

The Greens

Lima Convalescent Home

Lochhaven Apartments

Fall, 2020

*A Full Continuum
of Senior Care
Conveniently
Located on
One Campus.*



Our Lima Convalescent Home Campus



The Greens on our North Campus

From Our Director....

Dear Family and Friends,

When the doors of Lima Convalescent Home, The Greens, and Lochhaven closed on March 13, 2020 and we could no longer have family and friends come inside to visit my heart sank. I was sad for the residents and hoped that we would have the doors open again in just a few weeks. It has lasted much longer than I first anticipated, and it was 7 months before we could open the doors for visitors to come inside.

It is with gratefulness that I can report we have had 7 months of an almost COVID-free environment. Thank you to all of you who have said prayers for us! We have been so blessed! Thank you for cooperating with the many rules about social distancing, masks, and outside visits with your family members.

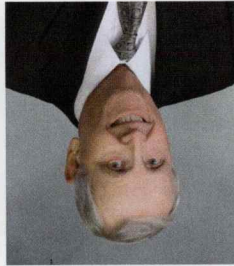
The staff at Lima Convalescent Home, The Greens, and Lochhaven have been phenomenal. They have taken their duties seriously and have been doing extra work to prevent the spread of COVID-19 to the elders and each other. They have consistently worn their masks and I think this made a huge difference. The staff have been tested for COVID-19 about 10 times and we have completed approximately 1,300 COVID-19 tests on staff over the past 7 months. Staff had only 5 positive test results. The elders have fared even better and we had only one elder's test count as positive.

Again, I appreciate the great help that all of you have been throughout this time. SO many have provided encouragement and even gifts for elders/staff throughout this time!!! Thank you!!

As you may know we are making some improvements to the Lima Convalescent Home building. Modeling after our Green Houses, we are adding a living/dining spaces and more full bathrooms, and updating the walls, floors, ceilings, lighting and brightening up some of the areas. I really look forward to 2021 and hope that the construction changes and the update to the facilities along with relief from fears of a pandemic will make it a fantastic year. Thanks for all you do to make this a HOME, and a great place to live and work!!

Joy Reichenbach

Joy Reichenbach
Executive Director
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Our New Board President
At our January Board meeting, Warner Kugler was elected President of the LCH Board of Trustees and will serve a term of 3 years. The Board oversees the business of The LCH Foundation which includes, Lima Convalescent Home, Lochhaven Assisted Living and The Greens at LCH/ Apartments .

Our LCH Foundation Board of Trustees

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We are proud to be a non-profit facility.

A Daughter's Personal Story

"Passing of the Torch" by Leslie Rigali

I remember my Mom saving those cardboard sheets that came tucked in my Dad's shirts when they returned from the dry cleaners. She would use them for a myriad of craft projects for us kids. I was only 4 or 5 years old when she cut the cardboard into the shape of a shoe, put holes in it and then threaded a shoestring through so I could learn to tie my shoes. I remember quiet cuddling before my nap after I returned from kindergarten each day. And I am still in awe of the love and care she gave every one of her children, even though there were nine of us. Sweet, sweet memories, much admiration and appreciation as well as a very real desire to "give back" shaped and directed our decision to find the perfect home as she aged. The torch had passed and it was our turn to be the caretakers.



Mrs. Rigali surrounded by her family.

Always fiercely independent, Mom wanted her own place. That brought us to Lochhaven and the Lima Convalescent Home campus. We were immediately impressed with the comprehensive level of services, from independent living to a full-skilled nursing care, and the outstanding, compassionate staff. Lochhaven was a perfect fit. The spacious apartment, daily dinners and the opportunity to interact with other residents were a blessing for Mom.



Leslie with her Mother.

As Mom needed some additional help, Assisted Living was a simple move in the same building just to an apartment on the upper floor of Lochhaven called The Court. Again, the staff was outstanding. They were as kind and attentive as her own children might be.

The final move came in February when the beautiful Greens Homes were added to the campus. Offering full-skilled nursing care in a beautiful home setting, the Greens offer the ultimate comfort, care and attention. The small number of residents, who are able to gather around a dinner table like a family for meals, adds to the home atmosphere. There is such peace of mind knowing that Mom is living in a wonderful home setting, with a caring, professional staff who work so hard every day to make sure she is comfortable. Mom is very happy; and, that is testament to the beautiful home and those who care for her each day.

