



**Ministry of Long-Term  
Care**

**Ministère des Soins de longue  
durée**

**Inspection Report under  
the Long-Term Care  
Homes Act, 2007**

**Rapport d'inspection en vertu de  
la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de  
soins de longue durée**

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<b>Report Date(s) / Date(s) du Rapport</b>	<b>Inspection No / No de l'inspection</b>	<b>Log # / No de registre</b>	<b>Type of Inspection / Genre d'inspection</b>
Oct 27, 2021	2021_772691_0018	011624-21, 014073-21	Critical Incident System

### **Licensee/Titulaire de permis**

Board of Management for the District of Nipissing West  
100 Michaud Street Sturgeon Falls ON P2B 2Z4

### **Long-Term Care Home/Foyer de soins de longue durée**

Au Chateau  
100 Michaud Street Sturgeon Falls ON P2B 2Z4

### **Name of Inspector(s)/Nom de l'inspecteur ou des inspecteurs**

JENNIFER NICHOLLS (691)

### **Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'inspection**

**The purpose of this inspection was to conduct a Critical Incident System inspection.**

**This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): October 18-22nd, 2021.**

**-Two logs submitted to the Director related to allegations of resident to resident abuse.**

**During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Administrator, Director of Care (DOC), Infection Prevention and Control (IPAC) Lead, Registered Nurses (RNs), Registered Practical Nurses (RPNs), Personal Support Workers (PSWs), Housekeepers, Screeners, and residents.**

**The Inspector(s) also conducted a daily tour of resident care areas, observed the provision of care and services to residents, observed staff to resident and resident to resident interactions, observed infection control practices, reviewed relevant health care records, internal investigation notes, as well as licensee policies, procedures and programs.**

**The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:**

**Infection Prevention and Control**

**Prevention of Abuse, Neglect and Retaliation**

**Responsive Behaviours**

**During the course of this inspection, Non-Compliances were issued.**

**1 WN(s)**

**0 VPC(s)**

**0 CO(s)**

**0 DR(s)**

**0 WAO(s)**

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**NON-COMPLIANCE / NON - RESPECT DES EXIGENCES**
**Legend**

WN – Written Notification  
 VPC – Voluntary Plan of Correction  
 DR – Director Referral  
 CO – Compliance Order  
 WAO – Work and Activity Order

**Légende**

WN – Avis écrit  
 VPC – Plan de redressement volontaire  
 DR – Aiguillage au directeur  
 CO – Ordre de conformité  
 WAO – Ordres : travaux et activités

Non-compliance with requirements under the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007 (LTCHA) was found. (a requirement under the LTCHA includes the requirements contained in the items listed in the definition of "requirement under this Act" in subsection 2(1) of the LTCHA).

The following constitutes written notification of non-compliance under paragraph 1 of section 152 of the LTCHA.

Le non-respect des exigences de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée (LFSLD) a été constaté. (une exigence de la loi comprend les exigences qui font partie des éléments énumérés dans la définition de « exigence prévue par la présente loi », au paragraphe 2(1) de la LFSLD.

Ce qui suit constitue un avis écrit de non-respect aux termes du paragraphe 1 de l'article 152 de la LFSLD.

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**WN #1: The Licensee has failed to comply with LTCHA, 2007 S.O. 2007, c.8, s. 24.  
Reporting certain matters to Director****Specifically failed to comply with the following:**

**s. 24. (1) A person who has reasonable grounds to suspect that any of the following has occurred or may occur shall immediately report the suspicion and the information upon which it is based to the Director:**

- 1. Improper or incompetent treatment or care of a resident that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to the resident. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).**
- 2. Abuse of a resident by anyone or neglect of a resident by the licensee or staff that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to the resident. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).**
- 3. Unlawful conduct that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to a resident. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).**
- 4. Misuse or misappropriation of a resident's money. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).**
- 5. Misuse or misappropriation of funding provided to a licensee under this Act or the Local Health System Integration Act, 2006. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).**

**Findings/Faits saillants :**

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that the person who had reasonable grounds to suspect that abuse of a resident by anyone or neglect of a resident by the licensee or staff that resulted in harm or risk of harm had occurred or may occur, immediately reported the suspicion and the information upon which it was based to the Director.

A Critical Incident (CIS) report was submitted to the Director, for an allegation of resident to resident abuse that occurred three days prior.

The Administrator verified that the critical incident was reported late, and should have been reported immediately.

Source: The resident's progress notes; CIS report; the home's Zero Tolerance of Abuse and Neglect (P.P.P.02-061) policy; internal investigation documents; interview with the Administrator and other staff. [s. 24. (1)]

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**Signature of Inspector(s)/Signature de l'inspecteur ou des inspecteurs**

**Original report signed by the inspector.**