

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	Inspection No / No de l'inspection	Log # / No de registre	Type of Inspection / Genre d'inspection
Oct 8, 2021	2021_833763_0018	018127-20, 019542- 20, 025959-20	Critical Incident System

Licensee/Titulaire de permis

North York General Hospital
4001 Leslie Street North York ON M2K 1E1

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

Seniors' Health Centre
2 Buchan Court North York ON M2J 5A3

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

IANA MOLOGUINA (763)

Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'inspection

The purpose of this inspection was to conduct a Critical Incident System inspection.

This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): August 24-27, 30-31, September 1, 3, and 7-10, 2021.

The following intakes were completed during this Critical Incident System (CIS) Inspection:

- Log #018127-20, CIS #2744-000030-20 was related to a hypoglycemia incident,**
- Log #025959-20, CIS #2744-000041-20 was related to alleged abuse, and**
- Log #019542-20, CIS #2744-000033-20 was related to alleged improper care.**

Inspector Wing-Yee Sun (Inspector #691930) attended this inspection during orientation.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Administrator, Director of Care (DOC), Assistant Directors of Care (ADOC), Registered Dietitian (RD), Environmental Supervisor (ES), Food Service Manager (FSM), Registered Nurses (RN), Registered Practical Nurses (RPN), Personal Support Workers (PSW), environmental staff, activation staff, residents and resident families.

During the course of this inspection, the inspector reviewed residents' clinical records and conducted observations, including staff-resident interactions, meal observations and resident care provision.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:
Hospitalization and Change in Condition
Personal Support Services
Prevention of Abuse, Neglect and Retaliation

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

- 1 WN(s)**
- 0 VPC(s)**
- 1 CO(s)**
- 0 DR(s)**
- 0 WAO(s)**

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	Légende 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.O. 2007, c.8, s. 19. Duty to protect

Specifically failed to comply with the following:

s. 19. (1) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall protect residents from abuse by anyone and shall ensure that residents are not neglected by the licensee or staff. 2007, c. 8, s. 19 (1).

Findings/Faits saillants :

1. The licensee has failed to ensure resident #003 was protected from abuse by resident #002.

Section 2 (1) of the Ontario Regulation 79/10 defines sexual abuse as "any non-consensual touching, behaviour or remarks of a sexual nature or sexual exploitation directed towards a resident by a person other than a licensee or staff member".

The Ministry of Long-Term Care (MLTC) received a Critical Incident System (CIS) report that detailed an incident where resident #002 acted inappropriately toward resident #003.

Record review indicated that both residents were unable to consent to a sexual act. The inspector tried to interview the residents but they were unable to respond appropriately due to cognitive impairment. Two previous incidents were noted between these residents and were reported to the MLTC.

The home conducted several internal and external behavioural assessments of resident #002's behaviours and trialed several interventions, including ensuring resident #002 and #003 were monitored and redirected away from each other.

Staff interviews indicated that both residents were unable to consent to a sexual act and that they failed to redirect resident #002 from resident #003 when the incident occurred.

Sources: resident clinical records (PointClickCare profile, progress notes, care plan, assessments), resident observations and interviews, CIS reports, staff interviews (RPN #121 and ADOC #125). [s. 19. (1)]

Additional Required Actions:

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

Issued on this 15th day of October, 2021

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

Original report signed by the inspector.

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4001 Leslie Street, North York, ON, M2K-1E1

LTC Home /

Foyer de SLD : Seniors' Health Centre
2 Buchan Court, North York, ON, M2J-5A3

Name of Administrator /

Nom de l'administratrice

ou de l'administrateur : Kathy Metcalfe

To North York General Hospital, you are hereby required to comply with the following
order(s) by the date(s) set out below:

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Ordre(s) de l'inspecteur

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section 154 of the *Long-Term
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Order # /

No d'ordre : 001

Order Type /

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

Pursuant to / Aux termes de :

LTCHA, 2007 S.O. 2007, c.8, s. 19. (1) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall protect residents from abuse by anyone and shall ensure that residents are not neglected by the licensee or staff. 2007, c. 8, s. 19 (1).

Order / Ordre :

The licensee must be compliant with s. 19 (1) of the LTCHA.

