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Report Date(s) / Date(s) du Rapport	Inspection No / No de l'inspection	_	Type of Inspection / Genre d'inspection
Dec 2, 2013	2013_171155_0055	L-000819-13 & L-000822- 13	Critical Incident System
Licensee/Titulaire de	permis		
REGIONAL MUNICIPA	ALITY OF WATERLOO		

150 Frederick Street, KITCHENER, ON, N2A-4J3

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

SUNNYSIDE HOME

247 FRANKLIN STREET NORTH, KITCHENER, ON, N2A-1Y5

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

SHARON PERRY (155), JULIE LAMPMAN (522)

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): November 29, 2013.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Director of Senior Services, Administrator of Resident Care, Registered Nurse Team Leader, Registered Practical Nurse, 2 Personal Support Workers (PSW) and 2 Residents.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) toured a resident care area; observed staff's interactions with residents; reviewed the home's policy related to inspection; reviewed the home's investigation notes regarding incidents; reviewed employee education records; and reviewed residents' clinical records.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection: Prevention of Abuse, Neglect and Retaliation

Findings of Non-Compliance were found during this inspection.

NON-COMPLIANCE / NON - RESPECT DES EXIGENCES			
Legend	Legende		
WN – Written Notification VPC – Voluntary Plan of Correction DR – Director Referral CO – Compliance Order	WN – Avis écrit VPC – Plan de redressement volontaire DR – Aiguillage au directeur CO – Ordre de conformité		
WAO – Work and Activity Order	WAO – Ordres : travaux et activités		



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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 nonrespect 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. 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. A person who had reasonable grounds to suspect the abuse of a resident by anyone did not immediately report the suspicion and the information upon which it was based to the Director.

A staff member was aware that residents were abused. The staff did not immediately report this to the Director.

This was confirmed by the Administrator of Resident Care. [s. 24. (1)]

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 a person who has reasonable grounds to suspect that abuse of a resident by anyone has occurred, shall immediately report the suspicion and the information upon which it is based to the Director, to be implemented voluntarily.

Issued on this 2nd day of December, 2013

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

SHARON PERRY