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We are pleased to announce our participation in the fifth statewide Minnesota Nursing Home Resident Survey this spring. Every Medicaid-certified nursing home in the state will participate. The results from the satisfaction survey will be available to us so we can learn about what we do well and what we could do better.

This year's results will again be posted on the internet in the Nursing Home Report Card (<http://www.health.state.mn.us/nhreportcard/>) to give consumers the opportunity to find out how residents feel about each nursing home. Specially trained interviewers from Vital Research will interview a sample of our nursing home residents March 17-18, 2009. The interviews will take approximately 20 minutes to complete and will be confidential.

If you have any questions about the statewide survey, or wish that your loved one does not participate, please call Cheryl Krause, Director of Nursing and Resident Services at 218-844-7131.

Thank you

Mark Your Calendars

March 8th

Daylight Saving Time begins

March 15th

Pancake Breakfast for Nursing home residents, their families, and staff from 8 am - 9 am.

March 17th

Happy St. Patrick's Day!



Any equipment from home needs to be given to social services or a registered nurse to be assessed for need, checked for safety, and be labeled appropriately prior to being brought into your loved ones room.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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Alzheimer's Support Group

March 9, 2009

Aspen Conference Room

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

Stroke Support Group

March 12, 2009

Nursing Home Conference Rm.

3:00 pm

Parkinson's Support Group

March 26, 2009

Nursing Home Conference Rm.

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

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