



**Ministry of Long-Term
Care**

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the Long-Term Care
Homes Act, 2007**

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durée**

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

**Long-Term Care Operations Division
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch**
**Division des opérations relatives aux
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Report Date(s) / Date(s) du Rapport	Inspection No / No de l'inspection	Log # / No de registre	Type of Inspection / Genre d'inspection
Feb 20, 2020	2020_607523_0009	002495-20	Critical Incident System

Licensee/Titulaire de permis

Extendicare (Canada) Inc.
3000 Steeles Avenue East Suite 103 MARKHAM ON L3R 4T9

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

Extendicare London
860 Waterloo Street LONDON ON N6A 3W6

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

ALI NASSER (523)

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): February 13 and 14, 2020.

This inspection was completed for Critical Incident Intake Log #002495-20, CIS #2173-000004-20, related to a resident's injury during transfer.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with the Administrator, Director of Care (DOC), three Personal Support Workers (PSWs) and three Registered staff members.

The inspector(s) also toured the home, observed residents and care provided to them, reviewed clinical records, incident reports, investigation notes and reviewed specific policies and procedures of the home.

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

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

**1 WN(s)
0 VPC(s)
1 CO(s)
0 DR(s)
0 WAO(s)**

NON-COMPLIANCE / NON - RESPECT DES EXIGENCES

Legend

WN – Written Notification
 VPC – Voluntary Plan of Correction
 DR – Director Referral
 CO – Compliance Order
 WAO – Work and Activity Order

Légende

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).

The following constitutes written notification of non-compliance under paragraph 1 of section 152 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.

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. 8. Policies, etc., to be followed, and records

Specifically failed to comply with the following:

s. 8. (1) Where the Act or this Regulation requires the licensee of a long-term care home to have, institute or otherwise put in place any plan, policy, protocol, procedure, strategy or system, the licensee is required to ensure that the plan, policy, protocol, procedure, strategy or system,
(a) is in compliance with and is implemented in accordance with applicable requirements under the Act; and O. Reg. 79/10, s. 8 (1).
(b) is complied with. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 8 (1).

Findings/Faits saillants :

1. The licensee has failed to ensure that any plan, policy, protocol, procedure, strategy or system instituted or otherwise put in place was complied with.

The home submitted a Critical Incident System (CIS) report on a certain date, the CIS indicated that on a specific date while preparing a specific resident for a transfer, the resident sustained an injury that required their transfer to hospital.

In accordance with O. Reg. s. 48. (1)" Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that the following interdisciplinary programs are developed and implemented in the home:

1. A falls prevention and management program to reduce the incidence of falls and the risk of injury".

In accordance with O. Reg. s. 49. (1) "The falls prevention and management program must, at a minimum, provide for strategies to reduce or mitigate falls, including the monitoring of residents, the review of residents' drug regimes, the implementation of restorative care approaches and the use of equipment, supplies, devices and assistive aids".

Specifically, staff did not comply with the licensee's policy Mechanical Lifts, LP-01-01-02, last updated August 2017, and Mechanical Lifts Procedure, LP-01-01-03, last updated August 2017.

The policy Mechanical Lifts, LP-01-01-02, stated "two trained staff are required at all times when performing a Mechanical Lift".

The policy Mechanical Lifts Procedure, LP-01-01-03, stated under procedure #14 “position sling. use two people to:

- a. Insert/apply sling (hammock, quick-fit and combi sling) so that the base of sling is level with the resident’s coccyx(tailbone).
- b. Centre resident within the sling
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In an interview the DOC said that a specific PSW attempted on their own to initiate the transfer of the resident.

The DOC reviewed the home’s policies and procedure with inspector and said that it was the home’s process and expectations that two trained persons would complete all mechanical lift transfers.

The DOC said that the PSW did not comply with the home’s policy and attempted to initiate the transfer on their own.

In an interview the Administrator said that the staff did not comply with the home’s policy. They said it was the home’s expectation that two trained staff were to conduct any mechanical lift transfer.

The licensee has failed to ensure that the home’s Mechanical Lifts and Mechanical Lifts Procedure were complied with. [s. 8. (1) (a), s. 8. (1) (b)]

Additional Required Actions:

CO # - 001 will be served on the licensee. Refer to the “Order(s) of the Inspector”.



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Issued on this 27th day of February, 2020

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

Original report signed by the inspector.

Order(s) of the Inspector

Pursuant to section 153 and/or section 154 of the *Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007*, S.O. 2007, c. 8

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LTC Home /**Foyer de SLD :**

Extendicare London

860 Waterloo Street, LONDON, ON, N6A-3W6

Name of Administrator /**Nom de l'administratrice****ou de l'administrateur :** Abe Moharram

To Extendicare (Canada) Inc., you are hereby required to comply with the following order(s) by the date(s) set out below:

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**Order # /
No d'ordre :** 001**Order Type /
Genre d'ordre :** Compliance Orders, s. 153. (1) (a)**Pursuant to / Aux termes de :**

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- (b) is complied with. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 8 (1).

Order / Ordre :

The licensee must be compliant with Ontario Regulation 79/10 s.8(1).

Specifically, the licensee must:

- a) Provide education to all front line staff that provide direct care to residents on the Mechanical Lifts policy and procedures and the safe use of mechanical lifts.
- b) Ensure a record of this training is kept in the home, including names of who participated in the training and dates that the training occurred.

Grounds / Motifs :

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**This order must be complied with /
Vous devez vous conformer à cet ordre d'ici le :**

Mar 31, 2020

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REVIEW/APPEAL INFORMATION**TAKE NOTICE:**

The Licensee has the right to request a review by the Director of this (these) Order(s) and to request that the Director stay this (these) Order(s) in accordance with section 163 of the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007.

