

## *Committed to the Community*

Our Extended Care facility offers the highest level of care for older adults and other individuals needing a high level of care outside of a hospital. We provide skilled care, including getting in and out of bed, providing assistance with feeding, bathing, dressing, nursing care, and rehabilitation services.

Boundary Community Hospital Extended Care facility differs from other senior housing facilities. The facility is a licensed Nursing Facility, certified for both Medicare and Medicaid. A licensed physician supervises each patient's care and a licensed nurse is always on the premises. Skilled nursing care is available on site, 24 hours a day. Other medical professionals, such as occupational or physical therapists, are also available, providing medical procedures and therapies on site that would not be possible in other housing situations.



*Serving our neighbors  
with compassion  
and respect.*

## *Extended Care Facility Contact Information*

For more information on the Extended Care Facility and Nursing Home, call our Care Manager (208) 267-3141 ext 4220 or email [info@bcch.org](mailto:info@bcch.org)

## *Visiting Hours:*

**24 Hours a Day - 7 Days a Week**

Visitor Parking and Entrance is located off Kaniksu Street. Be sure to check in at the Nurse's Station when you arrive and depart.

*Quiet Time is observed from 8:30 pm until 8:30 am.*

**Monthly Activity Calendars are available in resident rooms or from the Activities staff members. Family and friends are welcome to join in.**



## *Visit and See for Yourself*

Making a decision about extended care for yourself or a loved one, is never easy. We invite you to tour our facility so you can make an informed choice that best meets your needs. A member of our Care Management Team will introduce you to the staff, show you the facility and grounds and discuss the many services our residents enjoy.

For more information or to schedule a tour, please call our Care Manager at 208-267-3141 extension 4220.



*Boundary Community Hospital  
is accredited by DNV, certified  
by Medicare and Medicaid and  
licensed by the State of Idaho,  
Department of Health and Welfare.*



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## *Extended Care Facility and Nursing Home*

*Caring for Our Community,  
Every Day*





*An authentic culture of compassion and respect for the patients prevails at Boundary Community Hospital. This culture of compassion and respect reaches beyond being a goal. It is beyond being an idea. It is a purpose—exhibiting itself as a reality. The highly-skilled staff of the Extended Care Facility and Nursing Home understand and specialize in long term care, bringing a special nurturing atmosphere that can be felt every day throughout the facility.*

The Extended Care Facility at Boundary Community Hospital is a licensed skilled nursing home providing both long-term and rehabilitative or short-term residency. Residents enjoy a warm, homelike environment, the highest quality healthcare and a family of caregivers dedicated to their physical and emotional well-being.

## History

A nursing home was added to the hospital in 1966. Twenty seven years later in 1993, the community supported a \$5 million bond issue to completely renovate and expand the hospital and nursing home.



Many people who helped in the 1950s during the building and furnishing of the new hospital were able to spend their last years in the Extended Care Facility enjoying more frequent visits from family and friends than would have been possible if there wasn't a nursing home facility in our county.

## Long-Term Care

Our residents are encouraged to participate in a wide range of social, recreational and spiritual activities tailored to their individual interests and activity levels.

Our staff includes an activity coordinator and several assistants who encourage the residents to stay as active as possible through games, movies, walks, outings, jigsaw puzzles, stretching exercises and other activities.

Local churches hold services every Sunday throughout the month alternating weeks for those wishing to attend a church service. Several residents attend and enjoy the singing, the familiar hymns and the short sermons. Often people of the congregation come and visit with their elderly friends who now live in the Extended Care facility.

*Compassion and respect mean going the extra mile to make someone comfortable.*

## Rehabilitation

After a serious illness or surgical procedure, some patients are not able to immediately return home. The Extended Care Facility assists patients who are discharged from an inpatient unit but need additional rehabilitation before returning home.

Our 24-hour skilled nursing services, speech, physical and occupational therapy services prepare each patient for their return home. The specialized training of our therapy staff enables them to assist each resident in attaining their highest level of independence. For many patients, a temporary extension of care is all they need to return to their normal, daily lives.



## Award Winning Care

*The Extended Care Facility at Boundary Community Hospital has been recognized as a Top Tier Facility for the excellence of care provided to our patients and their families. The State of Idaho has recognized our Care Staff with multiple Gold L. Jean Schoonover Excellence in Caring Awards. Recipients of the award must demonstrate a dedication and commitment to providing the highest quality of care to the residents they serve. The US News and World Report recognizes the facility as one of the Best Nursing Homes in the United States. In 2019 Women's Choice Award named ECF as one of America's Best Extended Care Facilities.*



**Boundary County Nursing Home**  
**Overall Rating: High Performing**

**Overall Health Inspection**  
**Rating: High Performing**

**Medical Care Quality Measures: High Performing**

**Overall Nurse Staffing: High Performing**

**Total Nurse Time: 7 hrs 8 mins**  
per resident day from all types of  
nurses and nurse assistants  
(RNs, LPNs, and CNAs)



2019  
**WOMEN'S CHOICE AWARD**  
AMERICA'S BEST FOR EXTENDED CARE

