

Welcome to Your Next Chapter

Whether you're with us for a short while or a longer stay, Brickyard Healthcare's mission is to create a culture that serves all residents beyond health and safety, connecting the hearts of those who need our care and those who provide it.

Next Steps

- Once you make a choice of skilled nursing facility, please notify the Hospital Case Manager of your choice as soon as possible.
- If your loved one has an insurance that requires an authorization, that request will be started by the Hospital Case Manager. The authorization process could take up to 3 business days.
- Hospital Case Manager will arrange transportation to the skilled nursing facility.
- Hospital will provide clinical information: medication list, most recent therapy notes and physician progress notes.

The Admissions Process

- Through the admission process, we will help you get to know all our department managers. We encourage you to speak with your social worker or executive director should you have any questions.
- There will be many documents to sign on your first day. It is helpful to have a family member or friend present to help you with paperwork.
- In your first 72 hours after admission, we will hold an interdisciplinary care coordination meeting with your therapy director, social worker, and nurse to discuss the goals of your stay.
- You will be assigned and seen by a physician 24-48 hours of admission.

What to Bring

- Insurance documents and prescription drug cards, including cards and documents for private insurance plans, Medicare, Medicaid, and Social Security
- Several changes of clothing (Be sure to include underclothing, sleeping garments and well-fitting shoes and slippers)
- Personal hygiene items
- Guardianship papers and advance directive documents (e.g., living will, power of attorney, durable power of attorney for healthcare) if you have them

Financial Qualifications

Brickyard Healthcare is certified by Medicare to treat residents who need our services for hospital-related medical conditions and conditions that began while receiving care in the skilled nursing facility for a hospital-related medical condition. The following are accepted ways to pay for in-patient care:

- Medicare Part A hospital insurance covers inpatient hospital care, skilled nursing facilities, hospice, lab tests, surgery, and home healthcare. The patient will qualify for the use of Medicare A – a requirement for Medicare A to cover is a skilled need for the patient this skilled need is assessed by the team within the skilled nursing facility.
- Commercial Insurance, Medicare Replacement Plans, Managed Medicaid, Workman Compensation – all require an authorization from the insurance provider. Hospital Case Manager, accepting skilled nursing facility will be responsible for obtaining that authorization
- Medicaid, Medicaid Pending are both accepted – Brickyard Healthcare is willing to assist with the application and/or provide education.

*If you need additional information, please feel free to contact the Admission Director or Business Office Manager.



Frequently Asked Questions

Can my loved one bring furniture from home for their room?

We encourage residents to bring personal items to make them feel at home. Please also consider the size of the room.

Who chooses my father's roommate in a semi-private room?

Upon admission, our social services director will try to locate a room with someone who either shares his interests or has a similar background.

What are the best times to visit?

Our care centers are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Recommended hours are between 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. However, please consider the rights of other residents living in our care centers.

Can I bring food from home for my father during his nursing home stay?

We encourage you to check with the nursing staff or dietary manager. Many residents must follow a special diet. Be sure to store food from home in an air-tight container. Also, plan to arrive at mealtimes or snack times because our nursing homes have very strict guidelines for storing perishable food.

Do I have to be vaccinated for COVID before admitting to a care center?

Please speak with the care center regarding the most current policies. Patients and residents may choose to be vaccinated or they may decline.

What clothing should I bring to the care center when my loved one admits?

It is recommended to bring at least 5-7 comfortable outfits. All the clothing should be labeled and inventoried with first and last name, and the care center staff will provide you with an inventory list to be completed (including all undergarments).

Your Needs, Our Priority

Healthcare Services

- Physical Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- IV Therapy
- Pain & Wound Management
- Memory Care*
- Discharge Planning
- Nursing
- Pharmacy (AlixRx)
- Diabetic Care
- Stroke Care

Amenities

- Dining Experiences
- Recreation & Social Activities
- Facility-provided Transportation
- In-room Cable Hook-up
- Private Telephone Lines
- Hairdressing Services
- Televisions
- Telephones
- WIFI
- Spiritual Services

*Some services only available at select locations

Life at Our Care Center

Dining

- We offer three meals/day in our dining room or delivered to your room.
- Additional menu items are available upon request for each meal.
- Snacks and refreshments are always available upon request.

Activities

- We offer a variety of activities suited to unique needs and interests.
- Activity staff will help determine your social and activity preferences.

Staffing

- Staff is available 24/7 to answer questions regarding the care of your loved-one.