



***Avamere Family of Companies Acquires an Established Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in the Salem Area – Avamere Transitional Care at Sunnyside***

Wilsonville, OR – June 2, 2014 – The Avamere Family of Companies, a leader of senior living options and healthcare services throughout Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Colorado, is proud to expand its continuum of care in the Salem, OR area through the acquisition of an established long-term care and short-stay nursing and rehabilitation center – Avamere Transitional Care at Sunnyside.

“The acquisition of Avamere Transitional Care at Sunnyside reinforces our commitment to provide the people of Marion and Polk counties with comprehensive healthcare services that promote faster recovery after an illness or injury,” says Matthew Hilty, Vice President of Operations President of Avamere Living.

The transitional care center (conveniently located north of Kuebler Boulevard in South Salem, near the I-5 exit) joins an already strong network of senior living and healthcare centers operated by the Avamere companies in the Salem area. Patients at Avamere Transitional Care at Sunnyside will be able to utilize the benefits of Signature CareConnect – a network of affiliated healthcare professionals united by the common goal of providing seamless care and support.

Signature CareConnect is designed to reduce the stress of transitioning between care settings, enhance collaboration between care staff for positive patient outcomes and reduce the risk of re-hospitalization, and improve overall patient satisfaction.

“Through proactive, conscientious and professional attention, our goal is for you or loved ones to experience comfortable and compassionate long-term care,” says Martha Jenness, Administrator for Avamere Transitional Care at Sunnyside. “Through our mission to enhance the life of every person we serve our clinical and support staff will also work to return our patients to a level of independence.”

To learn more about Avamere Transitional Care at Sunnyside, please visit [www.avamereatsunnyside.com](http://www.avamereatsunnyside.com).

**About the Avamere Family of Companies**

Founded in 1995 and based in Wilsonville, OR, the Avamere Family of Companies began as a single nursing facility in Hillsboro, OR. Today, the Avamere Family is comprised of 41 Independent Living, Assisted Living, and Skilled Nursing facilities, over 6,000 employees, and multiple ancillary healthcare companies that provide services including inpatient and outpatient rehabilitation, home care, home health, and hospice.

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