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Licensing Inspection Report (Semi-Annual Inspection)

Facility:EAST CUMBERLAND LODGEAddress:262 GULF SHORE RD.
PUGWASH NS, B0K 1L0Date(s) of Inspection:October 12, 2021

Requirements resulting from licensing inspection:

1. LTCPR 8.4.10

The licensee shall ensure if bars of soap and other personal care items are used in resident rooms, they are designated for the use of one resident and are not shared.

2. HSCR 41(4)

A verbal order for medication accepted under subsection (2) or (3) must be set down in writing and signed by the medical practitioner, nurse practitioner or pharmacist who issued the verbal order no later than 72 hours after the verbal order was issued.

3. LTCPR 8.4.3

The licensee shall ensure a stand-alone Infection Prevention and Control Committee is implemented or infection prevention and control issues/practices are included as a standing agenda item on another appropriate committee. The committee shall be multidisciplinary ensuring that the infection prevention and control program is regularly reviewed and revised to reflect leading practices and provincial direction.

4. HSCR 9(1)

Except as provided in subsection (2), a license issued pursuant to the Act shall be displayed in the home for special care in a conspicuous place inside the main entrance of the home.

5. LTCPR 8.4.13

The licensee shall ensure there is an organized laundry system with adequate covered laundry receptacles to maintain a clean and safe service. Clean laundry is separated from soiled laundry.

Outstanding requirements from previous inspection(s):

1. Date of inspection: April 9, 2021, October 12, 2021

LTCPR 11.1.8

The licensee shall ensure formalized performance management processes that evaluate staff members' performance annually, and more frequently as necessary, are in place.

2. Date of inspection: April 9, 2021, October 12, 2021

HSCR 18(3)

In every nursing home and nursing care section of a home for the aged where there are thirty or more residents, there shall be at least one registered nurse on duty at all times.

3. Date of inspection: April 9, 2021

LTCPR 11.3.4

The licensee shall ensure maintenance of annual attendance records for individual staff participation in education sessions, including the date of the sessions.