The Greens, a Testimonial...

"The food at The Greens has been AMAZING not to mention the entire facility and staff. Our loved one is eating so much better! We love The Greens."

(Kerry Greene Adams)

A Continuum of Care....Independent Living to Skilled Care

Over the past 62 years we have successfully evolved into a complete continuum of care facility providing all levels of senior care on one campus. Lima Convalescent Home opened in 1958 as the first nursing home in the area. In 1984, Lochhaven opened making it possible for elders to have their own apartment with the security, care and privacy they wanted. Just a year ago with the desire for less institutional, family style of living called The Greens completed our campus.

Lima Convalescent Home

Lima Convalescent Home is a 56 bed skilled care facility located on Allentown Road. We opened in 1958 as the first nursing home in the Lima area and remain a non profit, community supported corporation. Our staff is highly trained to provide skilled care for the elderly and chronically ill. Our mission is to care for elders with specialized needs. Our LCH Legacy building also includes a dedicated Memory Care Unit, a highly regarded Rehab Wing and Therapy Department.

Because the unique style of living at The Greens has been so successful, we chose to bring that same culture of "home style" living to our Lima Convalescent Home Legacy Building. Currently our LCH west wing is undergoing major changes and updates. An addition is currently under construction that will include a beautiful hearth room with a fireplace, kitchen area, and comfortable space to spend time. More private rooms with baths, and space for dining and family time make Lima Convalescent Home a premier skilled care nursing home.

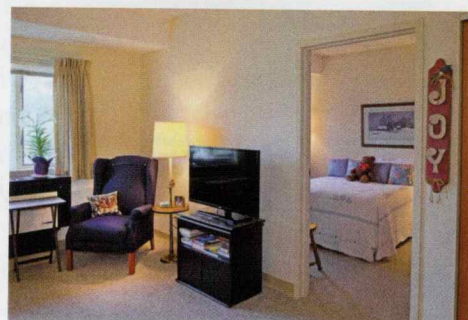


The Greens

The Greens at LCH is also for those requiring skilled care. Completed a year ago, The Greens sits on the North side of our campus. Each home includes 12 stunning private rooms and baths, large kitchen, hearth room and gathering space. Elders choosing The Greens for skilled care enjoy the family style living and the opportunity to make choices about their daily lives.

Lochhaven Apartments

Lochhaven is a great intermediate step for seniors allowing them to maintain their independence, knowing help is available when needed. Our Lochhaven building is secure and staffed at all times and an emergency response system provides added piece of mind. Lochhaven features 1 and 2 bedroom attractive apartments, beautifully decorated, with separate bedroom and bath. Many common areas to meet with friends and family make Lochhaven a good place to call home. **The Court** on the 3rd floor provides the extra care sometimes needed when assisted living is not enough but an apartment is still desired.



Meet Ann Miller, Our Lochhaven Wellness Coordinator

Ann Miller grew up close by in Ada, Ohio. She attended Ada schools, elementary through high school. Following high school she continued her education at Apollo becoming a nursing assistant. In 1992 Ann came to work at Lima Convalescent Home as an STNA and worked in that position for the next 2 years. She made the decision to further her education and returned to Apollo to become an LPN.



Her career took her to another nursing facility where she worked as the Wellness Coordinator for 3 years. We are grateful that Ann made the decision to return to Lochhaven Apartments where she is now the Director.

When you meet Ann, it is easy to see that she loves her work. She is always ready to talk about what a wonderful place Lochhaven is. Residents are like family to her and she loves spending time with them. Ann assures residents and their families that Lochhaven has a level of care that is provided by a remarkable and well trained staff. Help is always there when needed and the lifestyle is the best. Each resident has their own complete apartment in a well secured, beautiful building. "No more mowing the lawn or shoveling snow, just enjoying life."

Ann and her staff are eager to return to life after Covid when "we can take our residents out for meals, shopping, day trips and all the things they love to do. Meanwhile, we will continue with great activities and keeping our residents safe."

