

Ministry of Long-Term Care  
Long-Term Care Operations Division  
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch

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## Original Public Report

Report Issue Date: March 13, 2024	
Inspection Number: 2024-1267-0001	
Inspection Type: Complaint Critical Incident	
Licensee: Heritage Green Nursing Home	
Long Term Care Home and City: Heritage Green Nursing Home, Stoney Creek	
Lead Inspector Erin Denton-O'Neill (740861)	Inspector Digital Signature
Additional Inspector(s) none	

## INSPECTION SUMMARY

The inspection occurred onsite on the following date(s): February 6 - 9, 12 - 13, and 15, 2024.

The following intake(s) were inspected:

- Intake: #00102856 - Critical incident (CI) #2776-000045-23 - was related to fall prevention.
- Intake: #00106429 - was a complaint related to prevention of abuse and neglect.
- Intake: #00106503 - CI #2776-000002-24 - was related to prevention of abuse and neglect.

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The following intakes were completed in this inspection:

- Intake: #00106464 - CI #2 776-000001-24 – was related to prevention of abuse and neglect.
- Intake: #00106734 - CI # 2776-000003-24 - was related to prevention of abuse and neglect.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:

Medication Management  
Infection Prevention and Control  
Prevention of Abuse and Neglect  
Falls Prevention and Management

## INSPECTION RESULTS

### WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Administration of Drugs

NC #001 Written Notification pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (1) 1.

Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 140 (2)

Administration of drugs

s. 140 (2) The licensee shall ensure that drugs are administered to residents in accordance with the directions for use specified by the prescriber. O. Reg. 246/22, s. 140 (2).

The licensee has failed to ensure that a drug was administered to a resident in

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accordance with the directions for use specified by the prescriber.

**Rationale:**

The resident was prescribed an analgesic at 0800 hours and 1700 hours as well as an order for the medication as needed (PRN) for pain. The resident received a PRN dose of the analgesic and then requested it again, approximately six hours later. The nurse refused to give the resident the PRN dose at that time. This was confirmed by a staff and the Director of Care (DOC).

Sources: Interview with staff and DOC, resident clinical record, internal investigation notes, medication incident report [740861]