

# 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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# **Original Public Report**

Report Issue Date: September 13, 2023	
Inspection Number: 2023-1169-0004	
Inspection Type:	
Complaint	
Critical Incident	
Follow up	
Licensee: Revera Long Term Care Inc.	
Long Term Care Home and City: Westside, Etobicoke	
Lead Inspector	Inspector Digital Signature
Cindy Ma (000711)	
Additional Inspector(s)	
Rajwinder Sehgal (741673)	

## **INSPECTION SUMMARY**

The inspection occurred onsite on the following date(s): August 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 31, 2023 and September 1, 5, 2023

The following intake(s) were inspected:

- Intake: #00087227 [IL-12851-AH/2663-000018-23] Related to falls prevention and management
- Intake: #00091457 [IL-14930-AH /2663-000021-23] Related to Abuse
- Intake: #00094843 Complaint related to air temperature, air conditioning requirements, maintenance services, pest control, dealing with complaints and plan of care
- Intake: #00090798 Follow-up CO #001 from inspection #2023-1169-0003 Duty to Protect
- Intake: #00090800 Follow-up CO #002 from inspection #2023-1169-0003 Required Programs (Falls)
- Intake: #00090799 -Follow-up CO #003 from inspection #2023-1169-0003 Plan of Care



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## **Previously Issued Compliance Order(s)**

The following previously issued Compliance Order(s) were found to be in compliance:

Order #001 from Inspection #2023-1169-0003 related to FLTCA, 2021, s. 24 (1) inspected by Rajwinder Sehgal (741673)

Order #003 from Inspection #2023-1169-0003 related to FLTCA, 2021, s. 6 (7) inspected by Rajwinder Sehgal (741673)

Order #002 from Inspection #2023-1169-0003 related to O. Reg. 246/22, s. 53 (1) 1. inspected by Rajwinder Sehgal (741673)

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:

Resident Care and Support Services Infection Prevention and Control Prevention of Abuse and Neglect Responsive Behaviours Falls Prevention and Management

# **INSPECTION RESULTS**

## Non-Compliance Remedied

**Non-compliance** was found during this inspection and was **remedied** by the licensee prior to the conclusion of the inspection. The inspector was satisfied that the non-compliance met the intent of section 154 (2) and requires no further action.

### NC #001 remedied pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (2)

FLTCA, 2021, s. 6 (10) (c)

The licensee has failed to ensure that a resident's care plan was revised when the intervention set out in the plan was ineffective.

#### **Rationale and Summary**

A resident's clinical records identified that they were a high risk for falls and required to utilize a specialized device as a part of their falls management interventions.



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In speaking with the resident on a specified day, they reported that they were not utilizing the specialized device. The resident was identified to have intact cognitive function.

A PSW indicated that the resident was offered the specialized device after a fall but resident refused. PSW acknowledged that the resident's plan of care at the time of the inspection was not updated.

An Associate Director of Care (ADOC) confirmed that the resident had refused to utilize the specialized device since a specified day in July 2023. ADOC acknowledged that the resident's care plan should have been updated.

After being notified, the ADOC removed the intervention from the resident's care plan.

There was a low risk to the resident when the care plan was not updated since the care provided adequately met resident's current needs.

**Sources:** Resident's care plan; and interviews with resident; PSW and Associate Director of Care (ADOC) [000711]

Date Remedy Implemented: August 31, 2023

### WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Duty to protect

NC #002 Written Notification pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (1) 1.

Non-compliance with: FLTCA, 2021, s. 24 (1)

The licensee has failed to ensure that that a resident was protected from physical abuse.

Ontario Regulation (O. Reg.) 246/22 s. 2 (1), defines "physical abuse" as the use of physical force by a resident that causes physical injury to another resident.

#### **Rationale and Summary**

A Critical incident (CI) was reported to the Director on a specified day in July 2023, related to an incident of resident-to-resident abuse.

Clinical records reviewed indicated that two residents were observed having an altercation which led to physical aggression. As a result, one of the residents sustained injuries.



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One of the residents stated that they sustained injuries as a result of the other resident using physical force. This was confirmed during interviews with two Registered Nurses.

The Director of Care (DOC) verified the above mentioned incident constituted physical abuse.

There was physical impact to the resident when they experienced physical aggression by the other resident.

**Sources:** Residents' clinical records; Critical incident report; and interviews with residents, DOC and other staff

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