The request for review by the Director must be made in writing and be served on the Director within 28 days from the day the order was served on the Licensee.

The written request for review must include,

- (a) the portions of the order in respect of which the review is requested;
- (b) any submissions that the Licensee wishes the Director to consider; and
- (c) an address for services for the Licensee.

The written request for review must be served personally, by registered mail, commercial courier or by fax upon:

Director
c/o Appeals Coordinator
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
Ministry of Long-Term Care
1075 Bay Street, 11th Floor
Toronto, ON M5S 2B1
Fax: 416-327-7603

When service is made by registered mail, it is deemed to be made on the fifth day after the day of mailing, when service is made by a commercial courier it is deemed to be made on the second business day after the day the courier receives the document, and when service is made by fax, it is deemed to be made on the first business day after the day the fax is sent. If the Licensee is not served with written notice of the Director's decision within 28 days of receipt of the Licensee's request for review, this(these) Order(s) is(are) deemed to be confirmed by the Director and the Licensee is deemed to have been served with a copy of that decision on the expiry of the 28 day period.

The Licensee has the right to appeal the Director's decision on a request for review of an Inspector's Order(s) to the Health Services Appeal and Review Board (HSARB) in accordance with section 164 of the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007. The HSARB is an independent tribunal not connected with the Ministry. They are established by legislation to review matters concerning health care services. If the Licensee decides to request a hearing, the Licensee must, within 28 days of being served with the notice of the Director's decision, give a written notice of appeal to both:

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Health Services Appeal and Review Board and the Director

Attention Registrar
Health Services Appeal and Review Board
151 Bloor Street West, 9th Floor
Toronto, ON M5S 1S4

Director
c/o Appeals Coordinator
Long-Term Care Inspections Branch
Ministry of Long-Term Care
1075 Bay Street, 11th Floor
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Upon receipt, the HSARB will acknowledge your notice of appeal and will provide instructions regarding the appeal process. The Licensee may learn more about the HSARB on the website www.hsarb.on.ca.

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RENSEIGNEMENTS RELATIFS AUX RÉEXAMENS DE DÉCISION ET AUX APPELS**PRENEZ AVIS :**

Le/la titulaire de permis a le droit de faire une demande de réexamen par le directeur de cet ordre ou de ces ordres, et de demander que le directeur suspende cet ordre ou ces ordres conformément à l'article 163 de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée.

La demande au directeur doit être présentée par écrit et signifiée au directeur dans les 28 jours qui suivent la signification de l'ordre au/à la titulaire de permis.

La demande écrite doit comporter ce qui suit :

- a) les parties de l'ordre qui font l'objet de la demande de réexamen;
- b) les observations que le/la titulaire de permis souhaite que le directeur examine;
- c) l'adresse du/de la titulaire de permis aux fins de signification.

La demande de réexamen présentée par écrit doit être signifiée en personne, par courrier recommandé, par messagerie commerciale ou par télécopieur, au :

Directeur
a/s du coordonnateur/de la coordonnatrice en matière d'appels
Direction de l'inspection des foyers de soins de longue durée
Ministère des Soins de longue durée
1075, rue Bay, 11e étage
Toronto ON M5S 2B1
Télécopieur : 416-327-7603

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Quand la signification est faite par courrier recommandé, elle est réputée être faite le cinquième jour qui suit le jour de l'envoi, quand la signification est faite par messagerie commerciale, elle est réputée être faite le deuxième jour ouvrable après le jour où la messagerie reçoit le document, et lorsque la signification est faite par télécopieur, elle est réputée être faite le premier jour ouvrable qui suit le jour de l'envoi de la télécopie. Si un avis écrit de la décision du directeur n'est pas signifié au/à la titulaire de permis dans les 28 jours de la réception de la demande de réexamen présentée par le/la titulaire de permis, cet ordre ou ces ordres sont réputés être confirmés par le directeur, et le/la titulaire de permis est réputé(e) avoir reçu une copie de la décision en question à l'expiration de ce délai.

Le/la titulaire de permis a le droit d'interjeter appel devant la Commission d'appel et de révision des services de santé (CARSS) de la décision du directeur relative à une demande de réexamen d'un ordre ou des ordres d'un inspecteur ou d'une inspectrice conformément à l'article 164 de la Loi de 2007 sur les foyers de soins de longue durée. La CARSS est un tribunal autonome qui n'a pas de lien avec le ministère. Elle est créée par la loi pour examiner les questions relatives aux services de santé. Si le/la titulaire décide de faire une demande d'audience, il ou elle doit, dans les 28 jours de la signification de l'avis de la décision du directeur, donner par écrit un avis d'appel à la fois à :

la Commission d'appel et de révision des services de santé et au directeur

À l'attention du/de la registrateur(e)
Commission d'appel et de révision
des services de santé
151, rue Bloor Ouest, 9e étage
Toronto ON M5S 1S4

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a/s du coordonnateur/de la coordonnatrice en matière
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À la réception de votre avis d'appel, la CARSS en accusera réception et fournira des instructions relatives au processus d'appel. Le/la titulaire de permis peut en savoir davantage sur la CARSS sur le site Web www.hsb.on.ca.

Issued on this 20th day of February, 2020

**Signature of Inspector /
Signature de l'inspecteur :**

**Name of Inspector /
Nom de l'inspecteur :** Ali Nasser

**Service Area Office /
Bureau régional de services :** London Service Area Office