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ROBIN MACKIE (511) - (A2)

Amended Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'inspection modifié

Home requested extension to compliance date and granted by HSAO manager

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

Original report signed by the inspector.



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The purpose of this inspection was to conduct a Follow up inspection.

This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): November 16, 2016.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Administrator, Registered Practical Nurse, Manager of Finance, Administrative Assistant for Finance.

The Inspector reviewed applicable staffing records, schedules and other related documents.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:

Sufficient Staffing

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

**1 WN(s)
0 VPC(s)
1 CO(s)
1 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

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 LTCHA, 2007, s. 8. Nursing and personal support services

Specifically failed to comply with the following:

s. 8. (3) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that at least one registered nurse who is both an employee of the licensee and a member of the regular nursing staff of the home is on duty and present in the home at all times, except as provided for in the regulations. 2007, c. 8, s. 8 (3).

Findings/Faits saillants :

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that at least one Registered Nurse (RN) who was both an employee of the licensee and a member of the regular nursing staff of



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the home was on duty and present in the home at all times, except as provided for in the regulations.

A Compliance Order, issued on June 2, 2016, indicated that in April of 2016, the home had at least 66 shifts out of 90 (73%) that an RN was not on duty or present in the home.

A review of the October 7, 2016, through October 31, 2016, staffing schedule indicated that the home had at least 51 shifts out of 75 (68%) that an RN was not on duty or present in the home.

A review of the November 1, 2016, through November 16, 2016, staffing schedule indicated that the home had at least 33 shifts out of 48 (69%) that an RN was not on duty or present in the home.

There were 10 incidents where there was no RN for a 24 hour period of time and within these 10 there were four incidents where there was no RN greater than 48 hours.

The following is a breakdown of the total percent (%) of RN shifts not filled by Shift description:

Day shift; 0 shifts out of 41 (100%) that an RN was not on duty or present in the home.

Evening shift; 14 shifts out of 41 (34%) that an RN was not on duty or present in the home.

Night shifts; 28 shifts out of 41 (68%) that an RN was not on duty or present in the home

Interview with the staff #101, responsible for the staff schedule, confirmed the home did not have an RN for these regular scheduled shifts and where possible the shifts were replaced by an RPN. Staff #101 stated the home's recruitment efforts consisted of a local newspaper advertisement, for RN/RPNs, in January 2015 and July of 2015. The home also indicated they placed a road sign advertisement for RN/RPNs, in front of their facility, in January 2016, April 2016, July 2016 and October 2016. Each road sign advertisement ran for a two week time frame each month. Staff #101 stated the home received three RN applications since January 2016, which were telephone screened by the Director of Care, resulting in no interviews. Staff #101 confirmed there were no changes to the home's recruitment strategy since January 2016, when the road sign advertisement



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was unsuccessful. The Administrator confirmed the home has been unsuccessful in recruiting Registered Nurses and remained in non compliance with ensuring that at least one registered nurse, who was both an employee of the licensee and a member of the regular nursing staff of the home, was on duty and present in the home at all times, except as provided for in the regulations. [s. 8. (3)]

Additional Required Actions:

CO # - 001 will be served on the licensee. Refer to the “Order(s) of the Inspector”.

(A2)The following order(s) have been amended:CO# 001

DR # 001 – The above written notification is also being referred to the Director for further action by the Director.



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Nom de l'inspecteur (No) : ROBIN MACKIE (511) - (A2)

Inspection No. /

No de l'inspection : 2016_542511_0015 (A2)

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Appel/Dir#:

Log No. /

Registre no. : 018633-16 (A2)

Type of Inspection /

Genre d'inspection: Follow up

Report Date(s) /

Date(s) du Rapport : Feb 23, 2017;(A2)

Licensee /

Titulaire de permis : NIAGARA INA GRAFTON GAGE HOME OF THE UNITED CHURCH
413 Linwell Road, St. Catharines, ON, L2M-7Y2

LTC Home /

Foyer de SLD : INA GRAFTON-GAGE HOME
413 Linwell Road, St Catharines, ON, L2M-7Y2

Name of Administrator /

Nom de l'administratrice ou de l'administrateur :

Patrick O'Neill



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To NIAGARA INA GRAFTON GAGE HOME OF THE UNITED CHURCH, you are hereby required to comply with the following order(s) by the date(s) set out below:

Order # /

Ordre no : 001

Order Type /

Genre d'ordre : Compliance Orders, s. 153. (1) (a)

Linked to Existing Order /

Lien vers ordre existant:

2016_248214_0009, CO #001;

Pursuant to / Aux termes de :

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Order / Ordre :

The licensee shall ensure that at least one registered nurse who is both an employee of the licensee and a member of the regular nursing staff of the home is on duty and present in the home at all times, except as provided for in the regulations

Grounds / Motifs :

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that at least one Registered Nurse (RN) who was both an employee of the licensee and a member of the regular nursing staff of the home was on duty and present in the home at all times, except as provided for in the regulations.

