Bethany retirement living

Memory Care Unit

Caring for Residents with Alzheimer's Disease and Other Forms of Dementia

Bethany Retirement Living is the area leader in the care of residents and families whose lives have been touched by dementia, including Alzheimer's disease. Everything from staffing to meals and activities is designed to meet the particular needs of residents on the Memory Care Unit. The Memory Care Unit is designed to provide a calm, structured and secure environment that will promote and maintain residents at their highest level of functioning.

Our staff works with family members to meet diverse needs related to Alzheimer's disease and other forms of dementia. The Memory Care Unit includes two secure 24-bed units in the Skilled I building at Bethany on University. Twenty-four of the rooms are private, with twelve double rooms available.

WORKING TOGETHER...

Our team works with family members to meet the diverse needs of our residents living with dementia. This team approach includes:

- Nurses
- Dietitians
- Certified Nursing Assistants
- Certified Medication Aides
- Community Life Personnel
- Chaplain
- Social Services
- Physicians
- Nurse Practitioners
- Physician Assistants
- Physical Therapists
- Occupational Therapists
- Speech Therapists
- Psych Services

PERSONALIZED DAILY PROGRAMMING...

Therapeutic programming includes activities of daily living (e.g. eating, dressing and grooming) and behavior interventions as an alternative to the use of medications. Also, activities are personalized, based on sensory changes, cognitive ability, functional level and individual interests.

WELL-ROUNDED DAILY ACTIVITIES...

The following well-rounded activity programs are available on a regular basis. Many other activities are arranged to meet individual needs.

- Music (Bethany Retirement Living is the first certified Music and Memory facility in the area)
- Reminiscing
- Exercises
- Worship Services
- Special Events
- Puzzles and Games
- Large & Small Group Activities

HOW TO APPLY...

You are encouraged to complete an application to get on the waiting list. In order to ensure appropriate placement on this unit, a pre-admission screening is conducted by a Licensed Social Worker and a Registered Nurse. The planning conferences generally include both the prospective resident and family members.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING ADMISSION, CONTACT

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