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# SENIORS AT HOME, LLC



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# New Name, Same Family Company

#### A MESSAGE FROM RICHARD BLECKER — PRESIDENT

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Let me start by wishing all our wonderful clients and caregivers a happy, healthy and safe New Year. This year we have some very exciting changes taking place. To begin, we have changed the name of our family

company from Seniors At Home to Seniors In Place.

When we started Seniors At Home we cared primarily for people who lived in their homes. Today, we care for people who live in many places, including: assisted living facilities, independent living communities, rehabs, and of course private residences. Our new name, Seniors In Place, better identifies who we service.

We exclusively own the name Seniors In Place. It is our Registered Trademark and our website is now SeniorsInPlace.com.

Seniors In Place is simply a new name for the same great service, by the same family company you have grown to trust.

We are also very excited to have Barbara Skinner, RN join our family. Barbara

(read her article on page 2), will assess, plan and oversee those clients that need more personal care. Barbara has over 25 years experience in pain management, education, surgical, clinical, and primary nursing. She has served on committees for patient care, policy and classification. Barbara is a very special, warm person and we are very fortunate to have her on our team.

As our company has grown and as the senior population has increased we recognize the need for more certified caregivers. We are in the process of internally creating a school to certify caregivers interested in furthering their careers in a manner that is both affordable and accessible.

Thank you for your support, belief, hard work and faith in our family. We look forward to working with everyone in 2011.

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#### Mission Statement:

Seniors In Place mission is to provide our aging population with the very best companion and personal care at the very best value; provide employment opportunities for people who genuinely care about the well-being of others; and, in the truest sense of the term be "A Family Company That Cares For You".

# A LETTER FROM BARBARA SKINNER R.N. SUPERVISOR



Happy New Year! What a way to kick off the New Year by starting a new venture in my career with a company that is built on character and integrity. The history of this business and this family is remarkable. They have taken their personal experience with caring for someone dear to them, and have given back to the community a service that provides care and support for families that need quality attention.

My name is Barbara Skinner and I have been hired as the Nursing Supervisor for Seniors In Place to train and support our caregivers, assess the needs of our clients and the needs of their families, and be a resource to anyone involved in Senior In Place. It is very exciting and rewarding to be part of someone's life when you can make a difference in the way in which they spend their days at home, when a helping hand becomes a lifeline.

I am eager to meet all of the caregivers, clients, families, facility staff, etc... that have been involved with Seniors At Home and create a positive impact on Home Care in the New Year.

# Barbara



# Sheila L. ~Employee Of The Month~



Employee of the Month
Sheila L.

Sheila has been working for Seniors At Home for the last two years. Please read the testimonial below and you will understand why everyone loves her. She is tactful, responsible, well qualified and as Edward R. states: "Sheila is a gem." I congratulate Sheila for being our first employee of the month for the New Year.



Sheila L. accepting the award and the \$100 gift card from: Richard Blecker

#### **Testimonial**

Sheila L. is a gem.

The other day I asked my wife what she liked the most about Sheila. She said, "She is not pushy," my wife can be vey stubborn at times as she likes to do things at her own pace. Sheila recognizes this and will wait a short time and make the request again and she usually receive a favorable response as my wife can be very cooperative when she wants to be.

When your caregiver, Sheila, is at our home she tends to my wife and our household. I make it a point to rely on her to do a good job and act responsible. I might make a suggestion now and then or point out some procedures that my wife is familiar with in order to enhance her cooperation. Sheila is well qualified for this type of work based upon her previous nursing training, received in England and her previous employment at a nursing home. When she is here, I have a chance to run errands., pay bills, etc., and I don't have to worry about my wife as she is in good hands.

As I said before, Sheila is a gem.

Sincerely, Edward R.



#### **How To Become and Nominate Employee of the Month**

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So many of our caregivers are worthy of becoming Employee of the Month. Many their picture displayed in our office. of you have been with Seniors In Place, LLC for years and have done an outstanding job. We have begun this program to honor employees who go above and beyond the call of duty. Only one employee can be Employee of the Month and we will select someone every month who distinguishes themselves with outstanding service. The Employee of the Month will receive a \$100 America Express Gift Card, Employee of the Month Certificate, will be featured in our monthly

Do you have a caregiver that goes above and beyond the call of duty? If so, we would like to hear your story. Feel free to send your story about how your Seniors In Place caregiver positively affected your life. Please mail letters to 2424 Morris Ave Union, NJ 07083 or

Email nominate@seniorsathome.net



## **Time Reporting**



A friendly reminder that your hours need to be called in **each** Monday by **11 a.m.** This ensures that we can update our payroll records and pay everyone on each scheduled pay date.

If you do not call in your time by the requested deadline, there is the possibility that you will not

get paid on the scheduled pay date. You may have to wait until the following pay period.

Prompt attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.



## **Important Date Reminders**



January 1 New Year's Day January 17 Martin Luther King, Jr's Day