

# Caregiving Team at Grace Senior Living of Douglasville Certified in Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Care Training

DOUGLASVILLE, Ga. (April 30, 2018) – The caregiving team at Grace Senior Living of Douglasville has been certified in an extensive Dementia and Alzheimer's training program.

The training program was designed to equip caregivers in managing several characteristics of dementia residents: diagnosis, prognosis and treatment, nutrition, activities, paranoia and communication.

“Caring for persons with Alzheimer's and dementia can be a daunting task at times. We want to provide the best possible care for both our residents and our team members. When training our team members, we teach them how to fully understand someone with Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia. Only by understanding what these residents go through each day, can our team members be fully equipped to serve our residents with the highest quality of care,” said Renita Carnes, a certified practitioner through the National Council of Certified Dementia Practitioners, who conducted the training. Carnes serves as the training coordinator for Legacy Senior Living, management company of Grace Senior Living of Douglasville.

“Our mission is to serve the greatest generation with honor, respect, faith and integrity. Our memory care residents have the opportunity to live the best quality of life with our Purposeful Day™ activities program, our state-of-the art therapy programs and compassionate team. This certification process will only enhance our great care,” Karen Cabral, executive director of Grace Senior Living of Douglasville, said.

In celebration of every caregiving team member earning their certification, they all received a purple ribbon to attach to their name tag. The caregiving team was also given a purple t-shirt to wear on Thursdays to represent their completion of the Alzheimer's Disease and dementia care training.

**About Grace Senior Living of Douglasville**

Situated in beautiful Douglas County at 8847 Hospital Drive, Grace Senior Living of Douglasville is a personal care home in Douglasville, Ga., that offers assisted living type services in a safe, attentive, homelike atmosphere. The facility, which is in the metro Atlanta area, is committed to serving the greatest generation with honor, respect, faith and integrity. More information is available at [graceseniorliving.net](http://graceseniorliving.net) or by calling (770) 920-2273.

Grace Senior Living is part of a family of senior living communities throughout the Southeast owned and/or operated by Legacy Senior Living of Cleveland, Tenn. The parent company specializes in offering independent living, assisted living, and Alzheimer's care services. More information is available at [legacysl.net](http://legacysl.net).

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**ABOUT GRACE SENIOR LIVING - DOUGLASVILLE, GA**

Conveniently located across from Wellstar Douglas Hospital, Grace Senior Living in Douglasville, GA, is a licensed Personal Care Home in metro Atlanta designed specifically to meet the needs of seniors. This convenient location makes for easy access to shopping, dining, medical facilities and other senior needs. While maintaining the privacy of their own apartment, residents are free to enjoy the company of others, participate in meaningful activities, or simply relax and enjoy a wonderful way of life.



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