



Community Home Health  
& Hospice

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**Local nonprofit healthcare agency purchases property to build**

**VANCOUVER, Wash., September 16, 2010** – Community Home Health & Hospice (CHHH) has purchased property in Clark County located at NE 136<sup>th</sup> Circle in the Salmon Creek area. The CHHH Board of Directors voted unanimously to proceed with this project. CHHH plans to build space for their clinical staff who visit patients throughout Clark County in their place of residence, in addition to an onsite Hospice Care Center. The Hospice Care Center will first require a Certificate of Need to be issued by the Washington State Department of Health. CHHH will be entering immediately into the design phase of the project to determine the size, scope, phases, and timing of the facility construction.

The need for expansion into Clark County is great. Over the past five years, CHHH's services to the community have increased 300%.

“Looking to the next 20 years, the age 70+ population in Washington State is projected to double,” said CHHH Executive Director Greg Pang. “Clark County residents will be increasingly dependent upon our community-based home care and hospice services, and it is our core nonprofit mission to meet these healthcare needs. To do that, we need to build today for the future.”

The project was made possible in part by a generous donation of property by Mr. Ronald E. Wilson and Ms. Jan D. Quann of Vancouver, WA.

“The support of the community is critical for our staff, who provide services to homebound and terminally ill patients,” said CHHH Board of Directors President Dan Spjut. “We are so grateful for the donation of property from Mr. Wilson and Ms. Quann.”

**About Community Home Health & Hospice**

A community-based nonprofit organization, Community Home Health & Hospice (CHHH) has served the healthcare needs of Washington and Oregon families with care, comfort and love since 1977. Every day, we care for 600 people at home through home care personal services, home health, hospice and bereavement services in the following four counties: Clark, Cowlitz, and Wahkiakum in Washington and Columbia in Oregon. We foster clinical excellence, innovation and agility as recognized by our 2009 and 2008 top agency ranking among 9,500 Medicare-certified home health agencies nationwide. Community Home Health & Hospice (CHHH) supports the healthcare and independent living goals of each patient and their loved ones by delivering the highest quality, compassionate and dignified care to individuals in their chosen place of residence. Visit CHHH on the web at [www.chhh.org](http://www.chhh.org).