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July 13, 2005

Julie Ryan
Wood Care V, Inc.
910 S. Washington
Royal Oak, MI 48067

RE: Application #: AL470275345
The Constable House Inn
1014 E. Grand River
Brighton, MI 48116

Dear Ms. Ryan:

Attached is the Original Licensing Study Report for the above referenced facility. The study has determined substantial compliance with applicable licensing statutes and administrative rules. Therefore, a temporary license with a maximum capacity of 16 is issued.

Please review the enclosed documentation for accuracy and feel free to contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please feel free to contact the local office at (517) 780-7159.

Sincerely,

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enclosure

cc: Livingston Co. D.H.S., Adult Services

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
OFFICE OF CHILDREN AND ADULT LICENSING
LICENSING STUDY REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

License #: AL470275345

Applicant Name: Wood Care V, Inc.

Applicant Address: 910 S. Washington
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Applicant Telephone #: (248) 543-7300

Administrator/Licensee Designee: Julie Ryan, Designee & Administrator

Name of Facility: The Constable House Inn

Facility Address: 1014 E. Grand River
Brighton, MI 48116

Facility Telephone #: (810) 220-5222

Application Date: 04/25/2005

Capacity: 16

Program Type: AGED
ALZHEIMERS

II. METHODOLOGY

04/25/2005	Enrollment
04/27/2005	Inspection Report Requested - Fire
04/27/2005	Inspection Report Requested - Health
05/02/2005	Application Incomplete Letter Sent
05/06/2005	Contact - Telephone call received Contacted by Mary Kralapp, Director of Operations
05/06/2005	Contact - Document Sent Medical Clearance forms sent to facility for administrator & licensee designee
06/07/2005	Inspection Completed-Fire Safety: A Received by licensing on 6/23/05
06/23/2005	Contact - Face to Face In-office meeting with licensee representative with submission of required documentation
06/23/2005	Contact - Document Received Required documentation submitted
06/29/2005	Inspection Completed-Environmental Health : B
06/29/2005	Contact - Document Received
06/30/2005	Inspection Completed On-site Completed physical plant inspection, interviewed administrator and staff, and reviewed documentation
07/11/2005	Contact - Document Sent Environmental Health Report
07/11/2005	Contact - Document Received Additional documentation from licensee
07/12/2005	Contact – Document Received Written verification of correction of environmental citations determined in 6/29/05 inspection. Request for change in designation of licensee designee

III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

A. Physical Description of Facility

1. Environmental:

The facility is part of a one story “twin-twenty” adult foster care and licensed nursing home complex. The two large group home facilities are joined by a commons area containing benches, beautician shop, movie theater, etc. (The other licensed adult foster care facility is The Leighton House Inn – AL470275348.) The adjoining nursing care home is separated from the adult foster care facilities by a commercial kitchen serving the entire complex.

There are a number of exits and entrances for this facility. The primary entrance into The Constable House Inn for residents and visitors is from the aforementioned commons area. This doorway/entrance is alarmed. For persons exiting through this entrance, the doors remain locked with an approximate 15 second delay until opening, or an employee can “swipe” the alarm system with a key card. All other exits are alarmed, except the exit to an enclosed courtyard.

The two exterior entrances to the commons area are through the main entrance to the adjoining adult foster care facility, The Leighton House Inn, and the main entrance to the facility offices. The commons area contains the complex’s beautician shop, a small movie theater, and a gift and ice cream shop. The facade for this large common area is architecturally designed to represent the main street of a turn of the century small town and is referred by the licensee as “Main Street” or “Penny Lane.”

Off the above described common area is a set of fire doors into The Constable House Inn via a large corridor/vestibule. This corridor leads to the dining area which can accommodate all of the residents of the facility at the same time. This dining area measures approximately 276 square feet.

Off the dining area is a “satellite” kitchen or “serving” kitchen where prepared food is brought from the commercial kitchen. This serving kitchen contains commercial style refrigerators and a large warming table from which meals are delivered to the facility dining area.

Also off the dining area is an entrance to a large interior courtyard with walkways, gardens, and an adjacent covered porch/patio. A nurse’s room/medication storage room is also located off of the dining area.

The facility also contains a common living area off the dining area. This area measures approximately 185 square feet of additional living area. Handrails are installed on all corridor walls.

This facility contains 14 bedrooms which can accommodate a current maximum capacity of 16 residents. The bedrooms have a variety of differing floor plans. The smallest bedroom in floor dimension measures approximately 10' X 11' which equals 110 square feet. Larger sized bedrooms may also contain small living areas. The architect for the facility supplied individual bedroom floor plans including dimensions. They are retained in the licensing corporation file. Bedrooms contain all administrative rule required furnishings. Residents may substitute their own personal furniture for that supplied by the licensee.

Each bedroom contains a full bathroom which has been described as a "full access bathroom." These bathrooms each contain a shower which is simply installed on the tiled bathroom wall and floor. There exists no demarcation between the shower and the rest of the bathroom. The floor is sloped so that all water runs into a floor drain.

Each room within the resident bedrooms (bathroom, living area, etc.) contains individual emergency call devices. All bedroom doors in this facility automatically close. There are no locking devices on any bedroom door hardware in this facility.

The entire facility is air-conditioned.

2. Sanitation:

The facility is served by a public water and sewer system.

Garbage service is provided weekly by Waste Management of Livingston County.

On June 29, 2005, the Livingston County Health Department completed a full environmental inspection of the facility. This environmental inspection report recommended that "because of the above list deficiencies, temporary approval is recommended until the next annual inspection or report." Accompanying the report was a short list of deficiencies. A copy of the report and a request for a corrective action plan from the applicant was mailed on July 11, 2005. On July 12, 2005, a letter was received from the applicant verifying correction of the environmental deficiencies.

