

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 sous la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée

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	Inspection No /	Log # /	Type of Inspection /
	No de l'inspection	Registre no	Genre d'inspection
Nov 10, 2014	2014_326569_0018	006844-14	Complaint

Licensee/Titulaire de permis

PROVINCIAL NURSING HOME LIMITED PARTNERSHIP 1090 MORAND STREET WINDSOR ON N9G 1J6

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

QUEENSWAY NURSING HOME, DIVISION OF PROVINCIAL NURSING HOME LIMITED PARTNERSHIP 100 QUEEN STREET EAST HENSALL ON NOM 1X0

Name of Inspector(s)/Nom de l'inspecteur ou des inspecteurs DONNA TIERNEY (569)

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): November 7, 2014

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the General Manager, Environmental Services Manager, Ward Clerk, 2 Registered staff, 3 Personal Support Workers, and 3 Residents.

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection: Safe and Secure Home

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

2 WN(s) 2 VPC(s) 0 CO(s) 0 DR(s) 0 WAO(s)



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NON-COMPLIANCE / NON - RESPECT DES EXIGENCES			
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).	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 LTCHA, 2007 S.O. 2007, c.8, s. 15. Accommodation services

Specifically failed to comply with the following:

s. 15. (2) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that,

(a) the home, furnishings and equipment are kept clean and sanitary; 2007, c. 8, s. 15 (2).

(b) each resident's linen and personal clothing is collected, sorted, cleaned and delivered; and 2007, c. 8, s. 15 (2).

(c) the home, furnishings and equipment are maintained in a safe condition and in a good state of repair. 2007, c. 8, s. 15 (2).



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Findings/Faits saillants :

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that the home, furnishings and equipment are maintained in a safe condition and in a good state of repair.

Observation of the home's resident shower room revealed a strong, damp and musty odour and dark discoloured floor grout. The Environmental Services Manager shared that the floor was scrubbed daily but the appearance of the floor grout did not change.

Observation of the resident's dining area located one floor below revealed a damaged and discoloured patch of ceiling which was located directly below the home's resident shower room.

Record review of the home's maintenance manual policy under the subject Monthly Inspection- Interior and Exterior Finishes states "Rounds of the building interior, exterior and grounds, notice should be made of flooring, wall surfaces, ceilings, brickwork, windows, roofs, attachments to the building, paved areas, retaining walls and green areas. Any abuse, deterioration repair requirements etc. should be attended to. Report any serious findings to the Administrator."

The home's General Manager confirmed through interview that the resident's shower room had a musty smell and the floor grout was darkened. It was also confirmed that there was a damaged and discoloured patch on the resident dining room ceiling and that it is the home's expectation that it should have been identified and repaired. [s. 15. (2) (c)]

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 the home, furnishings and equipment are maintained in a safe condition and in a good state of repair, to be implemented voluntarily.

WN #2: The Licensee has failed to comply with O.Reg 79/10, s. 17. Communication and response system



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Specifically failed to comply with the following:

s. 17. (1) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that the home is equipped with a resident-staff communication and response system that, (a) can be easily seen, accessed and used by residents, staff and visitors at all times; O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

(b) is on at all times; O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

(c) allows calls to be cancelled only at the point of activation; O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

(d) is available at each bed, toilet, bath and shower location used by residents; O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

(e) is available in every area accessible by residents; O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

(f) clearly indicates when activated where the signal is coming from; and O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

(g) in the case of a system that uses sound to alert staff, is properly calibrated so that the level of sound is audible to staff. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 17 (1).

Findings/Faits saillants :

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that the resident-staff communication and response system can be easily seen, accessed and used by residents, staff and visitors at all times.

During a walk through a resident home hallway a resident was observed to be yelling repeatedly from their room for assistance.

The inspector observed the resident was sitting in their wheelchair and the call bell was hanging behind the head of the bed and not within reach of the resident.

An interview with a registered staff confirmed that call bells should be made accessible to all residents at all times. [s. 17. (1) (a)]



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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 the resident-staff communication and response system can be easily seen, accessed and used by residents, staff and visitors at all times, to be implemented voluntarily.

Issued on this 27th day of November, 2014

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

Original report signed by the inspector.