



# Irvine Adult Day Health Services

Making A Difference



Summer  
2010

Irvine Adult Day Health Services, in partnership with families and the community, promotes an environment of health, dignity and well being for seniors, disabled adults and caregivers.

## **FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS**

Irvine Adult Day Health Services  
proudly recognizes the **Friends of Outreach**  
for devoting 25 years toward helping frail and  
homebound older adults in Irvine.



The Friends of Outreach is an all volunteer, community based organization that is affiliated with and actively supports the City of Irvine's Senior Services Program as well as the Irvine Adult Day Health Services Scholarship Assistance Fund.

For the past 16 years, the Friends of Outreach has been a tremendous friend to our Center and the special needs seniors we serve on a daily basis in our adult day services program. Most notably the Friends of Outreach has donated \$12,000 in Scholarships to our low-income seniors, giving them the opportunity to receive vital medical and therapeutic services they otherwise would not have been able to afford. We also thank the Friends of Outreach for sponsoring our fundraising events and putting together Holiday Gifts bags for our seniors each year.

The Friends of Outreach also make a difference by providing for in-home care, emergency response systems, home delivered meals and transportation to qualifying seniors through their Special Needs Fund. For more information about the good work of the Friends of Outreach, contact Jan Owens, President, Friends of Outreach at (949) 651-1829.

To **Donate a Day of Care** or learn more about the IADHS Scholarship Assistance Fund, contact Kimberly Beeson at (949) 262-1123 or go to [www.irvineadhs.org](http://www.irvineadhs.org).

## **WHOM CAN I TRUST WITH THE ONE I LOVE? ~ BY DONALD PRIES**



**Donald & Patricia Pries,**  
**Married for 54 years**

That question came to my mind as a caregiver, when I realized I was no longer capable of meeting many personal needs of my wife Patricia, diagnosed with Dementia, now in it's fourth stage.

She needed people, people to interact with, designed programs of involvement with others. Where could these needs be met? An Activities Coordinator at a nearby Convalescent Home where I teach a Bible lesson weekly, recommended "Irvine Adult Day Health Services".

What a blessing this facility and its employees have been, not only to my wife, but for me as well. I found each and every employee at IADHS to be individually committed and dedicated to meeting the personal needs of each attendee. They give of themselves, not only collectively but individually, with attitudes and actions of loving care which comes from the heart.

It is obvious they do not look upon their work as a job, theirs is a ministry with an endless desire to graciously love, protect and watch over each and every man and woman that they call a part of their IADHS family. I thank God for my wife's best friends, those that care for her at "Irvine Adult Day Health Services". I am at peace knowing where she is each day.

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Services and support for seniors, disabled adults and caregivers



Save the Date  
**TAKE A CHANCE FOR SENIORS**  
**CASINO NIGHT & DINNER**  
November 6, 2010



Sponsor Today and **GIVE** our **Special Needs Seniors** the **CHANCE** to participate in our day programs designed to help maintain or improve their health, independence and functioning so they can continue to live in the comforts of their home.

**Sponsorship Opportunities**

ROYAL FLUSH SPONSOR \$3,000  
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JACK SPONSOR \$250

For details about Sponsorship Opportunities and Take a Chance for Seniors Casino Night & Dinner, contact Kimberly Beeson at (949) 262-1123 x 669 or [kbeeson@irvineadhs.org](mailto:kbeeson@irvineadhs.org) or go to [www.irvineadhs.org](http://www.irvineadhs.org)

**We Need Your Help to Raise \$1,800 to Replace Vital Physical Therapy Equipment!**

After 16 years, our parallel bars used help our seniors safely walk by building their strength, stamina and balance through twice daily standing exercise classes broke beyond repair.

Your Contribution can be made payable to Irvine Adult Day Health Services for our Equipment Replacement Fund.

Thank you for helping us reduce our seniors risk for falling!



**Check Out Our New Website**  
**[www.irvineadhs.org](http://www.irvineadhs.org)**

for information about our adult day services programs, caregiver support groups, and upcoming events.

AND

Log in to the **Contact Us** section to receive Program and Special Event Announcements via e-news!