

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

Inspection Information	
<b>Date of Inspection:</b> July 14, 2022	<b>Name of Inspector:</b> Ingrid Boiago RN
<b>Inspection Type:</b> Routine Inspection	
<b>Licensee:</b> 2693557 Ontario Inc. / 8 Sheldonbury Court, St. Catharines, ON L2N 6G9 (the "Licensee")	
<b>Retirement Home:</b> Redstacks Retirement Home / 303 Niagara Boulevard, Fort Erie, ON L2A 3H1 (the "home")	
<b>Licence Number:</b> S0472	

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><b>1. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 56; Format and retention of records.</b></p> <p>Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):</p> <p><b>56. (3)</b> The licensee shall ensure that each of the records is kept in a readable and useable format that allows a complete copy of the record to be readily produced.</p>
<p><b>Inspection Finding</b></p> <p>During the routine inspection, the home was unable to produce any evidence that a complaints log is kept in the home.</p>
<p><b>Outcome</b></p> <p>The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance</p>
<p><b>2. The Licensee failed to comply with O. Reg. 166/11, s. 22; Risk of falls.</b></p> <p>Specifically, the Licensee failed to comply with the following subsection(s):</p> <p><b>22. (4)</b> Every licensee of a retirement home shall keep a written record of all falls for which the licensee is required to ensure documentation under subsection (2) or (3) and that occur in each year, evaluate the risk of falls in the home at least annually and keep a written record of each evaluation.</p>
<p><b>Inspection Finding</b></p>

The Licensee was unable to produce any written record of all falls or written annual evaluations of falls in the home.

**Outcome**

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance

**3. 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. (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,

**Inspection Finding**

During the routine inspection, a review of the Plans of care for all six residents evidenced that they had not been updated since 2021 nor is there any evidence that the plans of care have been approved by the resident or the resident's substitute decision maker

**Outcome**

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

**4. 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. 29; Administration of drugs or other substances.**

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

**14. (5)** The licensee shall ensure that the persons who are required to receive the training described in subsection 65 (5) of the Act receive that training on an ongoing basis, namely at least annually after receiving the training described in subsection (4).

**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,

(e) if the licensee or a staff member is involved in the administration of the drug or other substance at the home, that the licensee or staff member is trained in,

(i) ways of reducing the incidence of infectious disease, including maintaining proper hand hygiene,

(ii) the safe disposal of syringes and other sharps,

(iii) recognizing an adverse drug reaction and taking appropriate action;

(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;

**Inspection Finding**

During the inspection the Licensee was observed administering medications. When asked for training records in medication administration along with other evidence of staff training records, the Licensee was unable to produce any evidence of training in any of these areas, thereby failing to meet the requirements set out in this section.

**Outcome**

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance

- 5. 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 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.**  
**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):

**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;

**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.

**14. (5)** The licensee shall ensure that the persons who are required to receive the training described in

subsection 65 (5) of the Act receive that training on an ongoing basis, namely at least annually after receiving the training described in subsection (4).

**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 Licensee failed to demonstrate that staff has completed the required training prior to starting work in the home and on an annual basis. The Licensee was unable to produce any written evidence of this

**Outcome**

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance

**6. 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.

**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;
- (b) at least once every two years, conduct a planned evacuation of the retirement home;

**Inspection Finding**

The Licensee failed to meet the requirements set out in this section related to the homes emergency plan there was no evidence of any records to review

**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 <http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database>.

Signature of Inspector  RN	Date  September 27, 2022
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