

Ministry of Health and **Long-Term Care**

Ministère de la Santé et des Soins de longue durée

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

Rapport d'inspection prévue sous la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée

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

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

Inspection No /

Log #/ No de registre

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

Sep 24, 2019

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Complaint

Licensee/Titulaire de permis

City of Ottawa Community and Social Services, Long Term Care Branch 200 Island Lodge Road OTTAWA ON K1N 5M2

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

Garry J. Armstrong Home 200 Island Lodge Road OTTAWA ON K1N 5M2

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

GILLIAN CHAMBERLIN (593), MARK MCGILL (733)

Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'inspection



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The purpose of this inspection was to conduct a Complaint inspection.

This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): August 26 - 29, September 3 - 6, 9, 16 - 19, 2019.

Complaint log #011709-19 was inspected related to allegations of financial abuse, care provided to the resident and notification regarding the residents care.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Administrator, Manager of Resident Care, Manager of Environmental Services, Registered Nursing Staff, Personal Support Workers (PSW) and family members.

The Inspector observed the provision of care and services to residents, staff to resident interactions, resident to resident interactions, residents' environment and reviewed resident health care records, investigation records and licensee policies.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection: **Personal Support Services Reporting and Complaints**

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

- 1 WN(s)
- 0 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. 101. Dealing with complaints



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Specifically failed to comply with the following:

- s. 101. (1) Every licensee shall ensure that every written or verbal complaint made to the licensee or a staff member concerning the care of a resident or operation of the home is dealt with as follows:
- 3. A response shall be made to the person who made the complaint, indicating,
- i. what the licensee has done to resolve the complaint, or
- ii. that the licensee believes the complaint to be unfounded and the reasons for the belief. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 101 (1).

Findings/Faits saillants:

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that every written or verbal complaint made to the licensee or a staff member concerning the care of a resident or the operation of the home is dealt with as follows: 3. A response should be made to the person who made the complaint, indicating, i. what the licensee has done to resolve the complaint, or ii. that the licensee believes the complaint to be unfounded and the reasons for the belief.

A complaint was submitted via email to the Manager of Environmental Services by Family Member #001. It alleged that a staff member yelled at their family member who is a resident of the home. An email response was received by family member #001 from the Manager of Environmental Services the same day, indicating that they will follow up on the matter.

During an interview with Inspector #593, September 17, 2019, Family Member #001 indicated that after the initial email indicating that the complaint would be followed up on, there have been no further responses regarding this specific complaint.

During an interview with Inspector #593, September 18, 2019, Manager of Environmental Services indicated that they did follow up on the reported complaint and that the incident was a misunderstanding with the allegations of abuse being unfounded. The Manager of Environmental Services confirmed that they did not communicate any further with family member #001 regarding their complaint nor did they forward the complaint to any other staff member of the home for further action. [s. 101. (1) 3.]



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Issued on this 25th day of September, 2019

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

Original report signed by the inspector.