

Inspection Report Under the Fixing Long-Term Care Act, 2021

Ministry of Long-Term Care

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

Toronto District

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Public Report

Report Issue Date: July 17, 2025

Inspection Number: 2025-1494-0003

Inspection Type:Critical Incident

Licensee: Ukrainian Home for the Aged

Long Term Care Home and City: Ivan Franko Home (Etobicoke), Toronto

INSPECTION SUMMARY

The inspection occurred onsite on the following date(s): July 16 and 17, 2025

The following intake(s) were inspected:

Intake: #00147715 / Critical Incident System (CIS) #C530-000007-25 related to a

disease outbreak.

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

Infection Prevention and Control

INSPECTION RESULTS

WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Infection Prevention and Control Program

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

Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 102 (2) (b)

Infection prevention and control program

s. 102 (2) The licensee shall implement,

(b) any standard or protocol issued by the Director with respect to infection prevention and control. O. Reg. 246/22, s. 102 (2).

The licensee has failed to ensure the implementation of a standard issued by the



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Director with respect to infection prevention and control (IPAC).

Specifically, the home has failed to ensure staff were properly using personal protective equipment (PPE), including appropriate selection, application, removal and disposal, in accordance with the "IPAC Standard for Long Term Care Homes September 2023" (IPAC Standard), as required Additional Precautions requirements 9.1 (f).

A student was observed donning PPE on an outbreak resident home area (RHA). The student put on their gown and removed their N95 mask to put on a surgical face mask. The student did not perform hand hygiene after removing the mask and before reapplying their N95 mask on top of their surgical mask. The student then put on a pair of gloves. The IPAC Lead acknowledged that staff and students should not be wearing double masks and that hand hygiene should be performed after removing their mask.

Sources: Observation of the RHA, the home's policy titled Personal Protective Equipment, IPAC Standard for Long-Term Care Homes (rev. Sept. 2023), and interview with the IPAC Lead.



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