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Dave Chensvold, Administrator
Pennington Square
502 Pinehaven Drive
Monticello, IA 52310

**RE: Final Recertification Monitoring Evaluation Report – Pennington Square,
Monticello, IA**

Dear Mr. Chensvold:

Enclosed is the **Final Recertification Monitoring Evaluation Report** completed by the Department of Inspections and Appeals (DIA) in accordance with Iowa Code chapter 231C and Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) chapters 481–67 and 481–69. **No Regulatory Insufficiencies were found during this evaluation.**

The review of the recertification documents you submitted has been completed and are accepted. In addition, the State Fire Marshal's (SFM) inspection report has been received as well as the Facility Engineer's approval of the Evacuation Plans for your program.

Enclosed you will find the Assisted Living Program Certificate **S0110** with effective dates of **February 26, 2011** through **February 25, 2013**.

If you have any questions regarding this certification, please contact me at 515/281-4116.

Sincerely,

Jim Berkley

Jim Berkley
Program Coordinator
Adult Services Bureau

Enclosure

**Iowa Department of Inspections and Appeals
Assisted Living Program
Final Recertification Monitoring Evaluation Report**

Assisted Living Program:

Dave Chensvold, Administrator
Pennington Square
502 Pinehaven Drive
Monticello, IA 52310

Date of Monitoring Visit:

May 2, 2011

Monitor(s):

Stephanie Cummins, MS
Margaret Kaltefleiter, RN MS

Definitions:

The following definitions are relevant:

Regulatory Insufficiency - A violation of a statutory or rule provision within the Iowa Code or Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) governing assisted living programs. A regulatory insufficiency requires a plan of correction to be presented to, and approved by, the Department of Inspections and Appeals (DIA).

Plan of Correction - A written response to one or more regulatory insufficiencies that are rule violations. [IAC r. 481-67.10(5)]. The plan should identify how, and by a specific date, an insufficiency will be corrected. The plan is due to DIA within ten (10) working days of the program's receipt of a Recertification Monitoring Evaluation Report. Depending on the circumstances, DIA may revisit the assisted living program to confirm progress in fulfilling a plan's corrective measures.

Dementia-specific assisted living program - An assisted living program certified under 481 IAC-chapter 69 that: serves fewer than fifty-five (55) tenants and has five (5) or more tenants who have dementia between Stages 4 and 7 on the Global Deterioration Scale or serves 55 or more tenants and 10 percent or more of the tenants have dementia between Stages 4 and 7 on the Global Deterioration Scale or holds itself out as providing specialized care for persons with dementia, such as Alzheimer's disease, in a dedicated setting.

Overview:

An on-site monitoring evaluation was conducted at Pennington Square on May 2, 2011. In preparing this report, the following information was considered:

Current Program Census:

General Population Program (GPP)* – A program that is not a Dementia Specific program, but may have tenants with cognitive disorder.

Current number of tenants without cognitive disorder:	19
Current number of tenants with cognitive disorder:	0
Total Population:	19

Dementia Specific Program (DSP)* – Not applicable.

***These are the census numbers represented by the program to be applicable at the time of the on-site.**

Tenant/Family Satisfaction Results – A community meeting was held with 15 tenants and a family member. The tenants enjoyed living there and stated housekeeping services were completed appropriately. The buildings and grounds were safe, clean and sanitary. They appreciated not having to mow the lawn and shovel snow. There were no issues with housekeeping or maintenance. The tenants stated nursing services were available and staff responded within five minutes or less when they requested assistance. They stated staff were trained to provide the services needed and treated the tenants well. The tenants liked the food and reported there was a variety of food served. The temperature of the food was appropriate. They did not offer any significant suggestions for improvement. There were enough activities offered and they enjoyed playing cards. The tenants did not offer any improvements needed for activities. They felt very safe and made their own decisions. The tenants stated staff did a great job and administrative staff listened to their concerns and responded timely and appropriately. The tenants were generally satisfied and would recommend the program to other people.

Program History – The program did not receive any regulatory insufficiencies during this certification period.

On-Site Monitoring Evaluation – The monitor(s) made the observations detailed in the following areas. **There were no regulatory insufficiencies found during this onsite recertification monitoring evaluation.**

Dated this 10th day of May 2011.