



Bon Secours New York Health System is a member of the nationwide Bon Secours Health System, Inc.

We are proud to provide a continuum of care to elderly and disabled persons in our full-service geriatric campus overlooking the majestic Hudson River in Riverdale, New York.

Please call and schedule a tour of the Bon Secours New York/Schervier campus so you can see our beautiful environment and the compassionate care we provide.

Schervier Nursing Care Center provides service to all regardless of race, gender, religion, national origin, sexual preference or disability.

SCHERVIER CENTER FOR ALZHEIMER'S & DEMENTIA CARE



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the spirit!*



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Maintaining Personhood

Five million people in the U. S. now suffer from dementia, according to the Alzheimer's Association, which says that by 2050, the number of people affected is expected to reach 16 million. Alzheimer's disease is the most common form of dementia, a group of conditions that gradually destroy brain cells and lead to loss of mental processing ability, communication, abstract thinking, judgment and physical abilities.

Special care for people with dementia and Alzheimer's disease can improve their lives and their family's peace of mind.

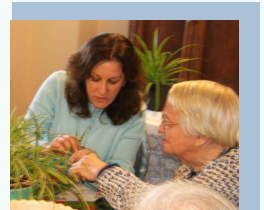


Our Philosophy is that "There is still a person in there."

At the Schervier Center for Alzheimer's and Dementia Care, we make life better for these residents by helping them maintain their 'personhood' as their condition progresses.

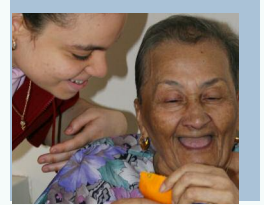
Residents Receive Skilled Nursing Care:

The Schervier Center for Alzheimer's and Dementia Care is on a secure floor with dedicated, consistent staff trained in dementia care. Our interdisciplinary staff includes Nursing, Social Services, Pastoral Care, Dietary, Recreation and Housekeeping.



Therapeutic Recreation:

Recreational activities promote socialization and enhance emotional and physical functioning. These activities help restore a sense of control, provide solace and raise self-esteem. They also increase feelings of peace, dignity, connection and joy.



THE PRINCIPLES OF DEMENTIA CARE:

- ❖ Each person is an individual
- ❖ We care for the whole person — body, mind and spirit
- ❖ The foundation of care is relationship building
- ❖ Our care focuses on residents' strengths to give them a sense of purpose
- ❖ Our care focuses on enhancing the residents' creativity, ability and insight
- ❖ We understand that 'problem behaviors' are attempts to communicate, and our job is to understand the meaning behind the behavior
- ❖ We enable, empower, and create opportunities for residents' success
- ❖ Caregivers' feelings do influence our work with residents
- ❖ We use empathy and understanding to minimize differences
- ❖ Our specialized staff are a critical resource: We nurture and support them as partners

Creative Arts and Music	Dance and Movement
Horticulture	Inspirational Music
Discussion Groups	Arts and Crafts
Pet Therapy	Aromatherapy
Story Telling & Creative Writing	Sundowning Program
Massage	Yoga



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