



## Affordable Assisted Living



*Let the dollars make sense!*

Your loved one worked too hard to see their life savings go to a nursing home! That doesn't make any sense. Laurel Canyon Retirement Community offers affordable Assisted Living. We are the new residential alternative to a nursing home. Let us show you why Laurel Canyon will meet and exceed your expectations of what assisted living is and can be.

*Since 1968 . . .*

Laurel Canyon has been providing quality care for residents who require assistance with the activities of daily living. Located in the heart of Valley Village; in San Fernando Valley. Residents enjoy the freedom of independence with the comfort of knowing assistance is just a second away. Laurel Canyon is a community of individuals with unique backgrounds and histories. Residents find all the delightful and interesting company they want. Just minutes away from Universal City Walk, there is always something to do. Outdoor excursions throughout the valley; or you can just find yourself a quiet spot to relax.

*Independence . . .*

of the individual resident is emphasized . . . while at the same time providing as much assistance as needed to keep healthy and active. Activities which encourage continued social functioning are emphasized. Personal Care is approached from the standpoint of helping residents hold on to their independence for as long as possible.

## Lifestyle Options

**Independent Living** . . . . . Now you can both be happier. Mom/Dad get the care and freedom they need without feeling like a burden on the children. The Children get to raise their kids without the fear of something happening to Mom/Dad. A win-win situation for all!

**Supportive Care** . . . is what we call our ambulation, eating, or medication supervision. Supportive care is appropriate when the body requires a little help to remain nourished and active.

**Vacation Plan for Home Caregivers** . . . is what we call our respite care program. It's when caregivers go on vacation and leave the caring to us. We have the staff, the accommodations and the services to make Mom's/Dad's stay enjoyable and meaningful.

**Our goal** . . . is to support the independence of the person while providing as much assistance as needed to keep them healthy.

**Ancillary Services** . . .

offered include home health nursing, Rehabilitation, Pharmacy, medical laboratory, X-rays, and hospice, psychological services, etc. At our weekly Case Management Meeting we assess residents' needs and coordinate care. Assisted Living Program. It's for when the time comes that Mom/Dad requires assistance with one or more of the following: bathing, dressing, grooming, toileting,

## Eight Levels Of Care

### **Level 1 - Independent Living**

Resident requires no personal care

### **Level 2 - Medication Management**

Resident requires control of medication.

### **Level 3 - Personal Care Management**

Resident requires assistance with the activities of daily living.

### **Level 4- Incontinence Management**

Resident requires assistance with bladder and/or bowl incontinence.

### **Level 5 - Hospice**

Resident is terminally ill and under the auspices of a licensed hospice agency.

### **Level 6 - Memory Impairment Care**

Resident requires monitoring due to issues with Memory Impairment such as wandering and confusion.

### **Level 7 - Ambulation Management**

Resident requests 1 on 1 ambulation four times a week.

### **Level 8 - Companion Care**

One-on-One personal care and supervision.