

FINAL INSPECTION REPORT Under the Retirement Homes Act, 2010

Inspection Information

Date of Inspection: September 13, 2022 | **Name of Inspector:** Cindy Ma

Inspection Type: Mandatory Reporting Inspection

Licensee: Caressant Care Nursing and Retirement Homes Limited / 264 Norwich Avenue, Woodstock, ON

N4S 3V9 (the "Licensee")

Retirement Home: Caressant Care - Lindsay / 240 Mary Street, Lindsay, ON K9V 5K5 (the "home")

Licence Number: T0030

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 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;
 - (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

A report was made to RHRA regarding an incident related to a missing Resident. The inspector interviewed pertinent staff, reviewed resident's care files. The inspector found that while the Resident had previously exhibited behaviours that posed a risk to self and others in the Home the Licensee did not have a behaviour management strategy that included techniques and strategies to prevent and address the behaviours, and strategies for monitoring the Resident. The Licensee failed to comply with the requirements as prescribed by the regulation.

Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm compliance by following up with the Licensee or by inspection.

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2. The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 62; Involvement of resident, etc..

The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA, S.O. 2010, c. 11, s. 62; Persons who approve plans of care.

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

- <u>62. (5)</u> The licensee shall ensure that the resident, the resident's substitute decision-maker, if any, and any other persons designated by the resident or substitute decision-maker are given an opportunity to participate in the development, implementation and reviews of the resident's plan of care.
- **62. (9)** The licensee shall ensure that the following persons have approved the plan of care, including any revisions to it, and that a copy is provided to them:
 - 1. The resident or the resident's substitute decision-maker.

Inspection Finding

The inspector reviewed the Resident's plan of care and found that the plan was not approved appropriately, as there was no evidence that the plan had been approved by the Resident or the Resident's substitute decision maker. In addition, there was no evidence that the Resident or the Resident's substitute decision maker was given an opportunity to participate in the development of the plan. The Licensee failed to ensure the plan was in compliance with the legislation.

Outcome

The Licensee has advised it has taken corrective action to achieve compliance. RHRA to confirm compliance by following up with the Licensee or by inspection.

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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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