



MERCY CENTER

Nursing Unit, Inc.
Personal Care

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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 \$99.00 to \$107.00 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 small personal furniture. Available in each room is a bed, dresser, desk, desk chair, nightstand, lamp and recliner. Residents generally provide linens and decorative items, however the facility can provide linens if necessary. If a resident has a personal chair or recliner, it is often helpful to bring that. (no rocking chairs, please)
- Televisions are provided for each room and cable access is provided.
- Each room has a phone with internal access and the ability to receive calls. There is a monthly fee for making local and long distance calls from the room along with voice mail service. 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, nor are space heaters.

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 medical appointments for a small fee, 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, 2018

Room/ Board/ Nursing Care

1st Floor: \$109.00 per day
2nd Floor: \$101.00 per day
3rd Floor: \$109.00 per day

Telephone

Phone Service : \$25.00 monthly fee
Which includes: Local Calling, Long Distance Service in the
Continental US and Voice Mail

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	\$35.00 Color
\$17.00 Wash/Cut/Set	\$12.00 Dry Cut
\$15.00 Wash/Cut/Blow Dry	\$12.00 Wash/Blow Dry
\$35.00 Permanent	

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.)