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Dear Sir or Madam:

Thank you for your interest in the Personal Care Unit at Mercy Center. Enclosed please find an application for Mercy Center, as well as the required Privacy Notice information and other pertinent materials.

The return of a completed application, copies of your insurance cards and the privacy notice acknowledgement will enable us to proceed with the evaluation process. After we receive these materials, you will be contacted to schedule an appointment to tour Mercy Center and to participate in our assessment process. The assessment process is necessary to ensure that we are capable of providing you with safe, appropriate care, according to your needs. The assessment process also provides you with an opportunity to ask questions.

Our base rate range is \$92.00 to \$98.00 per day, which does not include medications, medical supplies, laundry, phone, or beauty shop. Details of this are better discussed as part of the assessment.

Sincerely,

Antoinette Manley, RSM
Administrator, Mercy Center Personal Care Unit



Mercy Center Personal Care Unit Information Sheet

Rooms

- All rooms are private with a private lavatory. Showers are shared between two rooms. A tub is available.
- Residents may bring personal furniture. Available in each room is a bed, dresser, desk, desk chair, nightstand, lamp and recliner. Residents generally provide linens and decorative items. If a resident has a personal chair or recliner, it is often helpful to bring that.
- Televisions are provided for each room; and basic cable access is also provided.
- Each room has a phone with internal access and the ability to receive calls. There is a monthly fee for making local calls from the room and an additional per minute cost for long distance calls; however, there are phones in the halls from which local calls can be made at no charge.
- Hanging pictures is permitted. Maintenance will provide assistance.
- Open flames are not permitted by state law.

Services

- Nursing staff is available to assist with activities of daily living and with medications.
- A beauty salon is available five days a week.
- Laundry may be done by the staff (includes bedding) for an additional monthly charge.
- Mercy Center provides transportation to appointments and maintains contact with doctors and other healthcare providers; however, it is highly recommended that a family member be present for the appointment.
- Activities are regularly scheduled. Each resident receives a calendar monthly.
- Liturgy is available six days a week. Non-Catholic services are scheduled by the Pastoral Care department monthly.

Handbook

- A Handbook is provided to each resident upon admission, which gives more details.



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Schedule of Charges Effective January 1, 2015

Room/ Board/ Nursing Care	1st Floor: \$98.00 per day 2nd Floor: \$92.00 per day 3rd Floor: \$98.00 per day
Telephone	Voice Mail (No charge) Phone Service \$10.00 monthly fee (local calls) Long Distance Service \$ 0.10 per minute You may choose not to elect External Phone Service. You may change this election at any time. There are phones in hallways for free local calling.
Cable	No charge
Beauty Shop Services	\$12.00 Wash & Set \$17.00 Wash/Cul/Set \$15.00 Wash/Cul/Blow Dry \$35.00 Permanent \$35.00 Color \$12.00 Dry Cut \$12.00 Wash/Blow Dry
Laundry (including sheets)	\$15.00 per month
Transportation	\$10 per trip (for round trips of 20 miles or less) plus \$0.50 per additional mile
Therapy	Charges may be covered by your insurance; however, you may be responsible for a copay.
Medications	Responsibility of resident
Medical Supplies & Equipment	Responsibility of resident
Spending Money	Responsibility of resident

(Charges are subject to change with a 30 day notice.)