



WHAT IS THE VIGIL DEMENTIA SYSTEM?

The Vigil Dementia System™ was designed by caregivers specifically to aid in the care of residents with Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia. Residents with dementia are prone to memory loss, making it difficult for them to utilize a traditional nurse call system. The resident will often forget entirely what the call button is for and therefore cannot call for help. The Vigil Dementia System™, a sophisticated computer software system, detects, by non-invasive sensors, a bed exit, an incontinence sensor and a motion sensor. The Vigil System™ transmits this information to the computer which generates a silent bed alert that the resident needs assistance when they are unable to do so. This enables the staff to provide care when and where it is needed, while minimizing unnecessary interventions. The result is an increase in residents' privacy while maintaining their safety.

By reviewing the data that the Vigil Dementia System™ gathers and stores in the resident's chart, the staff can anticipate when to get the resident up for a bathroom visit, which will minimize incontinent episodes and often help the residents gain more control over their incontinence.

The resident's doctor can review the data, noting time of restlessness or attempts to get out of bed. If the resident is taking sleep medication, the doctor may note the poor sleep pattern and adjust the medication. This sensor also alerts the caregiver that a resident is out of bed thus facilitating a safe return to bed and helping reduce the risk of falls or other injuries.



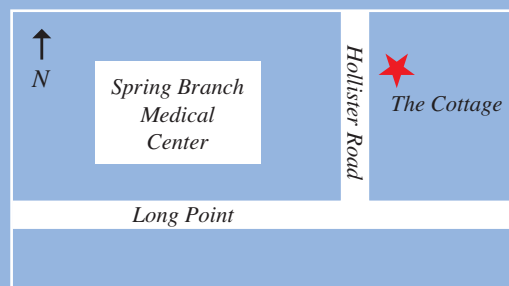
The Cottage of Spring Branch



A new concept in Alzheimer's Disease and Memory Enhancement Care

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WHAT IS THE COTTAGE OF SPRING BRANCH?

The Cottage of Spring Branch is designed and managed to surpass the standards set forth by the State of Texas for those assisted living communities that specialize in the care of persons with Alzheimer's Disease and related dementias such as vascular dementia, Pick's disease, Huntington's Disease, Parkinson's Disease and Lewy body dementia. Careful consideration was taken in the planning stages to eliminate the majority of problems that are experienced in "generic" building designs. The management is geared specifically for the challenges that these diseases present, with major emphasis placed on hiring skilled, caring employees, ongoing training of employees and the use of technology and management structure.



SERVICES PROVIDED

A secured and supportive residential environment designed specially for persons with Alzheimer's and related dementias. Services are tailored to meet each individual's needs.

- Nurse available
- 24-hour staff availability
- Three meals and snacks daily
- Structured activities program
- Arrangement of medical appointments
- Medication management & prescription ordering
- Daily housekeeping, linen & personal laundry
- Assistance with ADL's (bathing, dressing, hair, skin care, personal hygiene & cuing)
- Small resident to caregiver ratio
- Wanderguard & Vigil Dementia Systems

OPTIONAL SERVICES

Special care can be arranged when the resident's needs increase and more individual attention is required.

- Incontinence care
- Personalized care (feeding, bed transfer, hospice care)
- Beauty salon on-site



RESPITE PROGRAM

Individuals who are generally socially isolated can benefit greatly from socialization and leisure activities that foster group interaction; especially, when those activities are integrated with the Cottage residents. In addition, this program offers nutritional services, personal assistance, exercise services and rest accommodations. Open seven days a week from 9 am to 5 pm or, with special arrangements, over-night stays.

- Therapeutic activities
- Well-balanced meal
- Snacks
- Nurse available
- Assistance with ADL's
- Medication management

