

Mrs D.Mc Donnell Proprietor/ Person in Charge.  
Dargle Valley Nursing Home,  
Cookstown,  
Enniskerry,  
Co. Wicklow.

Date:9/8/06

## **Integrated Inspection Report**

**Dear Sir/Madam,**

The Nursing Homes Inspection Team visited The Dargle Valley Nursing Home  
On 9/8/06

There were 25 residents on this date. The nursing home is currently registered for  
30 residents.

The following breaches of the Nursing Homes (Care and Welfare) Regulations,  
1993, and Nursing Homes (Care and Welfare) ( Amendment ) Regulations, 1994,  
were noted:

**Article:**

***Design:***

*Regulation 12 states that the registered and the person in charge of the nursing home  
shall :*

*(a) take precautions against the risk of accidents to any dependant person in the  
nursing home and in the grounds of the nursing home.*

*(e) Ensure that safe floor covering is provided*

**Breach(es)**

**(a) Wheelchairs are stored in the main bathroom.**

**(e) The floor covering in the dining room area is in disrepair.**

**Required Action:**

**Wheelchairs to be removed from the main bathroom.  
A new floor covering to be put in place in the dining room.**

**Timescale:  
One month.**

**Recommendations :**

**Complaints policy to be displayed.**

**Current Doctors prescriptions only to be in place in the drug administration book for nursing staff.**

**Present laundry room to be converted to a quiet room as discussed.**

**Alcohol handrub technique to be initiated for staff.**

**The Inspection Team is to be notified on or before the above dates(s) indicating the steps taken by the home to carry out the actions as required under the regulations.**

**Signed:**

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**Inspection Team Member.**

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