This Order is made based upon the application of the factors of severity (2), scope (2) and compliance history (4), in keeping with r. 229 of the Regulations. This is in respect of the potential for harm to all resident's, the scope of pattern and the Licensee's history of ongoing non-compliance (CO) on June 2, 2016, July 20, 2014, and November 23, 2015.

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**This order must be complied with by /
Vous devez vous conformer à cet ordre d'ici le :**

Apr 18, 2017(A2)



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REVIEW/APPEAL INFORMATION

TAKE NOTICE:

The Licensee has the right to request a review by the Director of this (these) Order(s) and to request that the Director stay this (these) Order(s) in accordance with section 163 of the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007.

The request for review by the Director must be made in writing and be served on the Director within 28 days from the day the order was served on the Licensee.

The written request for review must include,

- (a) the portions of the order in respect of which the review is requested;
- (b) any submissions that the Licensee wishes the Director to consider; and
- (c) an address for services for the Licensee.

The written request for review must be served personally, by registered mail or by fax upon:

Director
c/o Appeals Coordinator
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care
1075 Bay Street, 11th Floor
Toronto, ON M5S 2B1
Fax: 416-327-7603

When service is made by registered mail, it is deemed to be made on the fifth day after the day of mailing and when service is made by fax, it is deemed to be made on the first business day after the day the fax is sent. If the Licensee is not served with written notice of the Director's decision within 28 days of receipt of the Licensee's request for review, this(these) Order(s) is(are) deemed to be confirmed by the Director and the Licensee is deemed to have been served with a copy of that decision on the expiry of the 28 day period.

The Licensee has the right to appeal the Director's decision on a request for review of an Inspector's Order(s) to the Health Services Appeal and Review Board (HSARB) in accordance with section 164 of the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007. The HSARB is an independent tribunal not connected with the Ministry. They are established by legislation to review matters concerning health care services. If the Licensee decides to request a hearing, the Licensee must, within 28 days of being served with the notice of the Director's decision, give a written notice of appeal to both:

Health Services Appeal and Review Board and the Director



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Attention Registrar
151 Bloor Street West
9th Floor
Toronto, ON M5S 2T5

Director
c/o Appeals Coordinator
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
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1075 Bay Street, 11th Floor
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Fax: 416-327-7603

Upon receipt, the HSARB will acknowledge your notice of appeal and will provide instructions regarding the appeal process. The Licensee may learn more about the HSARB on the website www.hsarb.on.ca.

RENSEIGNEMENTS SUR LE RÉEXAMEN/L'APPEL

PRENDRE AVIS

En vertu de l'article 163 de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée, le titulaire de permis peut demander au directeur de réexaminer l'ordre ou les ordres qu'il a donné et d'en suspendre l'exécution.

La demande de réexamen doit être présentée par écrit et est signifiée au directeur dans les 28 jours qui suivent la signification de l'ordre au titulaire de permis.

La demande de réexamen doit contenir ce qui suit :

- a) les parties de l'ordre qui font l'objet de la demande de réexamen;
- b) les observations que le titulaire de permis souhaite que le directeur examine;
- c) l'adresse du titulaire de permis aux fins de signification.

La demande écrite est signifiée en personne ou envoyée par courrier recommandé ou par télécopieur au:

Directeur
a/s Coordinateur des appels
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Ministère de la Santé et des Soins de longue durée
1075, rue Bay, 11e étage
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Les demandes envoyées par courrier recommandé sont réputées avoir été signifiées le cinquième jour suivant l'envoi et, en cas de transmission par télécopieur, la signification est réputée faite le jour ouvrable suivant l'envoi. Si le titulaire de permis ne reçoit pas d'avis écrit de la décision du directeur dans les 28 jours suivant la signification de la demande de réexamen, l'ordre ou les ordres sont réputés confirmés par le directeur. Dans ce cas, le titulaire de permis est réputé avoir reçu une copie de la décision avant l'expiration du délai de 28 jours.

En vertu de l'article 164 de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée, le titulaire de permis a le droit d'interjeter appel, auprès de la Commission d'appel et de révision des services de santé, de la décision rendue par le directeur au sujet d'une demande de réexamen d'un ordre ou d'ordres donnés par un inspecteur. La Commission est un tribunal indépendant du ministère. Il a été établi en vertu de la loi et il a pour mandat de trancher des litiges concernant les services de santé. Le titulaire de permis qui décide de demander une audience doit, dans les 28 jours qui suivent celui où lui a été signifié l'avis de décision du directeur, faire parvenir un avis d'appel écrit aux deux endroits suivants :

À l'attention du registraire
Commission d'appel et de révision
des services de santé
151, rue Bloor Ouest, 9e étage
Toronto (Ontario) M5S 2T5

Directeur
a/s Coordinateur des appels
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La Commission accusera réception des avis d'appel et transmettra des instructions sur la façon de procéder pour interjeter appel. Les titulaires de permis peuvent se renseigner sur la Commission d'appel et de révision des services de santé en consultant son site Web, au www.hsb.on.ca.

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