Specifically the licensee must:

- 1) ensure that resident #002 is protected from abuse by resident #003 and any other resident;
- 2) review resident #002 and #003's plans of care with the interdisciplinary team to determine strategies that will help prevent any further incidents of abuse; document the meeting, staff involved and any action or follow up that is required; and
- 3) ensure resident #002 and #003's plans of care are revised, and interventions implemented in regards to abuse prevention and responsive behaviours.

Grounds / Motifs :

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An order was made by taking the following factors into account.

Severity: There was actual risk associated with this non-compliance as resident #002 experienced several incidents of escalated sexual behaviours with resident #003.

Scope: This was an isolated case as no other incidents of abuse were identified during this inspection.

Compliance History: In the last 36 months, the licensee was found to be non-compliant with LTCHA s. 19 (1) with three Written Notifications (WNS), two Compliance Orders (COs) and one Voluntary Plan of Correction (VPC) issued to the home. (763)

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

Dec 03, 2021

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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, commercial courier or by fax upon:

Director
c/o Appeals Coordinator
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
Ministry of Long-Term Care
438 University Avenue, 8th Floor
Toronto, ON M7A 1N3
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, when service is made by a commercial courier it is deemed to be made on the second business day after the day the courier receives the document, 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:

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Health Services Appeal and Review Board and the Director

Attention Registrar
Health Services Appeal and Review Board
151 Bloor Street West, 9th Floor
Toronto, ON M5S 1S4

Director
c/o Appeals Coordinator
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
Ministry of Long-Term Care
438 University Avenue, 8th Floor
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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.

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**RENSEIGNEMENTS RELATIFS AUX RÉEXAMENS DE DÉCISION ET AUX
APPELS**

PRENEZ AVIS :

Le/la titulaire de permis a le droit de faire une demande de réexamen par le directeur de cet ordre ou de ces ordres, et de demander que le directeur suspende cet ordre ou ces ordres conformément à l'article 163 de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée.

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

La demande écrite doit comporter ce qui suit :

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

La demande de réexamen présentée par écrit doit être signifiée en personne, par courrier recommandé, par messagerie commerciale ou par télécopieur, au :

Directeur
a/s du coordonnateur/de la coordonnatrice en matière d'appels
Direction de l'inspection des foyers de soins de longue durée
Ministère des Soins de longue durée
438, rue University, 8e étage
Toronto ON M7A 1N3
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Quand la signification est faite par courrier recommandé, elle est réputée être faite le cinquième jour qui suit le jour de l'envoi, quand la signification est faite par messagerie commerciale, elle est réputée être faite le deuxième jour ouvrable après le jour où la messagerie reçoit le document, et lorsque la signification est faite par télécopieur, elle est réputée être faite le premier jour ouvrable qui suit le jour de l'envoi de la télécopie. Si un avis écrit de la décision du directeur n'est pas signifié au/à la titulaire de permis dans les 28 jours de la réception de la demande de réexamen présentée par le/la titulaire de permis, cet ordre ou ces ordres sont réputés être confirmés par le directeur, et le/la titulaire de permis est réputé(e) avoir reçu une copie de la décision en question à l'expiration de ce délai.

Le/la titulaire de permis a le droit d'interjeter appel devant la Commission d'appel et de révision des services de santé (CARSS) de la décision du directeur relative à une demande de réexamen d'un ordre ou des ordres d'un inspecteur ou d'une inspectrice conformément à l'article 164 de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée. La CARSS est un tribunal autonome qui n'a pas de lien avec le ministère. Elle est créée par la loi pour examiner les questions relatives aux services de santé. Si le/la titulaire décide de faire une demande d'audience, il ou elle doit, dans les 28 jours de la signification de l'avis de la décision du directeur, donner par écrit un avis d'appel à la fois à :

la Commission d'appel et de révision des services de santé et au directeur

À l'attention du/de la registrateur(e)
Commission d'appel et de révision
des services de santé
151, rue Bloor Ouest, 9e étage
Toronto ON M5S 1S4

Directeur
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À la réception de votre avis d'appel, la CARSS en accusera réception et fournira des instructions relatives au processus d'appel. Le/la titulaire de permis peut en savoir davantage sur la CARSS sur le site Web www.hsarb.on.ca.

Issued on this 8th day of October, 2021

Signature of Inspector /

Signature de l'inspecteur :

Name of Inspector /

Nom de l'inspecteur : Iana Mologuina

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