A chaplain and visiting clergymen meet personally with our residents to pray and offer consolation and guidance. The Zion Bus Ministry enables residents to participate in community worship.

Our 14-person passenger van transports residents on outings like color tours, trips to the movies and shopping excursions.

An adaptive gardening table allows residents the chance to enjoy the spring and summer tending to flowers and other plants.

An aviary lets residents observe finches, canaries and doves living as they would in nature.

Social Services

Social Workers help residents and their families adjust to this new living situation. Residents or family members can consult with social workers for discharge planning, financial planning and mental health services.

Special Care for People with Alzheimer's Disease or Dementia

Murray Manor is a specialty nursing unit at Father Murray dedicated to providing a homelike environment and activities for residents with Alzheimer's/Dementia disease. Activities are carefully planned and offered in group and individual settings on- and off-site. Programs include bingo, music, movies, crafts and more.

To build trust with residents, staff members take part in activities and encourage family members to do so as well.

Payment Options

Father Murray Nursing Center accepts Medicare, Blue Cross, MCare and Medicaid. We also welcome private insurances and private pay. Private pay residents must provide the first month's room and board upon admission.

For More Information

If you have questions about Father Murray or would like to arrange a tour, please call our Admissions Department at

> 586-755-2400 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.



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WHO'S GOING TO TAKE CARE OF MOM OR DAD?

(the way they took care of you)



Our Philosophy

Father Murray Nursing Center, a 231-bed skilled nursing facility and member of St. John Health, provides high-quality care tailored to each resident's individual needs. Part of our philosophy is to create a place full of life, beauty and opportunities for personal enrichment.



Comprehensive Care

The care we provide is based on our belief that each resident has the right to quality care, quality of life and optimal health and well-being.

Physician Care and Nursing

Since Father Murray is an affiliate of St. John Health, St. John physicians provide primary care and specialty medical care for our residents. With varying degrees of independence, our residents may need either short- or long-term skilled nursing care. In addition to standard nursing care, restorative nursing is provided

for residents when appropriate. Restorative nursing helps residents maintain or improve their functioning in activities of daily living such as bathing, eating, and grooming.

Rehabilitation

Upon admission each resident undergoes a functional examination and receives an individual care plan for Physical Therapy. Heat, cold, hydrotherapy, electrotherapy and exercise may be prescribed. It is common for residents to return home after physical therapy rehabilitation.

Occupational Therapists work with residents to help restore or enhance their ability in activities of daily living such as dressing, eating, bathing, hand and arm function. They also help residents improve cognitive abilities and express themselves creatively.

Therapeutic Rehabilitation is offered on a longand short-term basis. The Speech-Language Pathology team practices innovative therapy techniques to maximize communication and swallowing skills. Evaluations are made upon admission.

Music Therapy is used to motivate and channel energy, stimulate the mind and senses, and promote relaxation. Once the resident has received an evaluation by our music therapist, individual goals are developed. The music therapy sessions may take place in individual or group settings.

Dietary Services

Residents enjoy nutritious meals and snacks overseen by a registered dietitian, dietary manager and dietetic technician. Food service also includes special event/holiday meals. Snack carts are available three times a day at no charge to residents.

Activities

Our Activities Manager ensures that life is never boring. Monthly activities are planned for both residents and their families. Examples include Valentine's Day "Sweetheart's luncheon," Mother's Day celebration, and a Pie Party in November.



Our pet visitation program brings in lovable, friendly dogs specially trained to interact with seniors.