



The weather we have experienced in the Cleveland area this winter may have brought on a short term respiratory illness or an unfortunate fall on the ice. Did you know that skilled nursing and rehabilitative therapies are offered at all 5 O'Neill Healthcare Facilities? Highly skilled and trained nursing and therapy staff are employed by O'Neill Healthcare to provide quality care and treatment in order to quickly and safely get you back home.

If your insurance will not cover a skilled stay, a self-pay respite stay in Assisted Living with access to nursing care and therapy under the same roof is always an option. Assisted Living is offered at Bay Village, Lakewood, North Olmsted and North Ridgeville.

Contact O'Neill Healthcare at (440) 808-5500 and ask for the admissions department for more information and to discuss your personal situation.

February 5th is National Weatherman's Day. Let's hope for sunnier skies and warmer temperatures in their forecast!

Employee of the Month - *Jeanette Everard, LPN*



Our employee of the month for February is Jeanette Everard, LPN. Jeanette was born and raised in Ohio and currently resides in Elyria. In her down time, she loves being around her friends and family. One of her favorite things to do when the snow hits hard is to curl up with a book or watch a movie. She states that she was raised to listen to her elders growing up and she believes that it is this lesson that has helped her in her profession now in working with patients and their families. She has always enjoyed taking care of people and compassion is one of her strong suits. "Life is a gift," she says, "and I am honored to take care of and be a part of every patient's life." Congratulations Jeanette! We appreciate all of your dedication!



O'Neill Healthcare Donor Advised Fund

O'Neill Healthcare has established the O'Neill Healthcare Donor Advised Fund at Community West Foundation as a means to allow residents and/or family to make a tax deductible donation. This Fund is used to benefit current and future employees and residents of our facilities. Your gift provides scholarships for deserving employees at our facilities who are studying in healthcare-related fields. Recipients are selected from those

who apply for degreed or certificate programs in nursing, allied health professions, or healthcare management. Please make checks payable to O'Neill Healthcare Donor Advised Fund and mail them to 38642 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville, Ohio, 44039, or phone (440) 387-5557.

Upcoming EVENTS

Tuesday, February 6 | 1:00 p.m.
"Modern Techniques of Spine Surgery"

Dr. Robert Berkowitz from Centers for Orthopedics will be here to inform about new spine surgery options

Tuesday, February 20 | 2:30 p.m.
Community Bingo

Join us in the assisted living dining room for some hot cocoa and BINGO!

We're proud to have you
ON OUR TEAM
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations and thank you to the following employees for their years of service

Suzanne Snodgrass	31 years
Stephen Sammon	7 years
Debra Gibson	6 years
Laural Hoerrle	3 years
Stephanie Williams	3 years
Natalie Bennett	2 years
Angela Blair	2 years
Susan Efferth	2 years
Kaitlin Emery	2 years
James Hicks	2 years
Kevin Koziol	2 years
Jodi Maderitz	2 years
Oriesha Reed	2 years
Melanie Robertson	2 years
Tiffany Robertson	2 years
Anna Wrona	2 years
Terry Yarnell	2 years
Terri Frye	1 year
Sikkaveda Hughes	1 year
Abbrielle McDonald	1 year

Resident of the Month Isabel Socey - February



Isabel Socey, a resident from our north unit, is February's Resident of the Month. Isabel admitted to O'Neill Healthcare North Ridgeville for therapy in July and returned in November. Isabel was born in Emerickville, PA and is the youngest of 3 siblings. She worked as a clerk receptionist at First Federal of Lorain and she retired in 2010. She is the mother of 4 children. When asked what advice she would give to people, she stated, "Always be helpful and courteous to others." She has lived that advice for many years. Isabel enjoyed traveling and taking one-day bus trips all over the country. When asked how many bus trips she has taken, she said it was too many to count. Fall is her favorite time of the year because she enjoys the foliage changing colors. Isabel enjoys attending activities of all kinds, especially our musical programs. Please say hello to Isabel if you see her in your daily travels. Congratulations Isabel!

A SPECIAL NOTE FROM O'Neill Healthcare HOSPICE

The Caregiver of the Month Award was given to Sylvia Golsby, a nursing assistant for O'Neill Healthcare Hospice in Bay Village, Ohio. Sylvia's nominator, Ann Crum, says, "She's one of the kindest and most caring

people we have working for us." She also notes that while the facility receives a number of compliments for staff and volunteers, "*Sylvia Golsby is one who truly stands out above the rest.*" Sylvia is recognized for her attentive care for all, and is said to spend countless hours with patients and their families, making sure each and every resident feels special. A mother of nine and a grandmother to four, Sylvia devotes her time to helping others every chance she gets. (*Congratulations, Sylvia!*) Thank you for your selflessness and hard work!



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Administrator's Corner

It is hard to believe that I am writing this so soon again. It seems like just yesterday I was pregnant and preparing for my maternity leave. A HUGE thank you to Joe Chesney, LNHA, Director of Operations, for stepping into the Administrator role and covering O'Neill Healthcare North Ridgeville in my absence. A HUGE thank you to the staff, residents, families and friends of our facility for extending a warm welcome to Joe and accepting him into our family. I appreciate his leadership in ensuring the delivery of quality care while maintaining the 5- star rating held by O'Neill Healthcare North Ridgeville.



Jenna Elliott, LNHA
Administrator

Speaking of family, it was not easy to leave baby Claire at home and return to work. I have been amazed watching her grow and I am sure she will continue to surprise me. Coming back to so many hugs, smiles and laughs has made the transition easier on me. I am blessed. I feel so grateful to be part of the O'Neill Healthcare North Ridgeville family. What a nurturing environment my daughter will get to experience as she grows. Many thanks.



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O'Neill Healthcare specializes in:

- Skilled Nursing
- Assisted Living
- Independent Living
- Rehabilitative Therapies
- Memory Support
- Dialysis
- Hospice Care

For more information,
call O'Neill Healthcare's
admissions department at
(440) 808-5500.



Good Times & Great Memories at O'Neill Healthcare



Residents and members of the community enjoyed a presentation about the flu by Dr. Wolf.



Staff had a delicious time celebrating Pie Day!