Although the complex of facilities contains a commercial laundry, an additional laundry room containing two sets of a residential type washer and dryer is

located off the bedroom corridor. This laundry room is also available for residents who wish to do their own personal laundry.

3. Fire Safety:

A fire safety certification full approval was granted by the Office of Fire Safety on June 7, 2005. A copy is contained in the licensing record.

The facility is heated by natural gas-fired forced air furnaces located on the roofs of the facility.

The entire facility and complex is protected by an interconnected smoke alarm/detection system and a fire suppression sprinkler system. When the smoke alarm/detection system is triggered anywhere in the complex, the entire fire alarm system sounds throughout the complex.

A copy of the floor plan for the facility is contained in the licensing record which includes the evacuation plan. Individual bedroom floor plans with dimensions are also contained in the license record (corporation binder).

4. Zoning:

A conditional site plan approval was provided by the City of Brighton to Caretel Inns of Brighton (#013-97A) on October 20, 2003. The licensing record contains a copy of the letter from the City of Brighton approving the site plan.

B. Program Description

1. Administrative structure & capability:

The licensee for this facility is Wood Care V. Wood Care V is related to Caretel Inns as a subsidiary corporate entity. This is a "for profit" corporation. According to the incorporation papers filed with the State of Michigan, "Wood Care V, Inc." was incorporated on January 27, 1988. According to the Articles of Incorporation filed the same date:

"The purpose of the Corporation shall be to obtain a Certificate of Need from the Michigan Department of Health and thereafter to construct, finance and operate a nursing home facility in Livingston County, Michigan. The Corporation shall also be empowered to acquire land, obtain financing, construct, manage and operate a nursing home, 'home for the aged' and a congregate care center and to do all things permitted by law to accomplish the foregoing purposes."

The organizational map delineation for the *Director of Health Services* is the administrator for the corporation. The *Director of Assisted Living* on the organizational chart is a nurse in charge of daily staffing, supervision, employee training, and medication administration.

2. Qualifications and competencies:

The licensee designee and the administrator for the facility is Julie Ryan. She is a registered nurse and according to her resume, she has had “10 years of comprehensive nursing experience in long term care.” Her nursing license expires on March 31, 2007. She is identified on the organizational chart as the “Director of Health Services.”

The “Director of Assisted Living” listed on the organizational chart is also a nurse. She reports extensive experience in working in licensed adult foster care homes and reports that she is well versed in understanding the licensing rules. She reports to the administrator.

3. Program Information:

This facility will be serving aged persons having memory loss due to Alzheimer’s Disease or dementia. According to the admission policy and program statement (in part):

“The individuals (residents) who live in our Inns are given the opportunity to enhance their independence while maintaining privacy, dignity and safety through our staff’s assistance with activities of daily living.

Guests (residents) who are admitted to the Constable House Memory Care House will be evaluated for their appropriateness for the unit by the Director of Assisted Living. The assessment process will be documented on the ‘Memory Care Unit Move In Criteria Review’ form. Guests will be assessed for special care needs in the areas of safety awareness and risk for wandering for potential admission into our memory care unit.”

Guests who are admitted to the Constable House will have the opportunity to be provided a safe and secure environment while having a structure that is designed to promote independence during memory challenged episodes. Each room is created to allow individuality while promoting privacy.

Activities will be provided on all units on a daily basis. Activity programs will be printed and given to each guest on a weekly basis. Particular emphasis in the activity program will be placed on the guests’ cognitive abilities to ensure maximum participation.

A three-ring binder titled *Assisted Living Policies and Procedures* contains the licensee's personnel policy and other licensing records. Another document submitted by the licensee titled *Admissions Agreement/Move In Agreement* contains the following:

- Facility admission policies
- Discharge policies
- Refund policy
- House Rules
- Resident Care Agreement as established by the licensee

The licensee will not be using the Department issued *Resident Care Agreement*. The licensee established a Resident Care Agreement which has now been approved for use by this consultant. This Resident Care Agreement is incorporated into the "Move-In Agreement."

Medications are stored in a locked nurse's room located off the dining area. The medications are packaged in "uni-dose" packs by the issuing pharmacy and remain in a locked drawer system. The entire drawer system is subsequently transported to the issuing pharmacy which refills this drawer system.

The "Director of Operations" for the facility reported that no bedrails will be used in this facility. This organization views bedrails as a "restrictive device."

According to the Program Statement for the facility, the licensee is:

"committed to meeting the needs of elderly adults who are guests with the caring and loving atmosphere provided at our facility. The individuals who live in our Inns are given the opportunity to enhance their independence while maintaining privacy, dignity and safety through our staff's assistance with activities of daily living."

The proposed staffing pattern for this facility includes having 1 staff person on duty at night in this facility with an additional staff person available who floats between the two licensed adult foster care facilities.

This consultant was informed a new van has been purchased to transport residents to day activity programs and it has a 1st kit aid installed.

4. Facility and employee records:

Both employee and resident records are maintained in the facility. Several employee records were reviewed prior to license issuance in order to determine compliance with licensing rules.

5. Resident rights:

The licensee has established a form which is a list of all resident rights and is signed off by each resident at the time of admission.

6. Conclusion:

Compliance with the physical plant rules has been determined. All items cited for correction have been verified as corrected in writing or by inspection. Compliance with Quality of Care rules will be assessed during the period of temporary licensure.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

It is recommend that a temporary license be issued. The terms of the license will permit the licensee to provide care for up to sixteen adults who are aged and/or have been diagnosed with Alzheimer's Disease or dementia.

Chuck Wisman
Licensing Consultant

Date

Approved By:

Betsy Montgomery
Area Manager

Date