

Overview

Neighborly Care Network, a private, not-for-profit organization headquartered in Clearwater, Florida, has served the elderly and their families in Pinellas County for nearly 44 years.

A pioneer in elder care, Neighborly provides wellness, health, and social programs for older persons with special needs, helping them to remain independent and in their own homes. This also lets working caregivers keep their jobs while allowing their loved ones to live at home. Our goal is to prevent nursing home placement until absolutely necessary.

Mission

Improved health, wellness and independent living for individuals and families

Background

- On April 20, 1966, Neighborly (then called “The Neighborly Center, Inc.”) was chartered to study and fulfill special needs of the elderly in Pinellas County. **Today, Neighborly’s 162 employees continue to carry out our mission.**
- In 1968, Neighborly opened the nation’s first adult day care center and started the first federally funded Meals on Wheels program. **Today, Neighborly operates five adult day care centers and delivers an average of 1,600 nutritious meals per day to the frail and homebound.**
- In 1970, the agency developed a volunteer program to help meet the growing needs of the elderly in the community. **Today, approximately 1,200 Neighborly volunteers bring the human touch to the lonely and isolated.**
- In 1973, Neighborly started a Senior Dining program where individuals not only receive nutritious meals, but they socialize with their peers as well. **Today, Neighborly has 15 Senior Dining sites throughout Pinellas County.**
- In 1977, Neighborly implemented a Transportation program whereby specially equipped vehicles take seniors to medical facilities, adult day care centers, senior dining sites, grocery stores, etc. **Today, Neighborly operates 30 vehicles that help individuals maintain their independence.**

Corporate Facts

President/CEO: Debra Shade, CPA, CRM, MBA
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Employees: 162 (as of 5/10)
 Active Clients: 9,159

ADULT DAY SERVICES

A supervised environment with a full range of activities for individuals challenged with physical, mental, or cognitive limitations

NUTRITION SERVICES

A solid foundation for healthy seniors and their families, with services that include:

- Meals on Wheels
- Senior Dining
- Nutrition Risk Reduction
- One-on-one counseling on proper nutrition and meal preparation

MEDICARE HOME HEALTH

Skilled services on an intermittent basis, in the comfort of the client’s home
(physician’s order required)

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Specialized transportation for the elderly and disabled to help them maintain their independence

NEIGHBORLY PHARMACY

Affordably priced prescription drugs for the uninsured

*choice*SM CARE PLAN

Choosing Homecare Over Institutionalized Care Environment
 (home- & community-based services in 18 counties)
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NEIGHBORLY PACE

Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly
 Combining medical and long-term care services in a community setting

*EZride*SM PROGRAM

A membership transportation service for people 65 and older, or 55 and older and disabled

SHOPPE AROUND THE CORNER

Exquisite gifts & treasures for the home
 Proceeds support Meals on Wheels and the Neighborly Pharmacy