

To Whom It May Concern,

In the world of medicine and rehabilitative care, commitment is perhaps the greatest catalyst for change. It is with that vein of a deep seated commitment that we vowed to turn *Wanaque Center for Nursing and Rehabilitation* into a place of innovation, healing and wellness initiatives for its patients and communities.

As of August 2019, *Wanaque Center* has been acquired by our group, with drastic and welcome changes being implemented prior to its re-establishment as *The Phoenix Center for Rehabilitation and Pediatrics* in 2020.

The world as we know it has changed, right around the same time that the facility you knew has changed for the better. While much has been on pause as the nation and world at large battled the Covid reality, we've been hard at work forming a brand new team, establishing a prominent medical advisory board, and purchasing state of the art vent equipment to align with our vision for impactful change throughout what has become a leading 227 bed skilled nursing facility in Haskell, NJ.

Part of our plans included the extensive emphasis on ambience for patients and their families, where a design scheme was rolled out for our acclaimed pediatric vent unit. A full color aquatic theme was designed, along with state of the art vent systems and vent alarm technology, where we've been the very first facility in the state of NJ to purchase a system of its kind.

At The Phoenix Center, positive change is making an everlasting impact for the children, seniors and family members frequenting our facility. Our new peritoneal dialysis program, led by Dr. Kenneth Lieberman, Chief of Pediatric Nephrology at Hackensack University Medical Center, is primed for an epic launch, with advanced technology to diagnose, treat and manage a plethora of kidney and urinary tract disorders.

Every child facing debilitating health issues, from birth to 21 years of age, has a special place at The Phoenix Center, where we set new standards of patient care and new records of patient progress every day. In addition to the medical progress we've made, we've been influencing change by the droves with our fully staffed educational center, recreational program, and well-received Refuah program for Jewish patients and their family members. We've made a commitment to expand the program as we accommodate a diverse array of communities and their unique needs.

It is with much gratitude to our team members and residing physicians, that we formally announce the progress at *The Phoenix Center*. With much emphasis being placed on the coronavirus health and safety measures, there hasn't been much time to introduce our progress and applaud the way our facility has successfully morphed into a leading SNF in the region.

Today, we're more equipped than ever to fill the medical, social, educational and rehabilitative needs of our evergrowing patient base, where compassion and quality of care take center stage. With a dynamic vision and competitive mission to redefine the parameters of care, we look forward to introducing your patients to our unwavering commitment.

It is the language of care and the dialect of compassion that drives us forward every day,

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