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Long-Term Care Inspections Branch

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## Public Report

**Report Issue Date:** April 8, 2026

**Inspection Number:** 2026-1597-0004

**Inspection Type:**  
Proactive Compliance Inspection

**Licensee:** Corporation of the County of Huron

**Long Term Care Home and City:** Huronlea Home for the Aged, Brussels

## INSPECTION SUMMARY

The inspection occurred onsite on the following date(s): March 27, 30, 31 and April 1, 2, 7 and 8, 2026.

The following intake(s) were inspected:

- Intake: #00173977, Proactive Compliance Inspection

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

Skin and Wound Prevention and Management  
Pain Management

## INSPECTION RESULTS

### WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Skin And Wound Care

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

**Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 55 (2) (e)**

Skin and wound care

s. 55 (2) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that,

(e) a resident exhibiting a skin condition that is likely to require or respond to nutrition intervention, such as pressure injuries, foot ulcers, surgical wounds, burns or a worsening skin condition, is assessed by a registered dietitian who is a member of the staff of the home, and that any changes the registered dietitian recommends to the

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resident's plan of care relating to nutrition and hydration are implemented. O. Reg. 246/22, s. 55 (2); O. Reg. 66/23, s. 12.

Redness was found on a resident and continued to develop into a wound. No referral was sent to the Dietician.

**Sources:** A resident's clinical records and interviews with an RN, the Dietician and the Skin and Wound Lead.

### **WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Pain Management**

NC #002 Written Notification pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (1) 1.

**Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 57 (1) 4.**

Pain management

s. 57 (1) The pain management program must, at a minimum, provide for the following:

4. Monitoring of residents' responses to, and the effectiveness of, the pain management strategies.

A resident was prescribed pain medications. The responses to, and the effectiveness of the pain medication management was not completed for a period of approximately seven weeks for the resident.

**Sources:** A resident's clinical records and interviews with an RN and the Skin and Wound Lead.

### **WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Pain Management**

NC #003 Written Notification pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (1) 1.

**Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 57 (2)**

Pain management

s. 57 (2) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that when a resident's pain is not relieved by initial interventions, the resident is assessed using a clinically appropriate assessment instrument specifically designed for this purpose.

A resident's new pain was not relieved by initial interventions. The Skin and Wound Lead directed the registered staff to completed a daily comprehensive pain assessment specifically designed for pain and it was not completed.



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