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## **Altercare Centers Awarded**

2020-21 Best Nursing Homes



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Washington, D.C. – Altercare Integrated Health Services has 4 skilled nursing & rehabilitation centers among the 21% of U.S. skilled nursing facilities that have been recognized as a Best Nursing Home for 2020-21 by U.S. News & World Report.

Altercare Post-Acute (Kent, OH)
Altercare Lanfair (Lancaster, OH)
Altercare Mayfield Village (Mayfield Village, OH)
Altercare Nobles Pond (Canton, OH)

The centers earned Best Nursing Homes status by achieving a rating of "High Performing," the highest possible rating, for Short-Term Rehabilitation. U.S. News gives the designation of Best Nursing Home only to those homes that satisfy U.S. News's assessment of the appropriate use of key services and consistent performance in quality measures.

Greg Colaner, President of Altercare Integrated Health Services remarked, "In an unprecedented year of challenges, I couldn't be more proud of our team and the myriad of ways you have pulled together to excel in your compassion and care of our residents and patients.

Now in its 11th year, the U.S. News <u>Best Nursing Homes</u> ratings and profiles offer comprehensive information about care, safety, health inspections, staffing and more for nearly all of the nation's 15,000-plus nursing homes. The Best Nursing Homes ratings reflect U.S. News' exclusive analysis of publicly available data using a methodology defined by U.S. News that evaluates factors that it has determined most greatly impact patient and resident care, safety, and outcomes. This year, to accompany the new ratings, nursing home profile pages were updated to include a patient safety summary that reflects COVID-19 data alongside other measurements of safety and related advice on choosing a home or facility amidst the pandemic.

"U.S. News strives to provide access to information that allows consumers to make educated decisions on all types of care," said Ben Harder, managing editor and chief of health analysis at U.S. News.

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## **About Altercare Integrated Health Services**

Altercare Integrated Health Services is a family-owned company operating 25 nursing care and rehabilitation centers in Ohio and Michigan. Altercare centers provide a full continuum of services including post-hospital

transitional care, skilled nursing, physical, occupational and speech therapies, Alzheimer's and related dementia programming and assisted living and independent living in specific locations. The objective of these caring services is to enable patients to successfully transition through a healing pathway. Altercare centers are recognized for quality care having earned bronze, silver and gold American Health Care Association awards, The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services 5-star ratings, and Best Nursing Home recognition from US News & World Report. Also named as one of the Best Places to Work in Northeast Ohio by NorthCoast 99 for fifteen consecutive years.