# PALMVISTA

#### NURSING AND REHABILITATION CENTER

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#### **About Palm Vista**

120 bed skilled nursing facility located on Stock Island (Next door to Lower Keys Medical Center)

> Only nursing home located in the Lower or Middle Keys.

We have been serving Key West for over 30 years, and we recently changed ownership/management (and our name) in 2020.

### **Our Services**

Short-Term Rehabilitation:

- Dedicated unit focused on maximizing recovery potential after a surgery, hospitalization, or health setback.
- Intensive physical/occupational/speech therapy, wound care, IV infusion up to 7 days a week.
- Modern innovative therapy equipment including electronic stimulation, ultrasound, and even interactive therapeutic gaming.
- > Average length of stay 3-4 weeks.

### **Our Services**

#### Why Get Rehab in Key West?

- Key West Residents having surgery or hospitalization on the mainland can return to Key West for their rehabilitation and recovery.
- > Family/Friends can visit easily and frequently.
- We have local knowledge of resources for the transition back to living at home.
- Our team understands your lifestyle and living situation and will tailor the care to your needs.

### **Additional Services**

- Long Term Care "Nursing Home" services focused on quality of life.
- Short-Term Respite Care (for a caregiver that's traveling or just needs a break)
- > Therapeutic Recreation, Social Services, Nutritionist
- Consultation and Referrals call us if you need advice!
- We accept all major insurances including Medicare & Medicaid – we also help our residents apply for Medicaid.

#### **Community Engagement**

#### Active Participation

Key West Business Guild

Key West Chamber of Commerce

Keys Health Ready Coalition

Florida Health Care Association

#### **Community Impact**

325 residents served in last year, and averaging over 100 residents daily.

130 full time jobs with excellent pay/benefits.

Wage increases across all departments under new ownership.

#### **Capital Investment**

Over \$600K in capital improvements in 2021.

Many more capital projects planned for 2022.





#### Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Program

- > Newly approved Florida Apprenticeship for nursing aides
- > Open to all: No prior experience required
- Paid on-site orientation and training
- Coaching and hands-on preparation for CNA certification
- Great entry point into a nursing career



## Thank you!

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