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9th March 2007

Inspection Report

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

Dear Ms Gallagher,

The Nursing Homes Inspection Team visited Ryevale Nursing Home on 9th March 2007 as a routine and for the purposes of registering an additional 22 beds.

There were 82 residents on this date. The Nursing Home is currently registered for 85 residents.

The above nursing home was found to be in substantial compliance with the Health (Nursing Homes) Act, 1990 and subsequent Regulations at the time of inspection.

In the interest of best practice we make the following recommendations:

- All residents to be routinely weighed on admission.
- Consideration should be given to ensuring clarity relating to the initial signing and review signing of the care plan.
- Discontinued drugs should be both dated and signed by the doctor.
- Duplicate incident report book should be utilised.
- A formalised induction programme should be implemented.
- Submit the 5 RGN outstanding pin numbers for 2007.

Signed:

Designated Officer/Chairperson

cc Person-in-Charge