Compassionate care is provided in our family setting.

To schedule a tour of the Alterncare unit please call (219) 866-5141.

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LICENSED RESIDENTIAL UNIT



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LONG TERM AND SHORT TERM STAYS AVAILABLE

Franciscan Health Rensselaer's Alternacare has 21 beds and provides care for nonacute patients to supervision of geriatric patients with short-term and long-term stays available. The unit is located within the hospital and has immediate access to services such as emergency services, speciality physicians, lab and imaging services.

Private and semi-private rooms are available with private bathrooms and a whirlpool tub for bathing. The spacious private rooms allow for personalization and decoration.

Nursing services are provided 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Residents are cared for by registered nurses, licensed practical nurses and nursing staff with specialized training in long term care.

Physician oversight for residents is offered by Franciscan Health Rensselaer. Residents also have the option to continue care with their choice of physician.

Recreational activities are provided. Visitation and services by clergy of all faiths are encouraged to fulfill the spiritual needs of residents.

TREATMENT CARE INCLUDES

- Rehabilitation services
 - Speech, occupational and physical therapy
- Respiratory therapy
- Imaging services
- Dietary services for therapeutic diets

Treatment care plans are individualized and reviewed with residents and their families on a regular basis.

PRIVATE PAY UNIT

Alternacare is a private pay unit which includes all meals, laundry, wall oxygen, cable television, local phone service and housekeeping services. A beautician is available weekly for an additional fee. Items not included in this rate are medications, incontinent products, Wanderguard and other personal items.

Dose packaged medications are provided by specialized long-term care pharmacy. The pharmacy provides medication reviews by licensed pharmacist, and the packaging is designed to meet safety and quality measures in long-term care.

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT SERVICES AND END OF LIFE CARE

Alternacare recognizes, protects and promotes the rights of each resident. Home Care and Hospice services may be provided as residents qualify. Our team coordinates with support services of choice to provide the highest quality of life for each resident.