



Bronx

- Beth Abraham Health Services ♦
- Bronx Center for Rehab & HC ♦ +
- Concourse Rehab & NC +
- DOJ Health Services ♦ + (vents)
- Fieldston Lodge Care Center
- Kings Harbor Multicare Center ♦ +
- Laconia Nursing Home +
- Morris Park Nursing Home +
- Regeis Care Center +
- Williamsbridge Manor NH ♦

Brooklyn

- Brooklyn Center for Rehab & Resid. HC
- Brooklyn-Queens NH
- Caton Park NH +
- CNR Healthcare Network
- Haym Salomon Home +
- Marcus Garvey NH
- Ruby Weston Manor

Manhattan

- Bialystoker Center
- DeWitt Rehabilitation & Nursing Center
- Greater Harlem Nursing Home +

Nassau

- Belair Care Center +
- Central Island Healthcare +
- East Rockaway Progressive CC ♦ +
- Glen Cove Center for Nursing & Rehab +
- Hempstead Park NH ♦ +
- Marquis Care Center
- South Shore Healthcare +
- Sunharbor Manor +
- Woodbury Center for HC +

Queens

- Bezalel Nursing Home +
- Elmhurst Care Center
- Haven Manor HCC
- Highland Care Center
- Holliswood Care Center ♦ +
- Horizon Care Center
- Little Neck Nursing Home +
- Long Island Care Center +
- Margaret Tietz Nsg & Rehab Ctr.
- New York Ctr for Rehab ♦
- Queens Ctr for Rehab
- Rockaway Care Center +

Staten Island

- Staten Island Care Center ♦ +

Suffolk

- APEX Rehab and CC
- Nesconset Nursing Center +
- St. Johnland Nursing Center (TBI) +
- Westhampton Care Center

Westchester

- Cortlandt Healthcare ♦ +
- Dumont Masonic Home
- N. Westchester Rest. Therapy & NC
- Regency Extended CC ♦ +
- Schnurmacher Ctr for Rehab & Nsg ♦
- Sutton Park Ctr for Nsg & Rehab.

Legend:

- Blue—Ventilator
- Red—Onsite Hemodialysis
- ♦ - Bariatric Beds
- + Infusion

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The New York Health Care Alliance is a network of 52 post acute health care facilities providing a continuum of high quality care for patients who need sub-acute care and rehabilitation.

The Direct Link is a patient placement service which provides **Case Managers** and **Discharge Planners** with expert support and direct access to over 12,000 skilled nursing, sub-acute and rehabilitation beds. NYHCA members are contracted with all major health plans.

The patient placement service provided by the **New York Health Care Alliance** can be accessed by calling: **877-446-9422**. **PRI's can be faxed to 212-968-7710, ATT: Laura Gargano.**



Dumont Masonic Home

Celebrates

Older Americans Month

Dumont activity staff member, Momsella Rodney leads line dancing with Dumont resident Pamela Lassiter and Dumont family member, Joanne Laietta

On May 29, 2008, **Dumont Masonic Home**, a 196-bed skilled nursing facility in New Rochelle, NY capped a month long celebration for Older Americans Month with their "Make Believe Ballroom", featuring Dueces Wild Entertainment. The large dining area looking out over Long Island Sound was turned into a festive ballroom with balloons and streamers. The residents were eagerly preparing for the celebration while dressed in their finest evening attire. Looking around at the sequined gowns for the ladies and the carefully crafted look for the gentlemen, one might have thought they were at the Red Carpet for an exclusive premier opening.

Everyone was excited as the familiar music and songs filled the air and brought the dancers to their feet. It was impossible not to become swept into the festivity with a variety of old and familiar songs such as Let Me Call You Sweetheart, Crazy For Feeling so Lonely and You Made Me Love You along with classic rock n roll favorites, such as Johnny Be Good and Old Time Rock n Roll.

Ernestine Gaut, a resident of **Dumont Masonic Home** said "these are the songs we've enjoyed in our lifetime. "Carol Davis, another resident, said, "this is awesome, beautiful!"

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DUMONT MASONIC HOME (cont'd)

Lynn Cohen, Director of Activities at **Dumont Masonic Home**, spearheaded the event with entertainment, fabulous decorations and plenty of good food. Judy Fenster, Administrator of **Dumont Masonic Home** welcomed all attendees and talked about the importance of Older Americans Month and the valuable contributions seniors make to our society.

The month's activities, best characterized as "spirited" by Ms. Fenster, began with participation in the Golden Olympics at the Westchester County Center on May 7. There, the **Dumont** residents earned six medals for achievements in walking races, bowling and horseshoe throw. In addition, there was Trivia Day, complete with hourly trivia questions over the PA system and prizes, a Mother's Day Party with live entertainment and refreshments, Balloon-a-Gram Day (sending notes of appreciation to those whose special efforts have made a difference) and a special Memorial Day Concert.

The month of May, as Older Americans Month, is a great time to bring attention to the issues that affect older adults. This year's theme is "Working Together for Strong, Healthy, and Supportive Communities," which speaks to the opportunities which can create better care and reinforce healthier societies for all ages.

Communities benefit in many ways from a larger population of older adults, a group that constitutes a great natural resource. Older adults support society by providing millions of hours of volunteer, community, and civic service through formal organizations and a variety of informal arrangements. They enhance communities and personal lives by sharing and transferring knowledge of cultures, values, and life experiences among generations. Thankfully, the contributions of older adults will continue to flourish in the coming years, since older citizens of today and tomorrow promise to be among the most active and engaged older adult populations in the Nation's history.



New York Health Care Alliance would like to congratulate **DeWitt Rehabilitation and Nursing Center**, a 499-bed skilled nursing facility in New York City, for receiving a perfect survey on the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations.

Clari Gilbert appointed Examiner for 2008 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award

Tuesday, May 20, 2008

Clari Gilbert, Vice President of Operations at **Beth Abraham Family of Health Services**, located in Bronx, NY, has been appointed by Dr. James M. Turner, Acting Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), to the 2008 Board of Examiners for the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award. The Award, created by public law in 1987, is the highest level of national recognition for performance excellence that a U.S. organization can receive.

As an examiner, Ms. Gilbert is responsible for reviewing and evaluating applications submitted for the Award. The board is composed of approximately 500 leading experts selected from industry, professional and trade organizations, education and health care organizations and government.

Those selected meet the highest standards of qualification and peer recognition. All members of the board must take part in a preparation course based on the Baldrige Criteria for Performance Excellence and the scoring and evaluation processes for the Baldrige Award.

Awards may be given annually in each of six categories: Manufacturing, Service, Small Business, Education, Health Care, and Non-profit. Awards have been presented to 74 organizations, including the (2007) Award recipients: PRO-TEC Coating Co., Mercy Health System, Sharp HealthCare, City of Coral Springs, and U.S. Army Armament Research, Development and Engineering Center (ARDEC).

Information about the Baldrige National Quality Program can be found at <http://www.baldrige.nist.gov>.

Beth Abraham Family of Health Services is a national leader in providing and coordinating home and community-based long term care for the frail elderly, chronically ill and disabled adults throughout the metropolitan New York area. The network's continuing care services include residential health care, sub-acute medical care and rehabilitation, home care, HIV/AIDS home care, managed care plans, adult day health care and independent housing facilities for the elderly and disabled. For more information, visit www.bethabe.org.