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Three Pillars Ranked In Top Seven Percent of Nursing Homes in Nation

Dousman, Wis. — Three Pillars Senior Living Communities earned the highest possible rating from U.S. News & World Report as a nationally-recognized “Best” skilled nursing facility in two of two possible categories: long-term care (Masonic Health Care Center) and short-term rehabilitation (Hickory Suites).

For their 2026 Best Nursing Homes list, U.S. News performed an in-depth analysis of publicly-available data on skilled nursing communities. Of nearly 15,000 skilled nursing facilities evaluated in the United States, only 19 percent earned a High Performing rating in even one of those categories, and just seven percent in both. Masonic Health Care Center earned the top rating in both categories.

Within Wisconsin, there are 325 nursing homes and skilled nursing facilities. Of these, Three Pillars is one of 35 to receive an overall rating of five out of five in both Long-Term Care and Short-Term Rehabilitation.

The Short-Term ratings are based on an assessment of 17 distinct quality measures related to post-acute care. Those measures include staffing levels, medical outcomes, and resident complaints. Similarly, the Long-Term ratings are based on 17 quality measures, including staffing, medical outcomes, resident complaints, vaccinations, and appropriate use of medications.

“We take great pride in being named ‘Best’ by U.S. News & World Report,” said Natalie Miko, Executive Director of Healthcare Services. “These top ratings reflect our ongoing commitment to providing a safe, compassionate, and enriching environment for our residents and rehab patients.”

Learn more about Three Pillars’ rankings at health.usnews.com/best-nursing-homes.



Three Pillars Senior Living Communities is a not-for-profit organization in Dousman, WI. Sponsored by the Masonic Fraternity, Three Pillars takes pride in meeting the social, physical, and spiritual needs of older adults through high-quality housing and services.

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