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Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care

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

Ministère de la Santé et des Soins de longue durée

Rapport d'inspection prévue le Loi de 2007 les foyers de soins de longue

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Date(s) of Inspection/Date(s) de l'inspection	Inspection No/ No de l'inspection	Type of Inspection/Genre d'inspection
Aug 3, 2012	2012_072120_0060	Critical Incident

Licensee/Titulaire de permis

THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF PEEL
10 PEEL CENTRE DRIVE, BRAMPTON, ON, L6T-4B9

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

MALTON VILLAGE LONG TERM CARE CENTRE
7075 Rexwood Road, MISSISSAUGA, ON, L4T-4M1

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

BERNADETTE SUSNIK (120)

Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'Inspection

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

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with administrator, supervisor of care, human resources clerk and educational co-ordinator.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) reviewed the home's investigative documentation, employee records, staff, family and resident statements and the home's policies and procedures on the prevention of abuse and neglect.(H-001019-12)

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

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Legend	Legendé
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.) 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 subsections:

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 :

[LTCHA 2007, S.O. 2007, c. 8, s. 19(1)] The licensee of a long term care home did not ensure that residents are protected from abuse by anyone.

A resident was emotionally abused by a worker in the home.

A resident was cared for by a health care aide in 2012 during which time they became stressed, intimidated and fearful. The actions leading to the resident's fear and stress during the course of a month included the lack of acknowledgment they received from the worker. The worker appeared to the resident as angry, unfriendly, uncaring, bossy, loud and rough. The resident was hesitant to say anything to the worker or other staff for fear of retaliation. The resident reported their concerns to family members who in turn reported them to management staff in 2012.

The home management staff conducted an internal investigation of the allegations and confirmed that abuse did occur.

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 subsections:

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.
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.
3. Unlawful conduct that resulted in harm or a risk of harm to a resident.
4. Misuse or misappropriation of a resident's money.
5. Misuse or misappropriation of funding provided to a licensee under this Act or the Local Health System Integration Act, 2006. 2007, c. 8, ss. 24 (1), 195 (2).

Findings/Faits saillants :

Specifically failed to comply with the following subsections:

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Findings/Faits saillants :

[LTCHA 2007, S.O. 2007, c.8, s.24(1)2.] A person who has reasonable grounds to suspect that any of the following has occurred or may occur did not immediately report the suspicion and the information upon which it is based to the Director:

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.

A resident was emotionally abused by a worker over the course of a month in 2012. The concerns were reported to family members who forwarded them to management staff. The information or suspicion of abuse was not reported to the Director (Ministry of Health and Long Term Care) until 6 days later.

Issued on this 28th day of August, 2012

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

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