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Licensing Inspection Report (Annual Inspection)

Facility:THE IVY MEADOWS CONTINUING CARE CENTREAddress:125 KNOWLES CRES.
BEAVER BANK NS, B4G 1E7Date(s) of Inspection:November 13, 2019

Requirements resulting from licensing inspection:

1. HSCR 27(10)

The administrator of a home for special care is responsible for (a) training staff and residents on emergency plan procedures and conducting emergency drills with staff and residents; and (b) requesting the Fire Marshal to inspect the home on a regular basis in accordance with the requirements of the Office of the Fire Marshal.

2. LTCPR 9.2.2 a

The licensee shall ensure there is a documented Business Continuity Plan that addresses the operational recovery and continuity of services in the face of a disaster, labour disruption or other major outage. The Business Continuity Plan includes the following: hazard, vulnerability and risk assessment, mission critical activities, recovery strategies, loss of electrical power, water, heat, ventilation and waste water services, loss of information technology (computer / telephone / fax) priorities, geographic footprint and pandemic situation (pandemic planning is undertaken and completed in accordance with direction received from the Department of Health and Wellness.)

3. LTCPR7.2.4

The licensee shall ensure the administrator attends resident council meetings a minimum of quarterly.

4. HSCR 27(7), LTCPR 9.2.4.b

The licensee shall ensure fire drills are conducted a minimum of monthly in accordance with direction from the Office of the Fire Marshal.

5. LTCPR 8.5.15

The licensee shall ensure discontinued and expired medications are disposed in a safe and appropriate manner.

6. HSCR 19(1)(d), LTCPR 11.1.6

The licensee shall ensure the home provides a documented, timely orientation for all staff members, volunteers and contracted personnel. The orientation provides the necessary information to support residents in a safe manner and improve their quality of life.

7. LTCPR 6.3.7

The licensee shall ensure each resident has an opportunity to complete or provide a personal directive which includes identifying a substitute decision maker. If completed, the personal directive will be placed on the resident record. Otherwise, it is documented on the record that a personal directive was discussed with the resident.

8. HSCR 20B, LTCPR 7.4.3 The licensee shall ensure management and staff meetings are held a minimum of quarterly.