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Mather LifeWays Renovates Mather Pavilion and Mather Place of Wilmette

Residents surrounded by updated furnishings and structural improvements

Evanston, Ill. (February 6, 2007) – Mather LifeWays, a not-for-profit organization dedicated to creating ways to age well, recently completed renovations at two of its Chicago-area senior residences: Mather Pavilion, located in Evanston, and Mather Place of Wilmette. As Mather LifeWays moves forward with plans for The Mather, its new Evanston-based luxury residence to begin construction later this year, the organization continues to focus on revitalizing its existing communities.

“Mather LifeWays is always focused on improving older adults’ quality of life,” said Jean Brophy, vice president of senior living for Mather LifeWays. “Part of creating ways to age well for them is to ensure their surroundings are aesthetically pleasing, and thus, inspiring.”

Mather Pavilion, which provides skilled nursing care and specialized memory support, underwent a complete refurbishment of the building’s ground floor. Ten new suites reserved for residents with limited nursing needs, also known as “light” intermediate care, were added. Public areas also were remodeled. New light fixtures, wall coverings and flooring in the reception area now speak more to the residence’s emphasis on providing quality care.

At Mather Place of Wilmette, located in the heart of the North Shore, walls were updated with new wallpaper and paint, and carpeting in the common areas was replaced. In addition, most furnishings, including chairs, sofas and pillows, were reupholstered.

About Mather LifeWays

Based in Evanston, Illinois, Mather LifeWays enhances the lives of older adults by creating Ways to Age Well.SM Founded in 1941 by entrepreneur and humanitarian Alonzo Mather, Mather LifeWays is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to providing a continuum of living and care; making neighborhoods better places for older adults to live, work, learn, contribute, and play; and identifying, implementing, and sharing best practices for wellness, workforce issues, memory care support, and empowering caregivers. To learn more about our senior residences, community initiatives and Institute on Aging, please call (847) 492-7500 or find your Way to www.matherlifeways.com.

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