

Nursing & Rehabilitation Center





# 2013 Highlights

- Nearly 41,500 Resident Days of Care provided by our 180-member Employee Team to those who call Steere House home for both rehabilitation and long term residence
- Donors gave more than \$130,000 to support our mission
- Our Employee Development Team raised over \$20,000 to support those programs or initiatives that help to improve the quality of residents' daily life
- Over \$32,000 was raised to purchase 41 electric beds, making our goal of completely outfitting our 120-bed facility a reality
- Over 75 volunteers contributed more than 2,500 hours of love, faith and fun

### message from the

## President & Executive Director

Dear Steere House Community,

We are pleased to report that 2013 was a year of continued progress and improvement. Our achievements were made possible by the generosity of our donors, the spirit of our employee team, the understanding and assistance of family members, and our continued commitment to quality care.

We are especially proud of the steps taken to evaluate, select and implement our electronic medical records system. This system of communication is delivering improved efficiency, clarity and coordination in ways Steere House, our residents and patients will benefit from for many years to come. We are now prepared in advance for the communication needs of the future with our key health care partners.

Our Transitional Care Unit (TCU) was even busier this year! We are gratified by the number of returning patients and referrals.

We also are proud of an award we received in a demonstration pilot with Medicare and our fellow Carelink partners. This project has helped us all to look at our TCU services in new ways and as another opportunity to improve quality care for all.

We are enthusiastic about the accomplishments made this year, because they will help us to keep our programs diverse and responsive to those Rhode Islanders in need of long term care. And we look forward to an equally productive and successful 2014.



Andrew C. Spacone, President Steere House Board of Directors



Julie H. Richard, NHA, MA Executive Director, Steere House



## Treasurer's Report

For Steere House, 2013 was one of growth and relative prosperity. As the economy stabilized, our investments grew substantially – we have more than doubled our gains in 2013 versus 2012. Steere House is very fortunate to have significant investments that supplement our income base. Also in 2013, the Transitional Care Unit began to admit patients consistently and in higher numbers. We are adding to our good reputation in the community by providing high quality rehabilitative care.

As we review the past year, we can be confident in our strong financial position and proud to be offering excellent care to older adults who need long term care as well as rehabilitative care services.

The total net operating revenue for Medicare, Medicaid, commercial insurers, and private pay residents was \$10,602,533, compared to operating expenses of \$11,836,513, for an operating loss of \$1,233,980. This compares to a 2012 operating loss of \$1,025,636. Net investment income gains of \$922,546 in 2013 (compared to a net gain of \$387,987 in 2012) resulted in a net gain of \$268,252 in 2013, compared to a net loss of \$(209,031) in 2012.

Respectively submitted, Norma Owens, Treasurer

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# Steere House Nursing & Rehabilitation Center Steere House Foundation

Combined Balance Sheet – December 31, 2013

#### **ASSETS**

| Cash  |            | 1,417,990  |
|---|------------|------------|
| Cash, restricted for property and equipment<br>Accounts Receivable, less allowance for doubtful acc | te         | 1,039,738  |
| Investments   | ıs         | 16,739,609 |
| Other   |            | 222,233    |
| Total Current Assets:   | -          | 19,419,570 |
| Property and Equipment, less accumulated depreciation   |            | 6,269,995  |
| Other Assets  | _          | 279,026    |
| Total Assets:   | _          | 25,968,591 |
| LIABILITIES   | -          |            |
| Accounts Payable  | 318,170    |            |
| Accrued Expenses  | 757,126    |            |
| Current Portion of long term debt   | 111,000    |            |
| Other Liability (PACE Guaranty)   | 125,000    |            |
| Long Term Debt, less current portion  | 5,035,999  |            |
| Total Liabilities:  |            | 6,347,295  |
| NET ASSETS:   | 17,907,391 |            |
| Change in Net Assets 2013   | 1,713,905  |            |
| Total Net Assets:   |            | 19,621,296 |
| Total Liabilities and Net Assets:   |            | 25,968,591 |

This condensed information has been abstracted from our 2013 audited financial statements.

#### **STATISTICS 2013**

| Admissions            | 298    |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Discharges            | 265    |
| Resident Days of Care | 41,465 |





The Outstanding Steere House Employee Award recognizes someone who exhibits behavior and job performance consistent with the values of Steere House. The Award is given to an individual who through their professional life at Steere House has demonstrated commitment and service to the Steere House Community, including residents, patients, family members and fellow co-workers. He/She is someone who plays an instrumental role in making these values come alive and an integral part of Steere House life. Recipients of this Award are those who demonstrate, provide and support patient and family centered care in some or all of these ways: Respect, Collaboration, Professional Excellence, Community Involvement, and Compassion.



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# Paula Torres

For the fourth year, it is an honor to announce the recipient of the Outstanding Steere House Employee Award. The 2014 honoree is Paula Torres, a Certified Medication Technician and Nurse Assistant. Nominated by fellow employees, the recipient of the Award is chosen as a shining example of the Steere House mission and values. Paula certainly meets this criteria. She is a twenty-eight year veteran of Steere House, whose approach to residents and patients, as well as coworkers, is described as patient, understanding and compassionate. Her collaborative spirit is evident in the support she offers to tackle the task at hand, always with a smile on her face. Join us as we recognize Paula for the quiet leadership and care she brings to all she does at Steere House!

Read more of our profile on Paula and past Outstanding Steere House Employee Award recipients at:

www.steerehouse.org



### STEERE HOUSE 2013 ANNUAL GIVING REPORT

Gifts received from January 1 through December 31, 2013

### Statement of Appreciation

Through their generosity, our benefactors contribute to the strength of Steere House. Their giving assists us in our mission to provide the very best quality of life in a compassionate environment. We take this opportunity to express our deepest appreciation to the Board of Directors, employees, families, friends, corporations, foundations and to those who wish to remain anonymous for their support.

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The DiPersio Society recognizes those individuals who have named Steere House in their estate plan through a bequest, charitable trust, annuity, life insurance or an outright gift of \$3,000 to the general endowment, or to establish a permanent endowed fund. The DiPersio Society provides a means to honor and thank donors during their lifetime for a gift that will make a difference well into the future.

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#### Employee Development Team Steere House Walk

The Employee Development Team would like to thank everyone who walked and contributed to a very successful event. Total funds raised: \$4,492

#### AUTUMN'S PROMISE

We would like to thank everyone who attended and contributed to a successful fundraising event. We would also like to take this opportunity to recognize our event sponsors:

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Our existence today is testimony to the generosity of past generations. They believed their gifts helped to ensure Steere House would exist far into the future. The following benefactors would be pleased with the progress Steere House has made and heartened to know that the generosity they displayed over these many years has become a lasting tradition.

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