



Frequently Asked Questions

What is "Willow Ridge?" Willow Ridge is the name given to the new campus across from Maple Crest on Augsburg Road where Green Houses will be constructed.

Who will move to the Green Houses? Current residents receiving licensed nursing care at Mennonite Memorial Home (MMH) will be invited and selected based on various factors.

Can recipients of Medicaid and Medicare benefits live in a Green House or is it only for private-pay individuals? The Green House philosophy as well as the mission of Mennonite Home is to serve the entire community regardless of ability to pay privately. Currently about 50% of residents receiving licensed nursing care at MMH receive Medicaid assistance. A similar percentage of elders receiving Medicaid assistance will exist in the Green House homes.

Can I move to a Green House before I need skilled nursing care? Green Houses are specifically for those who qualify for licensed nursing care.

Will there be opportunities for worship and spiritual care? Yes. It has always been our mission to provide for the spiritual care of our elders. Bible studies, worship with other residents, pastoral care support, and other opportunities will be offered.

As a Green House resident, will I have opportunities to get out of the house? Outings and activities away from home will be offered.

Besides my bedroom and the hearth room, where can I go in a Green House? Each home will have a front porch, a back patio, a garden area and a den. The kitchen and laundry is also accessible to those who desire to participate in meal preparation and laundry.

How can I learn more?

- Contact Brenda Reichenbach at 419-358-1015 x225
- Go to www.mmhliving.org and click on "News"
- Go to www.thegreenhouseproject.org
- Go to facebook.com/MHCOhio

How can I help?

- Pray
- Be knowledgeable about Green House skilled-nursing care; help dispel myths.
- Share the project with family and friends
- Financially support the *New Vision* campaign.
- Help us connect to resources and opportunities of which you are aware.