

Mr. Larry Doyle,  
Proprietor,  
Cherryfield Nursing Home,  
Ballygarrett,  
Gorey,  
County Wexford  
Date: 18<sup>th</sup> June 2007

### **Inspection Report**

**Re: Inspection of Cherryfield Nursing Home, Ballygarret, under the Health (Nursing Homes) Act, 1990 and the Nursing Homes (Care & Welfare) Regulations 1993**

Dear Sir,

The Senior Area Medical Officer and the Assistant Director of Public Health Nursing from the Nursing Homes Inspection Team visited Cherryfield Nursing Home, Ballygarret on the 1<sup>st</sup> May 2007 between 14.10hrs and 15.30 hrs.

There were 14 residents on the day. The Nursing Home is currently registered for 17 residents.

The following issues require your attention and action.

*Article 19.1 "In every nursing home the following particulars shall be kept in a safe place in respect of each dependent person: —*

*(c) A record of the medical and nursing condition of the person at the time of admission;*

*(d) An adequate nursing record of the person's health and condition and treatment given, completed on a daily basis and signed and dated by the nurse on duty;*

**Breach:** A number of nursing records inspected did not have appropriate assessments carried out. The care plans are not fully completed and the review dates are not being adhered to in many cases

**Required Action:** All records must be completed.

**Timescale:** Immediate

The Senior Environmental Health Officer visited on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2007. There are no alterations to the observations of 1<sup>st</sup> May 2007

The Chairperson of the Inspection Team is to be notified in writing on or before the above date(s) indicating the steps taken by the nursing home to carry out the actions as required under the regulations.

Signed;

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Chairperson  
Senior Environmental  
Health Officer

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Inspection Team Member  
Senior Medical Officer

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Inspection Team Member  
Asst. Dir. Public Health Nursing

Signed counterpart sent to: Ms. Catherine Murphy, Nurse in Charge