

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

Inspection Information				
Date of Inspection: September 25, 2023	Name of Inspector: Angela Butler			
Inspection Type: Responsive Inspection – Mandatory Report				
Licensee: ACC-002444 - 2615412 Ontario Inc.				
Retirement Home: Park Street Place				
License Number: S0447				

#### **About Responsive Inspections**

A responsive inspection, performed by an RHRA inspector, is a physical inspection of a licensed retirement home. A responsive inspection is conducted when RHRA receives information that the licensee may have failed to meet the standards of the *Retirement Homes Act, 2010* or its regulations (the "*RHA*"). An inspection being conducted does not infer that an allegation is substantiated or that a contravention of the RHA has occurred. A licensee is required to report to RHRA if they suspect harm or risk of harm to a resident. During a responsive inspection, an RHRA inspector may observe the operations of the home, interview relevant individuals, review records and other documentation, and determine whether the licensee's management and staff have followed mandatory policies and practices designed to protect the welfare of residents.

Following a responsive inspection, the RHRA inspector prepares a draft inspection report which is sent to the licensee. The draft report may include instances where the licensee has failed to meet the standards of the *RHA*. If included, the licensee can respond to these instances and is strongly encouraged to inform RHRA of its plans to meet the standards of the *RHA*.

Following the draft report, the RHRA inspector prepares this final inspection report, incorporating any response from the licensee with their plans to meet the standards of the *RHA*. The most recent final inspection report must be posted in the home in a visible and easily accessible location. All final inspection reports from the previous two years must also be made available in an easily accessible location in the home. The licensee must provide a copy of this report to the home's Residents' Council, if one exists.

In addition to inspection reports, RHRA may provide information to a licensee to encourage improvements of their current practices.

If there is a serious incident or the licensee repeatedly does not meet the required standards, RHRA may take further action.

#### Concern(s)

During a responsive inspection, an inspector will focus primarily on the concern(s) which prompted the inspection and may take various actions to determine whether the licensee is compliant with the RHA in relating to the concern(s). Any findings of non-

### Concern #1: CON-6687-Improper/Incompetent Care

#### **RHRA Inspector Findings**

A report was made to RHRA regarding the suspected improper care of residents. As part of the inspection in response to the report, the inspector reviewed records relating to the residents and interviewed both the residents and relevant staff members. The inspector confirmed that the Licensee failed to ensure that the care services that the licensee provides to the residents are set out in the plan of care and are provided to the residents in accordance with the plan.

Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

### Concern #2: CON-6688-Neglect

#### **RHRA Inspector Findings**

A report was made to RHRA regarding the alleged neglect of residents by the Licensee of the home. As part of the inspection in response to the allegation, the inspector reviewed the medication administrative records, interviewed relevant staff, and spoke to several residents in the home. There was evidence that residents had not received breakfast at the scheduled or reasonable time. The inspector found that the Licensee had failed to ensure that medications were administered to all residents in the home at the appropriate scheduled medication times. Also, two residents who are diabetic and require insulin and diabetic oral medication did not eat as their blood glucose levels could not be taken. Another resident did not receive migraine medication resulting in the

resident having a migraine. As a result, the Licensee's inactions jeopardized the health and safety of the residents, and the Licensee failed to protect the residents from neglect.

### Outcome

The Licensee must take corrective action to achieve compliance.

# **Additional Findings**

During a responsive inspection, an inspector may observe areas of non-compliance that are not related to the concern(s) which prompted the inspection. In these cases, an inspector may cite the home for these contraventions at the time of this inspection. In addition, an inspector may follow-up on findings of non-compliance from previous inspections. Where the licensee is unable to demonstrate they have come into compliance or maintained compliance, an inspector may cite the home for these repeat contraventions at the time of this inspection.

**Not Applicable** 

# **Current Inspection – Citations**

Citations relating to the above Concerns or Additional Findings made during the current inspection are listed below.

The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 62. (10); Compliance with plan

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62. (10) The licensee shall ensure that the care services that the licensee provides to the resident are set out in the plan of care and are provided to the resident in accordance with the plan and the prescribed requirements, if any.

### The Licensee failed to comply with the RHA s. 67. (2); Same, neglect

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67. (2) Every licensee of a retirement home shall ensure that the licensee and the staff of the home do not neglect the residents.

### **Closed Citations**

During an inspection, an inspector may follow-up with areas of non-compliance cited during a previous inspection, or verify compliance with areas initially cited during the current inspection. The inspector has verified that at the time of this report, the licensee was able to demonstrate that the following areas have come into compliance.

# Not Applicable

# NOTICE

The Final Inspection Report is being provided to the Licensee, the Registrar of 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 <u>http://www.rhra.ca/en/retirement-home-database</u>.

Signature of Inspector	'Angela	Suder	RN	Date October 23, 2023