

Meet Your Provider

Jewish Senior Life

Interview with Susan Bussey, Sr. Vice President at Jewish Senior Life

Q. What is Jewish Senior Life?

A. Jewish Senior Life is guided by our values of honoring family and helping seniors age well in the place of their choice. We're well-known for our dedication to improving the health, well-being, and quality of life of our elders — both on our campus and out in the community. Serving those of all faiths and ethnic backgrounds, we strive

to provide the services you need, when, how and where you need them.

We're the only Rochester-area continuum of care retirement community (CCRC) and offer all services on one campus:

- The Summit at Brighton for Independent Living;
- Wolk Manor for Assisted Living;
- The Lodge at Wolk Manor for Assisted Living Memory Care;

- The Jewish Home of Rochester for long-term and memory care;
- The Weinberg Manson Transitional Care Program for short-term rehabilitation; and
- The Atkin Center for Outpatient Rehabilitation.

Plus, we have a wide variety of community programs and services, such as companion care for help

with daily living activities, physician house calls for the homebound, and even handyman services!

Q. What makes your organization unique?

A. In addition to being the only Rochester-area continuing care retirement community, we are also the only local senior care provider to offer Life Care, a program which eliminates worries about unforeseen medical expenses throughout the CCRC, from independent living to long-term care.

Q. What exciting things are happening at Jewish Senior Life?

A. We are pleased to offer Living Well Companion Care, the perfect solution for seniors and others who aren't ready to leave their home but need support to stay at home and be independent. Our companions help with a variety of daily activities such as meal preparation, transportation to doctor's appointments, and much more.

Q. Tell us more about Living Well Companion Care.

A. Each senior is matched thoughtfully with a trusted, compatible companion. Our clients have told us that our companions are like family to them.



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Q. Anything new?

A. We are about to embark on an endeavor to enhance the lives of our long-term care residents. Jewish Senior Life is partnering with the Green House® project to redefine "home" and revolutionize care. By creating real "small-house" homes with a household environment rather than an institutional one, caregivers will be empowered to deliver even more personal and effective care, so residents will enjoy even more meaningful lives. We'll be one of the largest green house communities in the nation. We're very excited to take our commitment to person-centered care to the next level.

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