

**Ministry of Long-Term Care**

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Long-Term Care Inspections Branch

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## Original Public Report

**Report Issue Date:** October 9, 2024

**Inspection Number:** 2024-1325-0002

**Inspection Type:**

Critical Incident

**Licensee:** Huntsville Long Term Care Centre Inc.

**Long Term Care Home and City:** Muskoka Landing, Huntsville

## INSPECTION SUMMARY

The inspection occurred onsite on the following date(s): October 7-9, 2024

The following intake(s) were inspected:

- Intake, related to alleged resident to resident abuse
- Intake, related to medication management
- Intake, related to infection prevention and control
- Intake, related to improper/incompetent care of resident by staff
- Intake, related to falls prevention and management

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

Resident Care and Support Services  
Medication Management  
Infection Prevention and Control  
Responsive Behaviours  
Prevention of Abuse and Neglect  
Falls Prevention and Management

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## INSPECTION RESULTS

### WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Safe Lifts and Transfers

NC #001 Written Notification pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (1) 1.

**Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 40**

Transferring and positioning techniques

s. 40. Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that staff use safe transferring and positioning devices or techniques when assisting residents.

The licensee has failed to ensure that staff transferred a resident using safe techniques, as the device was improperly positioned prior to the transfer taking place. As a result of the improper transfer, the resident fell and sustained an injury.

**Sources:** Progress notes; internal investigation notes; and, interview with staff.

### WRITTEN NOTIFICATION: Drug Destruction and Disposal

NC #002 Written Notification pursuant to FLTCA, 2021, s. 154 (1) 1.

**Non-compliance with: O. Reg. 246/22, s. 148 (2) 4.**

Drug destruction and disposal

s. 148 (2) The drug destruction and disposal policy must also provide for the following:

4. That drugs that are to be destroyed are destroyed in accordance with subsection (3). O. Reg. 246/22, s. 148 (2).

The licensee has failed to ensure that staff properly disposed of a controlled substance, when resident declined to take the medication.

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**Sources:** Progress notes; Electronic Medication Administration Record (EMAR); physician orders; internal investigation notes; licensee policies; and an interview with the DOC.