



Ministry of Health and  
Long-Term Care

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

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Rapport d'inspection sous la  
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Jun 10, 2013	2013_170203_0022	L-000265-13	Complaint

#### Licensee/Titulaire de permis

REVERA LONG TERM CARE INC.  
55 STANDISH COURT, 8TH FLOOR, MISSISSAUGA, ON, L5R-4B2

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

FOREST HEIGHTS  
60 WESTHEIGHTS DRIVE, KITCHENER, ON, N2N-2A8

Name of Inspector(s)/Nom de l'inspecteur ou des inspecteurs  
CARMEN PRIESTER (203)

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

The purpose of this inspection was to conduct a Complaint inspection.

This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): May 14, 2013

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Executive Director, the Director of Care, three Registered staff, four Personal Support Workers, two family members, and five residents.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) reviewed clinical records, toured resident care areas, observed resident care, reviewed documentation of care and policies and procedures related to this inspection.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:  
Infection Prevention and Control



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## Personal Support Services

**Findings of Non-Compliance were found during this inspection.**

### NON-COMPLIANCE / NON - RESPECT DES EXIGENCES

Legend	Legendé
WN – Written Notification VPC – Voluntary Plan of Correction DR – Director Referral CO – Compliance Order WAO – Work and Activity Order	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.)	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.)
The following constitutes written notification of non-compliance under paragraph 1 of section 152 of the LTCHA.	Ce qui suit constitue un avis écrit de non-respect aux termes du paragraphe 1 de l'article 152 de la LFSLD.

**WN #1: The Licensee has failed to comply with O.Reg 79/10, s. 229. Infection prevention and control program**

**Specifically failed to comply with the following:**

**s. 229. (4) The licensee shall ensure that all staff participate in the implementation of the program. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 229 (4).**

**Findings/Faits saillants :**



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1. The licensee did not ensure that all staff participate in the implementation of the infection control program as evidenced by:

- 1) In an identified bathroom: There was toilet paper scattered all over the floor. An unlabeled mug on the bathroom counter was soiled with an unidentified substance.
- 2) In seven identified shared bathrooms there were unlabeled toothbrushes, hairbrushes and denture cups.
- 3) In five other identified shared bathrooms there were urine collection hats left on the back of toilets, unclean and unlabeled.
- 4) The management of soiled linen and incontinence products was not in keeping with best practices for infection control.
- 5) Hairbrushes and combs were not clean.

The above observations were confirmed by the Director of Care.

There are lingering odors in hallways and many resident rooms and bathrooms. [s. 229. (4)]

***Additional Required Actions:***

***VPC - pursuant to the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007, S.O. 2007, c.8, s.152(2)  
the licensee is hereby requested to prepare a written plan of correction for  
achieving compliance to ensure that all staff participate in the implementation  
of the infection control program, to be implemented voluntarily.***

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Issued on this 10th day of June, 2013

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

*CARMEN PRIESTER*