

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

Inspection Information	
Date of Inspection: June 7, 2022	Name of Inspector: Melissa Meikle
Inspection Type: Routine Inspection	
Licensee: ACGH Investments Inc. / 889 Elmsmere Road, Gloucester, ON K1J 9L5 (the "Licensee")	
Retirement Home: Villa Elmsmere Villa / 889 Elmsmere Road, Gloucester, ON K1J 9L5 (the "home")	
Licence Number: N0385	

Purpose of Inspection
The RHRA conducts routine inspections as set out in section 77(3) of the <i>Retirement Homes Act, 2010</i> (the "RHA").

NON-COMPLIANCE
<p>1. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 29; Administration of drugs or other substances.</p> <p>Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):</p> <p>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,</p> <p>(c) neither the licensee nor a staff member administers a drug to a resident in the home unless the licensee or the staff member has received training in the procedures applicable to the administration of the drug;</p>
<p>Inspection Finding</p> <p>At the time of inspection the staff administering medications had not completed training on the procedures applicable to the administration of a drug or other substance.</p>
<p>Outcome</p> <p>At the time of the inspection, the Licensee was not in compliance. The home has since taken corrective action to achieve compliance.</p>
<p>2. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; Training.</p> <p>The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; On-going training.</p> <p>The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 65; Additional training for direct care staff.</p> <p>The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 14; Staff training.</p> <p>The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 27; Infection prevention and control program.</p>

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,

- (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);

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.

65. (5) 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. (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.

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.

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 inspector reviewed a sample of staff training records and found that 3 staff members had not completed all training upon hire and 4 staff members had not completed annual training. The Licensee failed to ensure that staff were trained as required.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted a plan to achieve compliance by July 1, 2022. RHRA to confirm compliance by following up with the Licensee or by inspection.

3. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 30; Storage of drugs or other substances.

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

- 30.** If drugs or other substances are stored in a retirement home on behalf of a resident, the licensee of the home shall ensure that,
- (a) the drugs or other substances are stored in an area or a medication cart that,
 - (ii) is locked and secure,

Inspection Finding

The inspector observed medication administration and confirmed that drugs or other substances were not stored in a locked and secured medication cart as prescribed.

Outcome

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

4. 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. (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,
- 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 inspector reviewed the Licensee’s records of testing for their emergency plans and found that that the last record of testing for situations involving a missing resident was in 2020. The Licensee failed to ensure

that testing was done annually as required. Furthermore, there was no evidence of arrangements with community agencies to respond to an emergency, nor that emergency supplies are being monitored are prescribed.

Outcome

The Licensee submitted a plan to achieve compliance by June 23, 2022. RHRA to confirm compliance by following up with the Licensee or by inspection.

5. 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. (5)** The licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that,
 - (0.b) all reasonable steps are taken in the retirement home to follow,
 - (i) any directive respecting coronavirus (COVID-19) issued to long-term care homes by the Chief Medical Officer of Health under section 77.7 of the Health Protection and Promotion Act,

Inspection Finding

The inspector reviewed the Licensee’s records of resident daily screening and found that there is no recent record of resident screening. The Licensee failed to ensure that screening was done as directed. Furthermore, during the inspection it was observed that a staff member was not wearing a mask as required.

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 June 20, 2022
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