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PORTAGE COUNTY HEALTH CARE CENTER

PRESS RELEASE

Portage County Health Care Center

Continues Comfortable Operations

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In the face of the extreme adversity that our national health care system is facing during this time of COVID-19, our Portage County Health Care Center proudly continues to provide skilled nursing care and rehabilitation services to our Portage County and Central Wisconsin community. Nursing Home Administrator, Marcia McDonald was pleased to share that "A positive team approach has supported a very upbeat, internal lifestyle for residents and co-workers". In the face of extensive infection control processes, restricted family visitation and 'Safer at Home' order, McDonald commends every team member for the exuberance, diligence and ethically committed attitude reflected in ALL service.

Portage County Health Care Center proudly displays a banner of excellence on their property. The banner proudly congratulates the team for remaining "Five Star" in the CMS rating system. To ensure continued compliance with all resident rights, dignity, safety and strict infection control procedures, McDonald announced that April 13, 2020 the Health Care Center will be protectively surrounded by fencing to support compliance with all aspects of regulatory compliance associated with the important rights of the fragile population we serve. Director of Nursing, Tamie Perez noted that "Regulatory compliance and excellence in service is our team's commitment to everyone we serve". She further commented that "Achieving and maintaining the high honor reflected in achieving the 5 Star rating is a very motivating element during these challenging times". McDonald further commented that "The 5 Star rating in the area of compliance is almost unheard of in the highly regulated world of skilled health care. Our team is second to none!"

Located at 825 Whiting Avenue, Stevens Point, WI, Portage County Health Care Center is well-known for their strong rehabilitation services. McDonald can be contacted at: mcdonama@co.portage.wi.us for further information on the skilled nursing services that the Health Care Center specializes in.