

Ministry of Long-Term Care
Long-Term Care Operations Division
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Original Public Report

Report Issue Date: December 6, 2022	
Inspection Number: 2022-1194-0001	
Inspection Type: Critical Incident System	
Licensee: Revera Long Term Care Inc.	
Long Term Care Home and City: Blenheim Community Village, Blenheim	
Lead Inspector Jennifer Bertolin (740915)	Inspector Digital Signature
Additional Inspector(s) Julie D’Alessandro (739)	

INSPECTION SUMMARY

<p>The Inspection occurred on the following date(s): November 28-29, 2022</p> <p>The following intake(s) were inspected: Intake # 00006043, CI #2695-000008-22, Intake # 00001663, CI # 2695-0000006-22, and Intake # 00007780, CI #2695-000014-22, all related to Fall Prevention and Management.</p>
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The following **Inspection Protocols** were used during this inspection:

- Infection Prevention and Control
- Falls Prevention and Management

INSPECTION RESULTS

Non-Compliance with: O. Regs 246/22 s. 55 (2)(a)(ii)

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The Licensee has failed to ensure that a resident had a skin assessment completed upon return from the hospital.

Rationale and Summary

A Critical Incident System (CIS) report was submitted to the Ministry of Long-Term Care indicated that a resident had a fall with injury which resulted in altered skin integrity to the arms and face. The resident was sent to hospital, diagnosed with a fracture, and returned to the home on that same day.

Review of the resident's clinical chart, specifically the progress notes, and assessments, indicated there was no skin assessment completed on the resident when they returned from the hospital.

During an interview with registered staff, they reviewed the resident's clinical chart, and confirmed that a skin assessment had not been completed for the resident when they returned from the hospital.

Review of the home's Skin and Wound Care policy, effective August 31, 2016, and reviewed of March 31, 2022, stated in part that "All residents will have a skin assessment completed upon return from the hospital".

During an interview with management, they acknowledged that the expectation would have been that a skin assessment be completed for resident upon their return from the hospital.

Sources: Resident progress notes and assessments; Interviews with management and registered staff; the Home's Skin and Wound Care policy

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