Ann's wonderful family includes husband Gary, 2 sons, 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Ann and Gary celebrated their 46th wedding anniversary this year. Congratulations and thank you Ann for all you do to make our Lochhaven residents feel so at home.

A Lochhaven Testimonial...

"Having Mom at Lochhaven is such a relief and comfort for both her and our family. We know she is getting loving care by the nursing staff. She enjoys being able to watch Mass via live streaming during these quarantine times and she is able to get the social interaction with her peers that she absolutely needs. Mom has been at LH for over a year and both she and I are very happy with the choice she made." (Barb Flynn)

A story of giving from one of our generous donors....

"Last year I chose to make my year end gifts using a QCD. It was so easy and convenient I recommend it. Let me explain. A QCD is a Qualified Charitable Distribution which is a direct transfer of funds from your IRA. When you reach the age of 70 and a half you are required to withdraw funds from your IRA. When you direct these funds to charity, a QCD excludes the amount donated from taxable income. My financial advisor explained that keeping my taxable income lower could reduce the impact to certain tax credits and deductions. This turned out to be an excellent way to make a gift to The Lima Convalescent Home Foundation and one I will repeat."

Call your financial advisor. The LCH Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.

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This addition to our west wing is well underway. It will include a hearth room, private rooms and baths allowing us to bring the culture of The Greens to our legacy building. We expect it to be complete in the spring of 2021 thanks to your generosity!

Consider a Memorial Gift to LCHF.....

Please consider a gift to The Lima Convalescent Home Foundation in memory or in honor of a loved one. Because we are a **non-profit organization**, we depend on the gifts we receive from generous contributors. Your gift will benefit the quality of life for all of our residents and allow us to continue our tradition of excellent care. Please call our foundation office for ways to give. 419-224-9741 Ext. 111 or email foundation.limach@wcoil.com. The Lima Convalescent Home Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)3 entity and every gift is tax deductible to the fullest extent provided by law.

Gifts can be made online at limaconvalescenthome.com. Thank you for your thoughtfulness!

Thank you for your generosity....

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In Sympathy

Reverend Doug Adams passed away on March 10, 2020. Doug had just recently joined our Board of Trustees and we sadly lost him way too soon. Doug is survived by his wife Linda and daughter Jennifer.

Ralph Ellis passed away June 23, 2020. Ralph was a valued member of our Lima Convalescent Home Board of Trustees also serving with distinction as President of the Board. Ralph is survived by his wife Nancy, sons Kleet and Cole and daughter Molly along with 7 grandchildren.

Many thanks to Ralph Ellis and Reverend Doug Adams for the wonderful gift of their time and talent to The LCH Foundation. May they rest in peace.

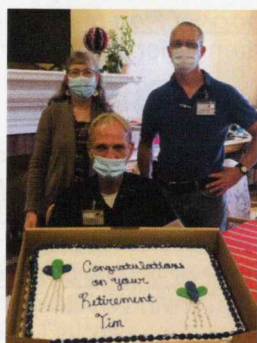


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Tim Reed our Asst. Maintenance Director recently retired after 20 years. Honored for their years of service, Bev Johnson, 40 Years, Pam Burnett, 36 Years and Teresa McConnell 35 Years. Thank you Tim, Bev, Pam and Teresa for your dedication!

We Greatly Appreciate & Value Our Employees

We have an amazing and dedicated staff at Lima Convalescent Home, Lochhaven Apartments and The Greens, each and every one is a HERO!

This year we honored our staff at a picnic luncheon in June where we could be safely distanced to enjoy a beautiful day!

These employees were honored for their years of service.

Beverly Johnson,		Rebecca Morris LH Office	
Housekeeping	40 Years	Manager	20 Years
Teresa McConnell, Director		Sharayah Haithcox, RN	10 Years
The Greens	35 Years	Rhokia Knight, STNA	10 Years
Lisa Mull, STNA	30 Years	Tashee Curtis, Attendant	5 Years
Christina Ketcham,		Shaquala Hollman, STNA	5 Years
Transportation	25 Years	Sally Sharik, RN	5 Years
Deborah Owsley, Attendant	25 Years	Anna Steinke, Laundry	5 Years
		Miranda Wheeler, LPN	5 Years

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