



**Ministry of Health and
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the Long-Term Care
Homes Act, 2007**

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**Rapport d'inspection 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	Inspection No / No de l'inspection	Log # / Registre no	Type of Inspection / Genre d'inspection
May 20, 2016	2016_217137_0012	015004-16	Critical Incident System

Licensee/Titulaire de permis

KINGSWAY NURSING HOMES LIMITED
310 Queen Street East R.R. #6 ST. MARYS ON N4X 1C8

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

KINGSWAY LODGE NURSING HOME
310 QUEEN STREET EAST R.R. #6 ST. MARYS ON N4X 1C8

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

MARIAN MACDONALD (137)

Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'inspection



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

This inspection was conducted on the following date(s): May 19, 2016

A Critical Incident Inspection, # 2726-000004-16, was completed related to falls prevention.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with Administrator, Director of Care, a Registered Nurse, a Registered Practical Nurse and two Personal Support Workers.

The Inspector also reviewed an identified resident's clinical records, risk management reports, falls prevention program and staff education records, related to falls prevention.

**The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:
Falls Prevention**

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

1 WN(s)

1 VPC(s)

0 CO(s)

0 DR(s)

0 WAO(s)



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 O.Reg 79/10, s. 129. Safe storage of drugs



Specifically failed to comply with the following:

- s. 129. (1) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that,
- (a) drugs are stored in an area or a medication cart,
 - (i) that is used exclusively for drugs and drug-related supplies,
 - (ii) that is secure and locked,
 - (iii) that protects the drugs from heat, light, humidity or other environmental conditions in order to maintain efficacy, and
 - (iv) that complies with manufacturer's instructions for the storage of the drugs;
- and O. Reg. 79/10, s. 129 (1).
- (b) controlled substances are stored in a separate, double-locked stationary cupboard in the locked area or stored in a separate locked area within the locked medication cart. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 129 (1).

Findings/Faits saillants :

1. The licensee failed to ensure that drugs were stored in an area or medication cart that was secure and locked.

On an identified date, a medication cart was observed unlocked and unattended. An identified resident opened the top drawer of the medication cart and had direct access to the medications.

Inspector # 137 immediately notified the Registered Practical Nurse (RPN), as the medication cart was not within visual range of the RPN.

The RPN confirmed that the medication cart was to be locked, when unattended and not in use. [s. 129. (1) (a) (ii)]

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 drugs are stored in an area or medication cart that is secure and locked, to be implemented voluntarily.



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Original report signed by the inspector.