



**Ministry of Health and  
Long-Term Care**

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

**Ministère de la Santé et des  
Soins de longue durée**

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

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| Dec 19, 2013                                   | 2013_205129_0011                              | H-000091-<br>13                | Critical Incident<br>System                        |

**Licensee/Titulaire de permis**

**DIVERSICARE CANADA MANAGEMENT SERVICES CO., INC  
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**Long-Term Care Home/Foyer de soins de longue durée**

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

**PHYLLIS HILTZ-BONTJE (129)**

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



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

This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): August 16 and 19, 2013

This critical incident inspection was conducted concurrently with three complaint inspections. (Inspection #2013\_205129\_0010). Non-compliance related to this critical incident inspection has been issued on the complaint inspection report and includes: **SEE COMPLAINT REPORT FOR COMPLETE DETAILS**  
LTCHA 6(10)b - the resident was not reassessed and the plan of care was not reviewed and revised when the care needs of the resident changed - issued as a Compliance Order  
Regulation 79/10 26(3)5 - the plan of care was not based on an interdisciplinary assessment of behaviours - issued as a Compliance Order  
Regulation 79/10 26(3)10 - the plan of care was not based on an interdisciplinary assessment of falls, risk of injury from bleeding, pain and seizures  
Regulation 79/10 229(1)1- residents must be screened for tuberculosis within 14 days of admission.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with regulated and unregulated nursing staff, the Assistant Director of Care and the Administrator, in relation to Log # H-000091-13.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) reviewed clinical records and reviewed the home's policy Tuberculosis Screening

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:  
Falls Prevention

Findings of Non-Compliance were found during this inspection.



## 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

### Legendé

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.

**WN #1: The Licensee has failed to comply with O.Reg 79/10, s. 107. Reports re critical incidents**

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

**s. 107. (1) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that the Director is immediately informed, in as much detail as is possible in the circumstances, of each of the following incidents in the home, followed by the report required under subsection (4):**

**2. An unexpected or sudden death, including a death resulting from an accident or suicide. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 107 (1).**

**Findings/Faits saillants :**



1. The licensee did not ensure that the Director was immediately notified of an unexpected sudden death that was the result of an accident in the home, in relation to the following: [107(1) 2]

Staff in the home did not immediately notify the Director of the sudden death of resident #003 subsequent to a incident in the home. Staff #101 confirmed that resident #003 was admitted on an identified date in 2012 and the disease processes affecting this resident as well as the resident's condition did not lead staff to expect the resident's eminent death. Staff and clinical documentation confirmed that on an identified date in 2013 an incident occurred in the home which resulted in significant injuries for which the resident was transferred to the hospital for assessment and treatment. Staff and clinical documentation also confirmed that staff from the hospital contacted the home and informed the home latter the same day and indicated the resident died. The home did not notify the Director of this sudden unexpected death until the following day. [s. 107. (1) 2.]

***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 and ensuring that the Director is immediately notified of an unexpected or sudden death resulting from an accident, to be implemented voluntarily.***

Issued on this 19th day of December, 2013

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

P. Hiltz-Bontje