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15th March, 2007

Mr. Naughton, Proprietor,
Mrs. Naughton, Proprietor and Person in Charge,
Aras Aoibhinn Nursing Home,
Gurteenroe,
Macroom,
Co. Cork.

Inspection Report

Re: Inspection of Aras Aoibhinn Nursing Home, Gurteenroe, Macroom, Co Cork under the Health (Nursing Homes) Act, 1990 and the Nursing Homes (Care & Welfare) Regulations, 1993.

Dear Mr and Mrs Naughton,

The Health Service Executive Nursing Homes Inspection Team from a medical, nursing and environmental health perspective inspected Aras Aoibhinn Nursing Home, Gurteenroe, Macroom, Co. Cork from 10.30am to 2.20pm on 28th February 2007. This inspection was unannounced.

There were 30 residents on this date. The Home is currently fully registered for 31 residents.

The above nursing home was found to be in substantial compliance from a medical, nursing and environmental health perspective under the Health (Nursing Homes) Act, 1990 and subsequent Regulations at the time of inspection.

Issues identified in previous Inspection Report date 02/08/06

(a) have been satisfactorily addressed Article 14, Article 15, Article 18.1,

Current Inspection

Recommendations

Re-locate the bed cradle from the top of the wardrobe to on the floor in Room 2.

Provide a security coded entrance device on the entrance door of the Cleaners Storeroom so as to prevent any unauthorised access to that room.

Repair the slight leak in the hot water plunge tap in Room 6.

Tighten the door of the wardrobe that has a mirror on it in Room 7.

Ensure the curtain at Bed B in Room 8 completely surrounds that bed.

Signed:		
Senior Medical Officer, Chairperson.	Ass. Dir Public Health Nursing, Inspection Team Member.	Senior Environmental Health Officer, Inspection Team Member.

c.c. Person in Charge