: S0509

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. (3) The licensee shall ensure that,
 - (a) the written record is reviewed and analyzed for trends at least quarterly;

Inspection Finding

The home was not able to demonstrate to they were completing a quarterly review of all complaints received in the home.

Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. 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;

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(b) strategies for interventions to prevent and address resident behaviours that pose a risk to the resident or others in the home;

Inspection Finding

The home was not able to demonstrate they had implemented techniques and strategies to prevent and address behaviours that posed a risk.

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. 62; Contents of plan.

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. (4)** The licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that there is a written plan of care for each resident of the home that sets out,
 - (b) the planned care services for the resident that the licensee will provide, including,
 - (i) the details of the services,
- <u>62. (6)</u> 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.
- <u>62. (12)</u> 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

The Licensee was not able to demonstrate that all residents' plans of care were in alignment with the above-noted sections of the legislation.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted a plan to achieve compliance by March 5, 2022. RHRA to confirm compliance by inspection.

4. 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):

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- **65. (2)** 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;
 - (h) the emergency plan and the infection prevention and control program of the licensee for the home mentioned in subsection 60 (4);
- **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.
- **27. (9)** 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 home was not able to demonstrate that all staff had been trained at orientation in all required areas.

Outcome

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

5. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 24; Emergency plan, general.

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.

Inspection Finding

The home was not able to demonstrate that they had updated arrangement with community agencies and partners within the required time frame.

Outcome

The Licensee has demonstrated it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm

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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
Quice Hebert	March 3, 2022

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