

Ministère des Soins de longue durée

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

Rapport d'inspection en vertu de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée

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

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Report Date(s) / Date(s) du Rapport No de l'inspection

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Inspection No /

2021 800532 0005

Loa #/ No de registre 023623-20, 025552-

20, 000186-21, 001754-21

Type of Inspection / **Genre d'inspection** 

Critical Incident System

### Licensee/Titulaire de permis

2063415 Ontario Limited as General Partner of 2063415 Investment LP 302 Town Centre Blvd. Suite 300 Markham ON L3R 0E8

## Long-Term Care Home/Foyer de soins de longue durée

Maple Grove Care Community 215 Sunny Meadow Boulevard Brampton ON L6R 3B5

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

**NUZHAT UDDIN (532)** 

## 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): February 11-12, 19, 22-26, 2021.

The following intakes were completed during this inspection:

Log # 001754-21, related to COVID-19 outbreak.

Log # 000186-21, related to abuse.

Log # 025552-20, related to maintenance services.

Log # 023623-20, related to neglect.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Executive Director (ED), Director of Nursing Care (DNC), Assistant Director(s) of Nursing Care (ADNC), Environmental Service Manager, Physician, Occupational Therapist, Physiotherapist, Activity and Program staff, Registered Nurses, (RNs), Registered Practical Nurses (RPNs), Maintenance staff, Personal Support, Workers (PSWs), Housekeeper and residents.

The inspectors also toured resident home areas, observed resident care provision, dining and resident to staff interaction; and reviewed relevant residents' clinical records.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection: Infection Prevention and Control Prevention of Abuse, Neglect and Retaliation Safe and Secure Home Skin and Wound Care

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

2 WN(s)

1 VPC(s)

0 CO(s)

0 DR(s)

0 WAO(s)



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NON-COMPLIANCE / NON - RESPECT DES EXIGENCES	
Legend	Légende
WN – Written Notification VPC – Voluntary Plan of Correction DR – Director Referral CO – Compliance Order WAO – Work and Activity Order	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).	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.
The following constitutes written notification of non-compliance under paragraph 1 of section 152 of the LTCHA.	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. 90. Maintenance services

Specifically failed to comply with the following:

- s. 90. (2) The licensee shall ensure that procedures are developed and implemented to ensure that,
- (a) electrical and non-electrical equipment, including mechanical lifts, are kept in good repair, and maintained and cleaned at a level that meets manufacturer specifications, at a minimum; O. Reg. 79/10, s. 90 (2).



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### Findings/Faits saillants:

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that procedures were developed and implemented to ensure that electrical and non-electrical equipment, including mechanical lifts, were kept in good repair, and maintained and cleaned at a level that met manufacturer specifications, at a minimum.

A fire started in a resident room related to the electrical equipment. The residents on the affected unit were evacuated from their rooms outside of the fire zone. There were no injuries sustained.

The home's policy titled "Resident Personal Belongings – Electrical Equipment/Appliances, stated that all electrical equipment and appliances that were on site owned by residents and in use at the home were to be inspected, checked, and tested for design security, integrity and safe operation when brought into the building and before being used by the resident; and confirmed as Canadian Standard Association (CSA) approved. The Environmental Service Manager or designee for managing maintenance services for the home was responsible for recording and maintaining an inventory of all resident appliances and resident equipment brought into the home, including ownership, design, manufacturer (if known), serial number if applicable and the date that each item was checked; and was to ensure that a recheck of these items were to take place every six months.

There were no records to demonstrate that the electrical equipment had been checked and maintained as required. The residents were at potential risk of harm because the electrical equipment triggered a fire in the home.

Sources CIS, Maintenance Service policies, equipment inspection records. [s. 90. (2) (a)]



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#### 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 to ensure that procedures are developed and implemented to ensure that electrical and non-electrical equipment, including mechanical lifts, are kept in good repair, and maintained and cleaned at a level that meets manufacturer specifications, at a minimum, to be implemented voluntarily.

WN #2: The Licensee has failed to comply with LTCHA, 2007 S.O. 2007, c.8, s. 24. Reporting certain matters to Director

Specifically failed to comply with the following:

- s. 24. (1) A person who has reasonable grounds to suspect that any of the following has occurred or may occur shall immediately report the suspicion and the information upon which it is based to the Director:
- 1. Improper or incompetent treatment or care of a resident that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to the resident. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).
- 2. Abuse of a resident by anyone or neglect of a resident by the licensee or staff that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to the resident. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).
- 3. Unlawful conduct that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to a resident. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).
- 4. Misuse or misappropriation of a resident's money. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).
- 5. Misuse or misappropriation of funding provided to a licensee under this Act or the Local Health System Integration Act, 2006. 2007, c. 8, s. 24 (1), 195 (2).

## Findings/Faits saillants:



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1. The licensee has failed to comply with s. 24 (1) 2. in that a person who had reasonable grounds to suspect abuse of a resident failed to report the alleged abuse immediately to the Director in accordance with s. 24 (1) 2 of the LTCHA. Pursuant to s. 152 (2) the licensee is vicariously liable for staff members failing to comply with subsection 24 (1).

An allegation of abuse was reported by a resident to the staff of the home.

The staff member reported the incident of alleged abuse to the DOC the next day. There was potential risk of harm to the resident by not reporting immediately.

Sources: CIS #2911-000001-21, RN #104, DOC. [s. 24. (1)]

Issued on this 5th day of March, 2021

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

Original report signed by the inspector.