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Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care

Inspection Report under the Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007

Ministére de la Santé et des Soins de longue durée

Rapport d'inspection prévue le Loi de 2007 les foyers de soins de longue

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Licensee/Titulaire de permis

EXTENDICARE (Canada) ~~NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO~~ INC
333 York Street, SUDBURY, ON, P3E-4S4

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

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

MARGOT BURNS-PROUTY (106)

Inspection Summary/Résumé de l'inspection

The purpose of this inspection was to conduct a Complaint inspection.

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) spoke with Administrator, Director of Care (DOC), Assistant Director of Care (ADOC), Social Worker, Registered Nurses (RN), Registered Practical Nurses (RPN), Personal Support Workers (PSW), Janitor, and Residents

During the course of the inspection, the inspector(s) Conducted a walk-through of resident home areas and various common areas, observed care provided to residents in the home and reviewed resident health care records

The following Inspection Protocols were used during this inspection:

Continence Care and Bowel Management

Prevention of Abuse, Neglect and Retaliation

Sufficient Staffing

Training and Orientation

Findings of Non-Compliance were found during this inspection.

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	Legendé 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. 51. Continence care and bowel management

Specifically failed to comply with the following subsections:

s. 51. (2) Every licensee of a long-term care home shall ensure that,

(a) each resident who is incontinent receives an assessment that includes identification of causal factors, patterns, type of incontinence and potential to restore function with specific interventions, and that where the condition or circumstances of the resident require, an assessment is conducted using a clinically appropriate assessment instrument that is specifically designed for assessment of incontinence;

(b) each resident who is incontinent has an individualized plan, as part of his or her plan of care, to promote and manage bowel and bladder continence based on the assessment and that the plan is implemented;

(c) each resident who is unable to toilet independently some or all of the time receives assistance from staff to manage and maintain continence;

(d) each resident who is incontinent and has been assessed as being potentially continent or continent some of the time receives the assistance and support from staff to become continent or continent some of the time;

(e) continence care products are not used as an alternative to providing assistance to a person to toilet;

(f) there are a range of continence care products available and accessible to residents and staff at all times, and in sufficient quantities for all required changes;

(g) residents who require continence care products have sufficient changes to remain clean, dry and comfortable; and

(h) residents are provided with a range of continence care products that,

(i) are based on their individual assessed needs,

(ii) properly fit the residents,

(iii) promote resident comfort, ease of use, dignity and good skin integrity,

(iv) promote continued independence wherever possible, and

(v) are appropriate for the time of day, and for the individual resident's type of incontinence. O. Reg. 79/10, s. 51 (2).

Findings/Faits saillants :

1. On April 4, 2012, a resident, told inspector 106 that they do not always have sufficient continence care products for all required changes. The resident reported that they frequently have to wait for 10 to 15 minutes for staff to bring them a new product. 2 PSWs interviewed state that when a resident runs out of continence care products they have to wait for registered staff to gain access to replacement products. The licensee failed to ensure that residents who required continence care products have sufficient changes to remain clean, dry and comfortable. [O. Reg. 79/10, s. 51 (2) (g)] (106)
2. On April 4, 2012, a resident, told inspector 106 that they do not always have sufficient continence care products for all required changes. The resident reported that they frequently have to wait up to an hour for staff to bring them a new product. 2 PSWs interviewed state that when a resident runs out of continence care products they have to wait for registered staff to gain access to replacement products. The licensee failed to ensure that residents who required continence care products have sufficient changes to remain clean, dry and comfortable. [O. Reg. 79/10, s. 51 (2) (g)] (106)

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 residents who require continence care products have sufficient changes to remain clean, dry and comfortable, to be implemented voluntarily.

Issued on this 12th day of April, 2012

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