THE BELKNAP COUNTY NURSING HOME has provided service to the people throughout the



Lakes Region since 1835. The Nursing Home is a 94-bed, healthcare facility offering skilled and long-term nursing care twenty-four hours per day seven days a week. It is our goal to ensure that quality, individualized, supportive, and rehabilitative care is available to the residents of Belknap County. We strive to promote and enhance quality of life by providing a safe, caring, homelike

environment while promoting respect and individual choice.

Belknap County Nursing Home's mission is to care for our residents as ourselves, with compassion, dignity, and respect. We achieve this through our experienced, competent, and caring staff. Our staff includes employees who render care and provide facility operations through the following divisions: Activities (including a Beautician), Administrative, Dietary, Housekeeping, Laundry, Maintenance, Nursing and Social Services. Our contracted services include: Dining Service, Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy and Speech Therapy, along with a collaborative Restorative Nursing Program. Podiatry, Dental, Vision, Pharmacy and Gero-psych services are also offered. Our Front Reception Office is open 7-days per week from 8am to 8pm.









Amenities

Belknap County Nursing Home offers private and semi-private rooms with outdoor views. Each resident has a sink/vanity area, and a wardrobe. All rooms are equipped with emergency call systems, public Wi-Fi and are cable and telephone ready. We encourage residents to individualize their rooms with personal items.

Dining

Our residents have a variety of dining experiences. We offer a spacious main dining room for

independent residents. We also offer dining in the day rooms geared toward those residents that require assistance. Residents, families, and friends are welcome to eat in our Bistro Café located off the main dining room or they may enjoy a meal privately in their rooms. All of our residents are served their choice of meals based on individual dietary needs and preferences. We have a registered dietician on staff as well as local chefs.



Common Areas

BCNH is "home" to our residents, and they are all encouraged to gather in any of the common areas. We offer a large activity room where residents enjoy participating in the activity/recreation programming. Throughout the home you will find a number of sitting areas designed for individuals, and small groups. Each wing has a day room equipped with a large screen TV, stereo system, and various activities. Residents can enjoy a moment of quiet solitude in our meditation

room or pamper themselves by

visiting our Beautician in the onsite beauty salon. Our sunroom offers a touch of sun and warmth and is a favorite resting spot for our residents. Our two outside courtyards are beautifully landscaped and provide a secure area for our residents, families, and friends to enjoy the sunshine, flowers and fresh breezes.



Recreation and Socialization

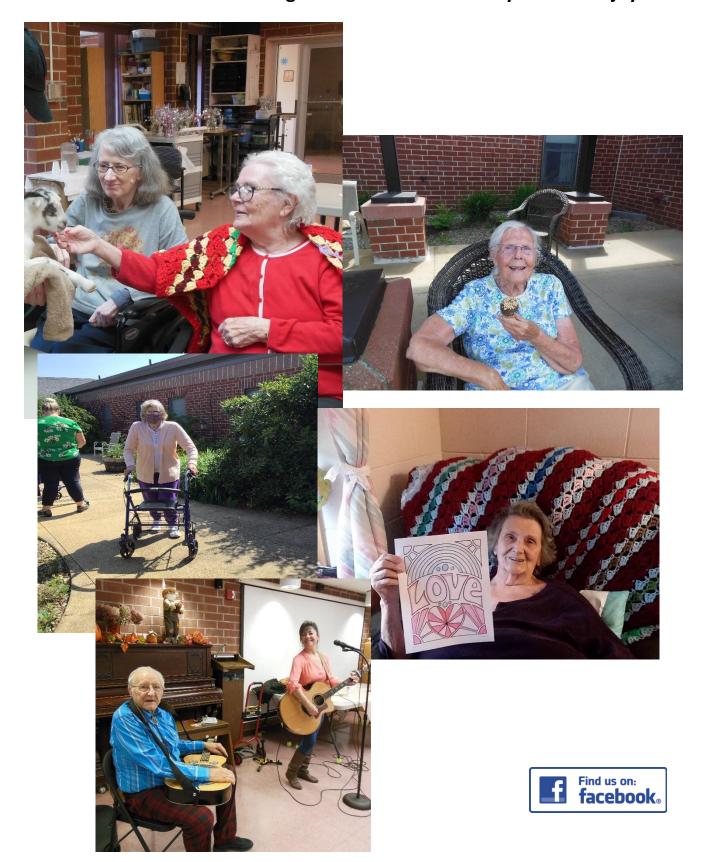
We provide an abundance of recreational and social activities to meet the needs and interests of our residents. The Resident Council is very active in the process of planning resident programs and provides monthly input. Our numerous and dedicated volunteers share their time and unique talents with the residents at the Nursing Home daily. The Family Room is another common seating area equipped with a big screen TV (including WII), puzzles, games, books, and a computer. It is great for those residents looking for a more independent environment. Our regular activity/recreational programs include exercise groups, crafts and hobbies, religious services, pet therapy, children visits, current events, musical entertainment, bingo and trivia games, an IN2L mobile computer system, baking, movies and individualized programming. Special events and outings are also part of our programming and include activities such as birthday parties, themed events, an annual Craft Fair, picnics, shopping, and opportunities to dine out.





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There is something here at BCNH that everyone can enjoy!



For more information, please contact the Director of Social Services (603) 527-5410 ext. 1223