

# An Excellent Investment

## Nationally Accredited Accreditation Means High Standards

Accreditation means we offer the highest quality services which conform to industry-wide standards of excellence.

Of all the retirement communities in the country, *a mere fifteen percent become accredited* . . . Willamette View was one of the first in Oregon to be nationally accredited. To be accredited a retirement community must meet high standards in every aspect of its operation and have a clearly defined mission that guides all of its work. It is a rigorous process involving extensive self-evaluation in the areas of health and wellness, financial resources and disclosure, governance and administration, and resident life, as well as an onsite review by evaluators. What does this mean to residents? Willamette View is a sound investment and will be there for them over the long term.

As an accredited retirement community, Willamette View offers, through a written contract, a variety of housing options and services to match a resident's changing needs and lifestyle. From independent living to licensed assisted living to Alzheimer's and skilled care all on one campus, Willamette View truly does offer a full continuum of care and services. For more information on what a CCRC means to you and your family see the **Choose Continuing Care** insert.

The Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities and the Continuing Care Accreditation Commission or CARF-CCAC, the nation's only accrediting body for continuing care retirement communities, accredits Willamette View.

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## **Willamette View has a variety of care levels to match your needs:**

- ❖ Independent living in an apartment in the **Manor, Court or Plaza**, or in one of **The Homes on River Ridge or Patio Homes** is suited best for residents who need no personal assistance.
- ❖ Support services and assistance with the daily activities of life (bathing, dressing, grooming and medication management) can be found in the **Terrace**, a licensed residential care facility.
- ❖ Long-term care needs are met in the **Health Center**. Offering enhanced and licensed assisted living and a state-endorsed Alzheimer's unit. The Health Center is for residents with the greatest care needs.
- ❖ Infirmatory care is available in the **Health Center Short Stay** or skilled care wing. This setting is for residents recovering from a short-term illness, injury, or post-hospitalization and will be returning to their residence after recovery.
- ❖ Home-delivered services and private duty care are available through **Community & Staffing Services** and **To Your Home from Willamette View**, licensed in-home care agencies; supporting residents in their apartments to get them through a rough period, injury or episode of illness, as well as people living in the local community who wish to remain at home.
- ❖ Specialized health services are available in the **Health Resource Office**. A nurse oversees these services, including wound care, injections and lab work ordered by a resident's healthcare provider, blood pressure screenings, ear care, podiatry services, consultations, and medication box setup. In addition, area physicians bring their clinical staff and services onsite, using the Health Resource Office as a satellite clinic, and see residents by appointment during scheduled office hours.

## **Willamette View Foundation**

The Willamette View Foundation is a separate not-for-profit corporation with its own volunteer board of directors. Its primary mission is providing financial assistance to residents whose resources are no longer sufficient to pay their expenses, due to unforeseen circumstances through no fault of their own. Donations and bequests from residents and friends, and proceeds from resident activities enable the Foundation to fulfill its mission.