
Licensing Inspection Report (Annual Inspection)

Facility: NORTHSIDE COMMUNITY GUEST HOME
SOCIETY

Address: 11 QUEEN ST.
NORTH SYDNEY NS, B2A 1A2

Date(s) of Inspection: October 12, 2022

Requirements resulting from licensing inspection:

1. LTCPR 6.1.6
Additional Requirements for Nursing Homes - The licensee shall ensure a lift and transfer assessment is completed for residents within 24 hours of admission and as the residents' individual needs change.
2. LTCPR 8.5.4
The licensee shall ensure medications are accounted for, administered and documented in accordance with federal and provincial legislation and professional practice standards.
3. LTCPR 6.3.2
The licensee shall ensure an interdisciplinary care conference, that includes the resident and/or authorized designate and the family members approved by the resident, is conducted within six weeks of admission to the home and annually thereafter, or more frequently as the resident's individual needs require.
4. LTCPR 8.5.15
The licensee shall ensure discontinued and expired medications are disposed in a safe and appropriate manner.
5. HSCR 44A(2), LTCPR 6.2.15
Additional Requirements for Nursing Homes - The licensee shall ensure an interdisciplinary pharmacy committee, consisting of at least the Administrator of the Home, Medical Advisor, Pharmacist, Director of Resident Care and Clinical Dietitian, meets a minimum of every six months. The pharmacy committee shall meet regularly to establish and monitor guidelines consistent with these regulations in relation to the storage, administration and control of drugs in the home.
6. 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 6.6.1, LTCPR 6.6.2
The licensee shall ensure an oral health assessment is initiated on admission and completed by staff within two weeks. Any risks relating to oral status (such as pain, swelling, bleeding, broken or decayed teeth, debris and food particles) are documented on admission and monitored regularly by staff in order to initiate appropriate referrals to dental professionals, when required and desired by the resident or authorized designate, and to inform daily mouth care planning.
- 8.** LTCPR 10.2.3
The licensee shall ensure resident records are protected from unauthorized collection, use, disclosure, copying and modification.
- 9.** LTCPR 7.1.7
The licensee shall ensure the home's policies are reviewed a minimum of every three years, or more frequently as required to ensure they are current, and they are revised as needed.
- 10.** LTCPR 11.2.4
The licensee shall ensure verification of current licensure, certification, registration or other relevant credentials of staff members (as applicable). Proof of verification is maintained.